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Dear Parent/Guardian

Design Technology, Food Technology, Art, Craft & Design - Voluntary Contribution

As we continue to offer a broad curriculum and ensure all students have a rich experience in Art, Design and Technology Department, we strive to facilitate projects that students are proud to take home. To continue to offer a wide variety of opportunities, and in line with schools around the country, we ask for a voluntary contribution towards the cost of materials.

This contribution will also allow us to maintain our creative, ambitious curriculum and inspire the next generation of young designers, artists and chefs especially given the increase in the cost of materials and resources to the school. This year, the suggested annual contribution for KS3 is £10.

Money from the voluntary contributions is divided equally between the areas of Art, Food Technology and Design & Technology and allows us to:

- Provide the latest materials and components to enhance Food Technology and Design Technology.
- Use specialist techniques such as Laser Cutting, Pewter Casting, 3D Printing and vacuum forming.
- Provide Sensory Food Testing and some specialist ingredients for Food Technology lessons, and basic larder items such as oil, sugar, salt, flour, etc.
- Use specialist printing techniques in Art, as well as ceramic Kiln work.

To give you a flavour of the forthcoming projects, please see the table on the following page.

If you are able to make a contribution, please make payment via ParentPay. This is a secure online payment system used by schools. If you require any assistance with ParentPay please email: mecefinance@maidenerleghtrust.org

Thank you for your support of the Art, Design and Technology department.

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Hills
Assistant Headteacher



Aim High



Be Inclusive



Work Together

Year	7	8	9
DT	Planning and producing a photo stand and a Wooden Knot	Planning and producing a Pewter medallion plus Architectural Design	Planning and producing a clock and a desk lamp
Food	Food preparation, knowledge and skills Including: pasta sauce, chocolate pudding, cheese sauce and crustless quiche.	Food preparation and World Foods Including: Chicken Kiev, Calzone, Macaroni cheese and carrot muffins	Ethical Foods Including: Pancakes Soup Stir Fry
Art	Colour theory continued. Painting and drawing looking at Kusama and Henri Rousseau Ernst Haeckel natural forms and clay pods	Monochromatic painting inspired by Picasso's monochromatic works Peter Randall as inspiration for mixed media works and clay project based on natural forms	Clay gargoyles Monochromatic painting and evaluation inspired by Picasso's monochromatic works

