



Varsity College Year 7 Design and Technology – Semester 2, 2024

Week	Date	Topics	Assessment
	8-12 July	General class induction	
1	Athletics Carnival - Wed	 Design process and hydraulics vs pneumatics 	
		Hydraulics as a motion and force multiplier	
	15-19 July	Material investigation	
2		 Evaluation of existing designs 	
		 Developing Ideas – sketching and refining 	
3	22-26 July GC24 - Thursday	 Producing products – manufacturing prototypes 	
4	29 Jul- 2 Aug	 Producing products – manufacturing prototypes 	
5	5-9 August	 Producing products – manufacturing prototypes 	Draft Due
6	12-16 August	Producing products – refining prototypes	Hydraulic Arm Folio Due
	GC24 Finals – Wed.	Final product testing and analysis of results	Lesson 3
7	19-23 August	Pencil Box	
		OnGuard online training modules	
		Material Preparation	
		 Practical demonstrations (tenon saw, Battery drill and disc cander) 	
	26-30 August	 sander) Joinery techniques 	
8	20-00 August	Assemble pencil box frame	
0		 Organise photos in PowerPoint template 	
	2-6 September	Measure, cut and shape base and lid	
•		 Sand/belt sand and disc sand 	
9		Attach base with adhesive and fasteners	
		Update PowerPoint template	
40	9-13 September	Fit lid and handle	
10	-	 Update PowerPoint with photos and industry descriptions 	
	School he	olidays: Saturday September 14 – Sunday Septemb	oer 29
1	30 Sept - 4 Oct	 Hand sand using appropriate grits Apply suitable wipe-on finish 	
1		 Update photos and PowerPoint 	
_	7-11 October	Generate PMIs	
2	King's B'day PH - Monday	Generate annotations for PowerPoint	Draft
3	14-18 October	Finalise assessment	Pencil Box Due Lesson 3
	21 - 25 October	Introduce ArchiCAD	Lesson 5
4		Install Software	
•		 Set story settings and draw external walls 	
	28 Oct – 1 Nov	Internal walls	
5		Doors	
		Windows	
	4-8 November	Roof	
6		Ceiling	
		Furniture and textures	
_	11-15 November	Furniture	
7		Textures	
	40.00 Navarahar	Renders	
•	18-22 November	Floor plan	D#
8		Elevations	Draft
•	25-29 November	Sections	ArchiCAD Due
9		PowerPoint	Lesson 2
10	2-6 December	Alternative Program	
11	9-13 December	Supervision only week	
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