



Ready, Respectful, Resilient
Headteacher: Mrs T Price BA (Hons) MA Ed

Our Ref:

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Dear Parent/Carer

As part of the KS2 Design and Technology provision at James Bateman Middle School, students are taught product design lessons, including Graphics once a week for half of the academic year, within which they successfully design and make a product to take home. In the other half of the year, students will be taught Food Technology lessons, for which a separate payment will be requested.

In Year 5, students will create a product which includes pop up mechanisms, levers, a light up LED and a mixture of interesting smart materials which alter with changes in the environment. Part of their project will also introduce them to our laser cutter and the importance of computer aided manufacture.

If you wish for your son/daughter to take their products home, we ask for a small contribution of £3.00 towards the cost of the product they will be making this year.

Payments can be made through the Arbor app in the school shop section.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Lucy Hibbert
Teacher of Design & Technology