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Focus	Module 1	Mechanisms <i>Design and make a sustainable, windmill (wind turbine)</i>	Structures Design and build a new type of protective shelter	Module 4	Module 5 Electrical Systems Electronic football game	Module 6
Knowledge						
Application		<p>Design Identify and apply design criteria for a functional, stable and sustainable win turbine model. Generate and develop a range of creative design ideas using annotated sketches (and CAD). Plan construction stages logically (considering chosen materials and tools) and, if appropriate, allocate tasks within a team. Understand that mechanical systems have an input, process and an output. Design purposeful, functional, appealing products for the intended user that are fit for purpose based on a simple design specification. Make Accurately measure and mark materials according to our design plan. Safely and accurately cut and shape wood components using appropriate tools. Select from and use a range of tools and equipment with some accuracy to make products. Use gears and pulleys to speed up, slow down or change the direction of movement. Assemble components systematically to ensure the mechanism works smoothly. Construct products using permanent joining techniques. Evaluate Research existing wind turbines to understand how they work and their environmental impact. Test products and critically evaluate the quality of the design, functionality and fitness for purpose. Identify the strengths and areas for improvement in our design and making process. Suggest modifications and justify our ideas to improve the product.</p>	<p>Design Use research and develop design criteria to inform the design of innovative, functional, appealing products that are fit for purpose, aimed at particular individuals or groups. Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through discussion, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams, prototypes, pattern pieces and computer-aided design. Identify features of design that will appeal to the intended user (functional, cost, sustainability and aesthetic). Create own design criteria and specification, giving importance to each criteria. Create and evaluate multiple different innovative concept designs (against design criteria). Use annotated sketches, cross-sectional planning, exploded diagrams and views from various angles (using CAD). Clearly explain how parts of design will work, and how they are fit for purpose. Make Create and follow a detailed step by step plan that competently selects and uses appropriate tools to measure, mark out, cut, shape and join construction materials to make a framework. Apply their knowledge to strengthen, stiffen and reinforce their 3-D framework where needed. Select appropriate materials, fit for purpose. Explain material and tool choices, considering functionality and aesthetics. Explain how product will appeal to audience, make changes to improve quality. Assemble components to make working models. Accurately assemble, join and combine materials/components. Accurately measure, mark out, cut and shape materials/components. Evaluate Create and evaluate multiple different innovative concept designs (against design criteria). Make modifications to the product as they go. Be resourceful with practical problems.</p>		<p>Design Develop a design specification for a functional product that responds automatically to changes in the environment. Create and evaluate multiple different innovative concept designs (against design criteria). Use annotated sketches, cross-sectional planning, exploded diagrams and views from various angles (using CAD). Make Apply their understanding of computing to program and control their products. Create and modify a computer control program to enable their electrical product to respond to changes in the environment. Use basic coding skills on the BBC Microbit. Programme a microbit to create a scoreboard and trigger a buzzer sound. Create a complete circuit for the microbit to connect effectively. Evaluate Identify products that use programmable electrical systems. Begin to research different applications of programming. Continuously evaluate and modify the working features of the product to match the initial design specification.</p>	