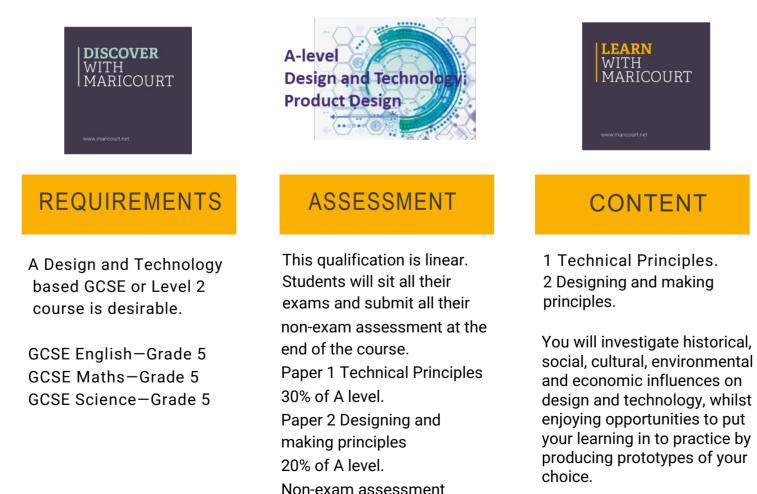# Product Design

What is it?

This creative and thought-provoking qualification gives students the practical skills, theoretical knowledge and confidence to succeed in a number of careers. Especially those in the creative industries.

You will gain a real understanding of what it means to be a designer, alongside the knowledge and skills sought by higher education and employers.

REQUIREMENTS

A Design and Technology based GCSE or Level 2 course is desirable.

GCSE English—Grade 5
GCSE Maths—Grade 5
GCSE Science—Grade 5

ASSESSMENT

This qualification is linear. Students will sit all their exams and submit all their non-exam assessment at the end of the course.

Paper 1 Technical Principles 30% of A level.

Paper 2 Designing and making principles 20% of A level.

Non-exam assessment 50% of A-level.

CONTENT

1 Technical Principles.
2 Designing and making principles.

You will investigate historical, social, cultural, environmental and economic influences on design and technology, whilst enjoying opportunities to put your learning in to practice by producing prototypes of your choice.