Year 7 Night Light Project

1	Design Brief	An overview of what you intend to do when completing your project.	11	LED	Light Emitting Diode: A semiconductor device that produces light from electricity
2	Design Specification	A list/criteria of things that you think your product must be/meet in order to be a great product.	12	Switch	A switch is something that changes the flow of an electrical circuit.
3	Moodboard	A collection of images and words to help inspire design ideas.	13	Battery Pack	A holder for batteries in an electronic circuit.
4	Research	The process of solving problems and finding facts in an organised way.	14	Wire	A long, thin and flexible piece of metal, used to carry electricity.
5	Health & Safety	Procedures intended to prevent accidents or injury in workplaces.	15	Resistor	Part of an electrical circuit that resists, or limits, the power of an electrical current in a circuit.
6	Product Analysis	Looking at a product in greater detail and then breaking it down to help us understand certain aspects of the product to help generate design ideas.	16	Soldering/Solde ring Iron	A process where you join two or more metals by melting a filler metal called solder into the joint where the metals meet.
7	Aesthetics	The look of the product.	17	Solder	A metal or a mixture of metals (as of lead and tin) used when melted to join components in a circuit.
8	Client	The person who the product has been made for or would like to purchase the product.	18	Testing	A process of measuring the properties or performance of products.
9	Function	The purpose of the product. It's job.	19	Techsoft	Computer drawing software used with the laser cutter.
10	Materials	What the product has been made from.	20	Laser cutting	The use of a high-powered laser to cut, etch and engrave your material.

21	Symbols	Icons used to represent components in drawings of electronic circuits.	26	Strip Heating/ Line Bending	a process used to bend thermoplastics in a straight line.
22	Schematic Drawings	A drawing of an electronic drawing. Made up of symbols to allow manufacturers to follow easily.	27	Malleable	The ability of a material to deform without cracking.
23	Component	Individual parts that make up an electronic circuit.	28	Jig	A device used to hold a piece of material and guide cutting tools and they are used to ensure the process can be repeated accurately and to a high quality.
24	Current	The movement of electric charge.	29	Glue Gun	A gun-shaped electric tool used for melting and applying sticks of adhesive.
25	Circuit	A complete path around which electricity can flow	30	Evaluate	To think reflectively about their work and make changes to their project that will improve it. An evaluation should include the project's aims, what went well, challenges, how they were dealt with and what you'd change next time.