

Subject	Year 8 Threshold Knowledge – Autumn/Spring/Summer term	How to support students' learning
Technology – Fashion & Textiles -	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Utilise several textile processes (finishes and textures) to create a final project. 2. Know how to use specialist equipment safely. 3. Know how to develop and use design specifications to create a final project suitable for a target market. 4. Recognise the links between industry and their textiles lessons. 5. Know how to test and evaluate their products against a specification. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Further resources: Resources from the Marks and Spencer archive museum on fibres, fabrics, fashion. Although some resources are targeted at other key stages and subjects many are a good starting point for ideas for KS3 and 4 D&T. The archive catalogue is also a good research tool for students to use https://marksintime.marksandspencer.com/schools • The BBC Bitesize website has a range of resources for different age groups, KS3 resources are quite limited but many of the GCSE resources are also suitable for younger learners (they include mini tests and quizzes along with outlining knowledge). Choose the age range the resources are for and the area of the UK along with design and technology. https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize • Shows to watch – The Great British Sewing Bee: https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b03myqj2