

Year 7 Design and Technology Textiles Colour Band Descriptors

| "Green" Skills Criteria - Practical | "Green" Skills Criteria - Theory |
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| I can use a sewing machine with a little guidance | I know some technical vocabulary |
| I understand how to block print | I can identify what I am good at and say what needs improving |
| I can usually select tools and equipment suitable for the task | I can usually communicate my ideas by talking and drawing |
| I can join two pieces of fabric together with help | I know about one textiles designer |

| "Pink" Skills Criteria - Practical | "Pink" Skills Criteria - Theory |
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| I can use a sewing machine | I know some technical vocabulary and know when to use it appropriately |
| I know how to block print | I can identify the strengths in my ideas and the areas that need development |
| I can select tools and equipment suitable for the task | I can develop and communicate my ideas by talking and drawing |
| I can join two pieces of fabric together | I know about at least one textiles designer |

| "Yellow" Skills Criteria - Practical | "Yellow" Skills Criteria - Theory |
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| I can use a sewing machine with some confidence | I know relevant technical vocabulary and know when to use it appropriately |
| I know how to block print with an increasing degree of accuracy | I can identify the strengths in my ideas and the areas that need development |
| I can select tools and equipment suitable for the task and use them appropriately | I can develop and communicate my ideas with some confidence by talking and drawing |
| I can join two pieces of fabric together with some accuracy | I know about at least one textiles designer and can identify their products |

| "Blue" Skills Criteria - Practical | "Blue" Skills Criteria - Theory |
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| I can use a sewing machine with increasing confidence | I know a range of relevant technical vocabulary and can use the terms appropriately |
| I know how to block print with accuracy | I can critically assess my product and identify ways of improving |
| I can select appropriately from specialist tools and equipment and use them with precision | I can develop and communicate design ideas using annotated sketches |
| I can assemble, combine and join two pieces of fabric together with accuracy | I know about several textiles designers. I can discuss their design influence on my product |

| "Salmon" Skills Criteria - Practical | "Salmon" Skills Criteria - Theory |
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| I can use a sewing machine with accuracy and confidence | I know a wide range of relevant technical vocabulary and can use the terms appropriately |
| I know how to produce a high quality block print | I can test, evaluate and refine my product taking into account the views of the intended user |
| I can select appropriately from specialist tools and equipment and use them with precision | I can develop and communicate design ideas through detailed discussion and using thoroughly annotated sketches |
| I can assemble, combine and join two pieces of fabric together with accuracy and precision | I know about several textiles designers and can discuss their design influence on my product |