



## Newsletter - Spring 2022 – Lead: Mrs Horscroft



Hello again! I'd like to share some more of the wonderful work happening across the school involving Design and Technology.

Our Early Years children continue to have fun exploring using different tools and materials with their friends. Reception will be applying these skills to making **musical instruments** with reclaimed materials, when they learn about the Beatles, in their 'Ticket to Ride' topic.

In KS1, Y1 will be making **animal masks** – selecting materials and tools to help them cut, shape, join and finish their masks. Before Christmas, Y2 created their fat balls and made 3D decorations from fabric. They will be **baking bread** this half term as part of their Great Fire of London topic.



In Lower KS2, Y3 will be learning how to safely prepare scrumptious and healthy dishes of food, as part of their **healthy eating** topic in Science, while Y4 will be making **Volcanoes!**

In Upper KS2, Y5 designed and built Boats. They will be moving on to developing their **cooking skills**. Y6 investigated Bridges – looking at how to strengthen and reinforce their structures.



Our children in the Hive are working on some **exciting structures** – exploring how to make them strong and stable and then creating their own structure which can safely support an egg!

