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Dear Parents

## KS3 DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY CLASSES

Throughout the time your child is at St John's they will follow a varied and exciting curriculum in Design and Technology. They are making a variety of items during this time which includes the following:

Year 7 - a mechanical grabber, juggling balls and bag, tasting foods

Year 8 - an ugly doll, a mobile phone passive speaker using wood, metal and plastic, additional food items

Year 9 - an electronic mood light, additional food items, supplementary textiles items for making a bag

To help toward the costs we are asking for a voluntary contribution from Years 7, 8 and 9 of £10.00. This money will be used to buy materials and ingredients.

**Payment should be made online through ParentPay.** If you have mislaid your log in details, please contact Mrs Shirley Woodburn on 01672 519567.

Payment can still be made by cheque which should be placed in an envelope that is clearly labelled with your son/daughter's name, tutor group and "D&T contribution" as a title and placed in the Financial Mailbox in the Atrium.

For security purposes we request that you do not make payments in cash, the Academy cannot be held responsible for the non-receipt of cash payments from students.

In cases of financial hardship, support may be available and a letter to the Principal will be dealt with confidentially and sympathetically.

Yours sincerely

*Mr C Stell*

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**Head of Technology**

