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	Do you enjoy DT lessons?	Why do you enjoy/not enjoy DT?	What would make DT more enjoyable?	Why is DT an important subject?	What DT activities have you done so far?	What tools and skills how you learnt this year so far?
Year 3	Majority - Yes	Enjoy - I like making stuff, it's fun, I like it, we can make things like the paper dress. Didn't enjoy- not sure why not, I don't like to design things, I didn't want to try the stew because it smelt strange.	Making more things/ more often, doing a DT day every half term, doing it less often (once a year)	To get better at it if we keep doing it like being a good cook, because you might want to be a celebrity doing DT, you'll get good at making things, you might HAVE to do it one day and then you know how to do it.	Making paper clothes Making stew	Cutting vegetables carefully, peeled, cooked, mixed, boiled, stirred, evaluated it. How to be a fashion model, learnt about Vivien Westwood, making clothes, designed clothes.
Year 6	Yes - 23 No - 0 Sometimes - 2	It is fun. Get to make things. Get creative - use your own designs. Cooking was fun - got to eat too. Sometimes - find it stressful at times. Hard to do some skills.	More crafts. Sometimes hard doing designing and making our own ideas as we haven't got lots of things. Not enough equipment when cooking.	Job in future - builder, designer. Bit like tinkercad but in real life!! (linking to our computing). Learn how to do new things.	Preparing and cooking food. Making torches - linked to science electricity unit.	Knives, peelers, stoves, mashers, - all food preparation and cooking. Wire stripping, building circuits, working on a net of a cuboid as the case for the torch.
Year 2	25 - Yes 1 - No	Yes: - We get to design and make our own things - I like sewing - Get to do good/fun things No: - Boring	More sewing. Shorter lessons. Longer lessons. More puppets.	Can help you with jobs when you get older like an engineer or a builder. Practical skills. Pass skills onto people as you get older.	Sewing. Moving pictures.	Tools: Sewing needle. Thread. Scissors. Glue. Template. Split pins. Rulers. Skills: Running stitch. Sewing. Over stitch. How to use tools and our hands effectively. Cutting.

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Year 5	14 - Yes 11- No	It's crafty and learning about more arty things. Get to make things. Really fun. Sometimes it can be hard to complete which makes it unenjoyable. Can be a little frustrating when it does not go right.	Crafting things we're more interested in. Better equipment/resources. Making battery powered things.	Improves our knowledge of DT. Gives us things to refer to in the future. Help us when thinking of ideas in high school/future. Helps us build our resilience/perseverance.	Building our moving toys (Viking Longships) Building bridges.	Measuring, planning, evaluating
Year 4	Yes - majority	I like the final result. Hard to get the final result.	Making smoothies. More time.	Important for jobs. Know how to design and fix things.	Cross stitching	Sewing needles. Binker
Year 1	Yes.	We learn to make things.	using more equipment.	We learn to make things, we made couscous and it was healthy.	Make a boat, testing the materials and shapes. It had to hold the boy and penguin. We made a healthy lunch.	scissors, a range of materials, couscous, and vegetables.