

The Design Museum!

Year 5 class trip

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Year 5 have been learning about different structures of bird hides in Design and Technology. We will be investigating shell and frame structures and different joints to help us strengthen our final project and are learning about the design process we need to follow in order to accomplish our final product: a model bird hide. Therefore, Year 5 went to the Design Museum in order to learn more about the process of design, based on the example of a chair's design process.



First of all, we had a workshop in which we learned about why chairs are continuously evolving in their design and why they are a great starting point to learn more about the process behind the finished product.



Once we had learnt about the design process related to chairs, we visited the Designer, Maker, User exhibition in the museum. We discussed the changes in design of everyday products (phones, computers, clothes) and how they impact the user.

