## **KS2 STEM Curriculum Links**





## **STEM**

# Other curriculum links

History

Skills

Activity Topic

**Maths** Skills











Historical knowledge and understanding Pupils should be given opportunities to:

- 1. identify differences between ways of life at different times
- 3. understand why people did things, what caused specific events and the consequences of those events



**Numeracy Framework** 

1. Solve mathematical problems

Strand: Developing numerical reasoning **Elements:** Identify processes and connections

Pupils should be given opportunities to:

Learning outcomes

Children will

- transfer maths skills to a variety of contexts
- identify the appropriate steps and information needed to complete a task or reach a solution

• identify, obtain and process information needed to carry out the work

## Historical enquiry

Pupils should be given opportunities to:

- 1. ask and answer relevant questions about the past
- 3. use a range of sources, including buildings and sites.



Range

Pupils should be given opportunities to: Study

• the daily life of people living in Age of the Princes

#### Carry out

• investigations into the history around them and into the life of people at different times and places in the past.

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## **English**

Oracy





Pupils should be given opportunities to develop their oral skills through:

- 2. experiencing and responding to a variety of stimuli and ideas: visual, audio and written
- 3. communicating for a range of purposes
- 5. using a variety of methods to present ideas







## Other curriculum links

? (1) (2) **Maths** Topic Activity Skills I. Solve mathematical problems Pupils should be given opportunities to: • identify, obtain and process information needed to carry out the work • appreciate the continuous nature of measures, and that measurement is approximate; estimate measures, and measure to an appropriate degree of accuracy in a range of contexts Range Measures and money Pupils should be given opportunities to: 1. Understand and use measures • choose appropriate standard units of length, mass, volume and capacity, temperature, area and time • interpret numbers on scales and read scales to an increasing degree of Defence inspector • find perimeters of simple shapes Built to last **Numeracy Framework** Strands: Developing numerical reasoning and using measuring skills Elements: Identify processes and connections. Length, time, area, angle and position Learning outcomes Children will • transfer maths skills to a variety of contexts • identify the appropriate steps and information needed to complete a task or reach a solution • estimate and visualise size when measuring and use correct units • time events in minutes and seconds • use four/eight compass points to describe direction • calculate, estimate and compare area measure perimeters

ICT







## Skills Find and analyse information

Pupils should be given opportunities to:

- 2. find information from a variety of sources for a defined
- 4. produce and use databases to ask and answer questions, e.g. search, sort and graph

#### Range

## Pupils should be given opportunities to:

- use ICT to further their understanding of information they have retrieved and processed
- store and retrieve information they have found or created

## Other curriculum links

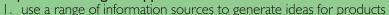
Topic Activity

### **Design and Technology**



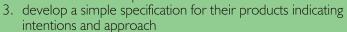
Skills Designing

#### Pupils should be given opportunities to:











7. evaluate their design ideas as they develop, considering the needs of the user.



## Pupils should be given opportunities to:

- I. work to their specification to make products
- 2. choose appropriate materials, ingredients, equipment, tools/utensils and techniques, from a range made available to them
- 3. measure, mark out, cut, shape, join, weigh and mix a range of materials and ingredients, using appropriate tools/utensils, equipment and techniques
- 4. find alternative ways of making if the first attempt fails
- 5. apply appropriate finishes to their products
- 6. discuss their products, and evaluate their work, e.g. explain why and how they made their product and what they think about its function, features, performance, taste

## System and control

13. construct simple mechanisms to produce different types of movement



## Range

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Topic Activity

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- identify, obtain and process information needed to carry out the work
- 2. Communicate mathematically

## Pupils should be given opportunities to:

• recognise, and generalise in words, patterns that arise in numerical, spatial or practical situations

## Range

## Measures and money Pupils should be given opportunities to:

- I. Understand and use measures
- choose appropriate standard units of length and area
- interpret numbers on scales and read scales to an increasing accuracy; understand and use scale in simple maps and drawings
- find perimeters of simple shapes, find areas by counting and other practical methods

## Shape, position and movement Pupils should be given opportunities to:

- 2. Understand and use the properties of position and movement
- use positive coordinates to specify locations
- identify properties of position and movement

## **Numeracy Framework**

Strands: Developing numerical reasoning and using measuring skills Elements: Identify processes and connections. Length, time, area, angle and position

## Learning outcomes Children will

- transfer maths skills to a variety of contexts
- identify the appropriate steps and information needed to complete a task or reach a solution
- use coordinates or grid references to specify locations

**Geography** Skills





Locating places, environments and patterns Pupils should be given opportunities to:

- 2. follow directions, estimate and calculate distances
- 3. use maps, imagery and ICT to find and present locational information



