### Why is Design and Technology important?

We believe that DT is a way for us to develop our children's practical designing and making ability, and their creativity in solving real and relevant problems.

At St Edward's we value each individual's learning journey and encourage them to fulfil their unique potential. We believe children should enjoy creating, exploring and challenging themselves as well as potentially finding aspirations through DT.

# What our pupils say.

"DT is a way for us to be creative by building things"

"We get to use technology to create projects"

"We got to make our recipe book and look at all of the recipes from around the world!"

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#### What DT looks like at our school.

We are passionate about providing high quality and enjoyable DT lessons, allowing children to develop skills in problem solving, designing, construction and cooking. We think it's important to develop a child's creativity and passion and nurture their talents through different experiences, from creating sculptures and clothing to researching famous designers and architects from across the world.

Through evaluation of past and present DT, they begin to develop a critical understanding of its impact on daily life and the wider world.

## Examples of our learning.

DT is only just beginning to develop its self as a stand alone subject, however already we have had numerous opportunities for children to be creative through the subject.

We celebrated the diversity of the school through creating a whole school recipe book incorporating recipes from across the world! We also encourage children to be creative at home through setting homework projects that families can all get involved with.