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Dear Parents and Carers

KS3 Design & Technology Contributions

Throughout the time your child is at St John's, they will follow a varied and exciting curriculum in Design and Technology. The students get the opportunity to try a wide range of techniques and skills, and work on ambitious projects which include the following:

Year 7 – mechanical grabber, tie dye apron.

Year 8 – ugly doll, pinball game.

Year 9 – jointed animal lamp, fabric box.

To help towards 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 additional ingredients for food, so any donations received are greatly appreciated.

Payment should be made online through ParentPay. If you have mislaid your log in details, please contact Mr Nathan Fillingham on nfillingham@stjohns.excalibur.org.uk.

Yours sincerely



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