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#### Topic Activity

#### **Design and Technology** Skills



Designing

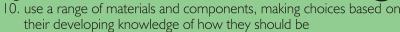
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- 2. investigate how existing products look and function as a source of ideas for their own products
- 3. develop a simple specification for their products indicating intentions and approach
- 5. develop and communicate their design ideas in a variety of ways

## Rigid and flexible materials







12. use techniques for reinforcing and strengthening structures in their products

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• tasks in which they design and make products, focusing on different contexts and materials

#### **Maths**











#### Range

Measures and money

Pupils should be given opportunities to:

- 1. Understand and use measures
- understand and use scale in simple maps and drawings
- draw and measure angles
- find perimeters, areas and volume

## **Numeracy Framework**

Strands: Using measuring skills

**Elements:** Identify processes and connections. Length, time, area

Learning outcomes Children will

- measure and calculate perimeters
- measure to the nearest mm

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# Grand design

Tools of the trade

# Other curriculum links

Topic Activity

Tools of the trade

**Science** Skills







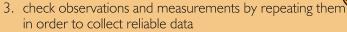
Enquiry

Pupils should be given opportunities to carry out different types of enquiry

Pupils follow the planned approach/method, revise it where necessary, and where appropriate:

2. make careful observations and accurate measurements





4. make comparisons and identify and describe trends or patterns in data and information



The sustainable Earth Pupils should be given opportunities to study:

- 3. a comparison of the features and properties of some natural and made materials
- 4. the properties of materials relating to their uses

**Maths** 

Materials I spy











# Range

Handling data

Pupils should be given opportunities to:

- 1. Collect, represent and interpret data
- collect data for a variety of defined purposes, including those that arise from their own questions, and from a variety of sources
- use and present data in a variety of ways including tables, pictograms, charts, bar charts, line graphs, diagrams, text and ICT

## **Numeracy Framework**

Strands: Using data skills

Elements: Collect and record data. Present and analyse data

Learning outcomes Children will

• represent data using: lists, tally charts, tables and diagrams

**English** 





Oracy Range

Pupils should be given opportunities to develop their oral skills through:

- 2. experiencing and responding to a variety of stimuli and ideas: visual, audio and written
- 3. communicating for a range of purposes
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## Other curriculum links

Topic Activity

#### Science







Skills Communication

Pupils should be given opportunities to:

2. communicate clearly by speech, writing, drawings, diagrams, charts etc, using relevant scientific vocabulary



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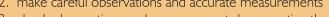
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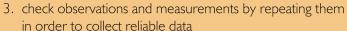
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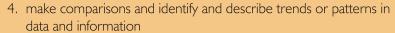
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Tools of the trade



## Other curriculum links

Topic Activity

Use the force

Investigate arches

Tools of the trade

**Science** Skills





Communication

Pupils should be given opportunities to:

2. communicate clearly using relevant scientific vocabulary

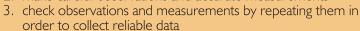


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Range

How things work

Pupils should be given opportunities to study:

- 2. forces of different kinds
- 3. the ways in which forces can effect movement and how forces can be compared

## **Design and Technology**



Skills

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## **Maths**









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**Geography** Skills







Locating places, environments and patterns Pupils should be given opportunities to:

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Just the job



## Other curriculum links

Topic Activity Castle careers Just the job

## **Maths** Range

Handling data

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bar charts, line graphs, diagrams, text and ICT

Elements: Collect and record data. Present and analyse data

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**Numeracy Framework Strands:** Using data skills

Learning outcomes

represent data using:

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## **ICT**

Skills





## Find and analyse information

Pupils should be given opportunities to:

- 1. discuss the purpose of their tasks, the intended audiences and the resources needed
- 2. find information from a variety of sources for a defined purpose
- 4. produce and use databases to ask and answer questions, e.g. search, sort and graph

#### Range

Pupils should be given opportunities to:

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## History







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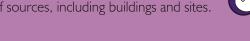
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## Other curriculum links

Topic Activity

#### **Maths** Skills









1. Solve mathematical problems

## Pupils should be given opportunities to:

- identify, obtain and process information needed to carry out the work
- 2. Communicate mathematically

## Pupils should be given opportunities to:

• use correct mathematical language, notation, symbols and conventions to talk about or to represent their work to others

#### Range

Measure and money

## Pupils should be given opportunities to:

- 1. Understand and use money
- know and use the conventional way to record money find approximate solutions to, and use the four operations to solve, problems involving money

## **Numeracy Framework**

Strands: Developing numerical reasoning and using number skills

Elements: Identify processes and manage money

Learning outcomes

#### Children will

- manage money, compare costs from different retailers and determine what can be bought within a given budget
- understand what is value for money
- plan and track money and savings by accurate records

