

Oxford Cambridge and RSA Examinations

DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY: SYSTEMS AND CONTROL TECHNOLOGY (1957)

New GCSEs for teaching from September 2001

KEY FEATURES OF THE NEW SPECIFICATION

- Covers National Curriculum order for KS4 Design & Technology
- Options in Electronics, Pneumatics and Mechanisms
- Coursework requirement clearly linked to content teaching requirement
- Smart materials and ICT key part of specification
- A range of suitable tasks for coursework
- Immediate teacher support available from specialist subject officer

WHAT CHANGES ARE THERE FROM THE OLD SPECIFICATION?

- · Continuity from previous specifications
- · Clarifies link between content and coursework guidance
- Coursework assessment pattern clarified and simplified to recognise positive achievement

SUPPORT OFFERED BY OCR

- · Full programme of INSET training
- Specimen question papers and mark schemes
- Coursework guidance materials
- Exemplar materials

- Report on the examination, compiled by senior examining personnel after each examination session
- Individual feedback to each Centre on the moderation of internally assessed work

WHAT RELATED QUALIFICATIONS ARE OFFERED BY OCR?

CoA Food Technology CoA Graphic Products

CoA Resistant Materials Technology

CoA Textiles Technology

GCSE D&T: Electronic Products

GCSE D&T: Food Technology

GCSE D&T: Graphic Products

GCSE D&T: Industrial Technology

GCSE D&T: Resistant Materials

GCSE D&T: Textiles Technology

GNVQ Construction and the Built

Environment

GNVQ Engineering (including Part One)

GNVQ Manufacturing (including Part One)

VCE Construction and the Built Environment

VCE Engineering

VCE Manufacturing

AS/A Level D&T: Product Design

AS/A Level D&T: Systems and Control

Technology



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