

Lesson Structure

10 x 90min lessons

Year 5 – Micro Drones

Lesson Number	Focus	Australian Curriculum General Capabilities	Australian Curriculum Content Descriptors
1	Drone solutions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Critical and creative thinking – inquiring – identifying, exploring and organising information and ideas • Critical and creative thinking – generating ideas, possibilities and actions • Personal and social capability – Social awareness • Ethical understanding - exploring values, rights and responsibilities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Design technologies - Examine how people in design and technologies occupations address competing considerations, including sustainability in the design of products, services, and environments for current and future use (ACTDEK019) • Design technologies - Investigate characteristics and properties of a range of materials, systems, components, tools and equipment and evaluate the impact of their use (ACTDEK023)
2	Flight L Plates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Critical and creative thinking – inquiring – identifying, exploring and organising information and ideas • Critical and creative thinking – generating ideas, possibilities and actions • Personal and social capability – Social awareness 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digital Technologies - Examine the main components of common digital systems and how they may connect together to form networks to transmit data (ACTDIK014) • Design technologies - Investigate characteristics and properties of a range of materials, systems, components, tools and equipment and evaluate the impact of their use (ACTDEK023)

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3	Drones in conservation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Critical and creative thinking – inquiring – identifying, exploring and organising information and ideas • Critical and creative thinking – generating ideas, possibilities and actions • Critical and creative thinking – reflecting on thinking and processes • Critical and creative thinking – analysing, synthesising and evaluating reasoning and procedures 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mathematics – Use a grid reference system to describe locations. Describe routes using landmarks and directional language (ACMMG113) • Digital technologies - Design, modify and follow simple algorithms involving sequences of steps, branching, and iteration (repetition) (ACTDIP019) • Digital Technologies - Implement digital solutions as simple visual programs involving branching, iteration (repetition), and user input (ACTDIP020)
4	Drones in agriculture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Critical and creative thinking – inquiring – identifying, exploring and organising information and ideas • Critical and creative thinking – generating ideas, possibilities and actions • Critical and creative thinking – reflecting on thinking and processes • Critical and creative thinking – analysing, synthesising and evaluating reasoning and procedures 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Design technologies - Examine how people in design and technologies occupations address competing considerations, including sustainability in the design of products, services, and environments for current and future use (ACTDEK019) • Digital technologies - Design, modify and follow simple algorithms involving sequences of steps, branching, and iteration (repetition) (ACTDIP019) • Digital Technologies - Implement digital solutions as simple visual programs involving branching, iteration (repetition), and user input (ACTDIP020) •

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Design Brief: Design and program a drone for an environmental application in the community.

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	<p>Design and technologies project: Design and program a drone for an environmental application in the community.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Critical and creative thinking – inquiring – identifying, exploring and organising information and ideas • Critical and creative thinking – generating ideas, possibilities and actions • Critical and creative thinking – reflecting on thinking and processes • Critical and creative thinking – analysing, synthesising and evaluating reasoning and procedures • Personal and social capability – social management • ICT capability – Applying social and ethical protocols and practices when using ICT • ICT capability – managing and operating ICT 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Design technologies - Examine how people in design and technologies occupations address competing considerations, including sustainability in the design of products, services, and environments for current and future use (ACTDEK019) • Design and technologies – Analyse ways to produce designed solutions through selecting and combining characteristics and properties of materials, systems, components, tools and equipment (ACTDEK034) • Design and technologies – processes and production skills (ACTDEP035), (ACTDEP036), (ACTDEP037), (ACTDEP038), (ACTDEP039) • Digital technologies - Plan and manage projects that create and communicate ideas and information collaboratively online, taking safety and social contexts into account (ACTDIP032) • Digital technologies - Evaluate how student solutions and existing information systems meet needs, are innovative, and take account of future risks and sustainability (ACTDIP031)

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5	Investigate, Generate and refine ideas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand the requirements of the design brief • Investigate an environmental application for a drone in the local community • Brainstorm 3 x design ideas, Draw and label each system and describe how it works (in consideration of safety issues too) • Evaluate and select a final design 	Year 5 generate and refine ideas worksheet – Group task
6	Production plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collaborate with group members • Select an online collaboration tool for planning and storing files • Draw and label final system and describe how it works (in consideration of safety issues too) • List materials and equipment • List risks and risk management strategies • Write pseudo-code for Block programming in Tello edu • Create production steps and allocate group roles 	Year 5 Production plan worksheet – group task iPads with tello edu app
7,8	Producing and implementing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collaborating and managing the production process • Safely use appropriate materials to collaboratively execute the programming of the drone system • Create and debug tello edu program collaboratively • Test product meets design brief specifications 	Completed Year 5 production plan worksheet for each group – group task Micro Drones and iPads with tello edu app

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9	evaluating	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluate and reflect on the drone system you created • Explain use of code, evaluate and reflect on programming in tello edu • Evaluate and reflect on collaboration skills and strategies • Explain future use of your drone system in the community, including how it will meet needs, is innovative, and takes account of future risks and sustainability 	Year 5 evaluation worksheet – group and individual task
10	Presenting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Groups present their drone system to an audience • Groups explain their drone system, how it meets community needs and how they designed the programming in tello edu 	Completed Year 5 production plan worksheet for each group – group task Each group’s designed drone system and code Micro Drones and iPads with tello edu app