**ICT** 



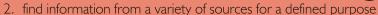




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#### Range

## Pupils should be given opportunities to:

- use ICT tools and suitable information sources safely and legally, in accordance with LEA/school guidelines
- use a range of ICT resources and equipment independently and collaboratively
- use ICT sources of information and non-ICT sources of
- use ICT to further their understanding of information they have retrieved and processed
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**English** 







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Just the job

## Other curriculum links

Topic Activity Just the job Heraldry

## **Maths** Skills

work

1. Solve mathematical problems

2. Communicate mathematically

Shape, position and movement

Pupils should be given opportunities to:

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Pupils should be given opportunities to:

• recognise reflective and rotational symmetries

numerical, spatial or practical situations



• identify, obtain and process information needed to carry out the

1. Understand and use the properties of position and movement

• recognise, and generalise in words, patterns that arise in









## Art and design



Skills

#### Understanding

## Pupils should be given opportunities to:

- 2. experiment with and examine the methods used by other artists, craftworkers and designers from different:
- periods

#### Investigating

## Pupils should be given opportunities to:

- 1. select and record from:
- observation
- memory
- imagination
- 2. investigate:
- the natural environment
- the made environment
- the world of imagination

#### Range

#### Understanding

#### Pupils should be stimulated and inspired, where appropriate, by:

- styles
- ideas
- local and Welsh art, craft and design
- images and artefacts from a variety of historical and contemporary cultures and contexts



#### Investigating

## Pupils should investigate:

- natural objects and environments
- made objects and environments
- imagined objects and environments.

## They should, where appropriate, apply to their own work findings collected from a variety of contexts including:

- local and Welsh examples
- different cultures and periods.





#### Making

Pupils should design and make both imaginatively and expressively

objects
 artefacts
 images

They should work in different contexts such as:

outdoors

## Other curriculum links

Topic Activity

## **Design and Technology**

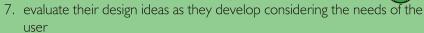


Skills

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#### **English** Writing

Skills





#### Pupils should be given opportunities to communicate in writing and to:

- 1. use the characteristics features of literary and non-literary texts in their own writing, adapting their style to suit the audience and
- 4. choose and use appropriate vocabulary

#### Range

Pupils should be given opportunities to develop their writing skills through:

- I. writing for a range of purposes
- 4. writing in response to a wide range of stimuli: visual, audio and written

## **History**







## Skills

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Home sweet home

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- use coordinates or grid references to specify locations

#### Geography Skills





Locating places, environments and patterns Pupils should be given opportunities to:

1. identify and locate places and environments using globes, atlases, and maps, e.g. use co-ordinates and four-figure references



2. follow directions, estimate and calculate distances, e.g. follow map and ground routes, calculate map-to-ground distances



3. use maps, imagery and ICT to find and present locational information, e.g. draw sketch maps using symbols and keys. Interpret maps, and photographs including oblique, aerial and satellite images



## Other curriculum links

Topic Activity

**Science** 





Skills Communication

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2. communicate clearly by speech, writing, drawings, diagrams, charts etc, using relevant scientific vocabulary

#### Range

Interdependence of organisms
Pupils should be given opportunities to study:

- 6. the environmental factors that affect what grows and lives in those two environments, e.g. sunlight, water availability, temperature.
- 7. how humans affect the local environment, e.g. litter, water pollution, noise pollution.





## **Geography**





Skills Investigating

Pupils should be given opportunities to:

I. observe and ask questions about a place, environment or a geographical issue

#### Range

Pupils should be given opportunities to: study

- living in Wales: their local area and an investigation of at least one aspect of the geography of the whole of Wales, e.g. castles
- living in other countries: two contrasting localities in countries at different levels of economic development outside the United Kingdom

#### carry out

• fieldwork to observe and investigate real places and processes

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#### Skills across the curriculum



## **Developing thinking**

Learners develop their thinking across the curriculum through the processes of planning, developing and reflecting.



## **Developing communication**

Learners develop their communication skills across the curriculum through the skills of oracy, reading, writing and wider communication.



## **Developing ICT**

Learners develop their ICT skills across the curriculum by finding, developing, creating and presenting information and ideas and by using a wide range of equipment and software.



## **Developing number**

Learners develop their number skills across the curriculum by using mathematical information, calculating, and interpreting and presenting findings.



## **Cwricwlwm Cymreig (7-14)**

Learners aged 7-14 should be given opportunities to develop and apply knowledge and understanding of the cultural, economic, environmental, historical and linguistic characteristics of Wales.



#### Personal and social education

Learners should be given opportunities to promote their health and emotional well-being and moral and spiritual development; to become active citizens and promote sustainable development and global citizenship; and to prepare for lifelong learning.



#### Careers and the world of work

Learners aged 11-19 should be given opportunities to develop their awareness of careers and the world of work and how their studies contribute to their readiness for a working life.