DESIGN

Design key terms

Specification	A list of requirements a product must meet.
Function	What a product is designed to do.
Aesthetics	How a product looks, feels, sounds, smells or tastes.
Ergonomics	Designing products to fit the people who use them, for comfort and ease.
Prototype	An early model made to test and improve a design.
Iterative design	Repeatedly testing, evaluating and refining a design.
Sustainability	Meeting present needs without harming future generations' ability to meet theirs.
Tolerance	The small amount a measurement is allowed to vary.