

Keywords:

General:

Age range
Appropriate
Child
Client
Colourful
Colourless
Cost
Cross-stitching
Design
Designs
Designing
Ideas
Improve
Neat
Overcome
Practical
Problems
Manufacture
Neat
Research
Safety
Shading
Suitable

Materials:

Calico
Felt
Poly-cotton
Plastic
Wadding

Components:

Beads Ribbon
Buttons Safety pins
Feathers Sequins
Key ring Thread
Lace Wobbly eyes

Construction:

Hem
Pillowcase fold
Running stitch
Seams
Straight stitch
Tacking stitch
Zigzag stitch

Decorating:

Applique
Batik
Embroidery
Fabric pastels
Felted
Hand embroidery
Tie dyed

Equipment:

Bobbin
Iron
Needles
Pins
Scissors
Sewing Machine
Tjanting tool

Command Words:

Apply
Analyse
Compare
Consider
Contrast
Define
Describe
Discuss
Distinguish

Explain (Why)
Evaluate
How
Illustrate
Justify
Predict
Review
Suggest
State



Checklist for written work:

Have you:

- used keywords and spelled them correctly?
- used capital letters and full stops?
- used topic sentences and paragraphs?
- given reasons for your answers?
- checked that your written work makes sense by proof-reading it?



Things to consider when evaluating existing products:

Audience (Who would buy it?)
Aesthetics (Does it look nice?)
Customer (Who would use it?).
Cost (How much is it?)
Environmental (Has it travelled far, causing pollution?)
Function (How does it work?)
Form (What shape is it / how does it work?)
Materials (What has it been made from?)
Safety (Will it injure anyone?)
Size (How big is it? Is it in proportion?)

Things to consider when designing:

- Label the main materials and components
 - Explain how it links to your research
 - Explain how they are suitable for the person who will use them
 - Explain which parts of them you will develop into your final design
 - What problems you might have when you make them and how you will overcome them
- What the function of your product is (how it will work)