

How to Revise Week

Question-a-day and 20 minute Revision tasks
March - April 2024

Subject:
Design and Technology



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	NOTES:
25th March What is an 'alloy'?	26th March What is a composite material?	27th March What are the challenges of recycling composite materials? Name an example	28th March Name an input, process and output component in an electronic product.	29th March Draw a commercial manufacturing process and label it, e.g injection moulding	30th March What is the advantage of bulk buying components?	31st March What is a 'stock form'?	
1st April Choose a material and identify a surface finish applied to it with reasons.	2nd April How do you work out the area of a rectangle?	3rd April How do you work out a percentage?	4th April How does pollution caused in the lifecycle of a product affect the environment?	5th April Identify the four scales of production and a product manufactured using them.	6th April Research 'Dyson'. What design features have made them successful?	7th April Ergonomics is... Use examples.	
8th April What is the difference between primary and secondary research?	9th April What is a design specification? Write one for a waterbottle.	10th April Draw a house in two point perspective.	11th April How do you calculate the angles in a triangle.	12th April What is nesting? (not the sort of nesting done by birds)	13th April What is planned obsolescence?	14th April What is a smart material?	
20 minute revision task 1 Research the 'Alessi' design company.	20 minute revision task Write a question	20 minute revision task Elaboration 'surface finishes'	20 minute revision task Flash cards	20 minute revision task Product analysis.			

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Exam Board:
AQA

Mock exam Paper:

Topic to Revise:

Renewable energy

Planned obsolescence

Market pull/ technology push

Alloys- what and why

Composite packaging- paper and board

Commercial manufacturing processes – polymer, timber, fabric

Stock forms

Surface finishes- Polymer, metal, timbers, paper and board

Knowing how to work out how many products can be made from a set size of material

Product lifecycle

What is innovation

Types of research