



# ***Design***

*The Design Process*

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***Design & Manufacture***

# *The Design Process*

- *There are many models that can be used to describe the design process*
- *The design process is:*
  - *a series of stages that the design team go through to take a product from the initial concept to final proposal*

# Task

- *In your groups, write down each of the following design processes on a separate post-it note.*
- *Rearrange the design process cards into chronological order*
- *Identify any of the stages where you think the designer would have an input and the client/consumer would be consulted*

# Task

Presentation of Ideas

Research and Investigation

Planning for Manufacture

Working Prototype

Initial Design Brief

Testing and Evaluation

Initial Idea Generation

Market Research

Analysis of Ideas

Design Development  
(drawing, models,  
decision making)

Design Proposal

Design Specification

Evaluations, Discussions  
and Negotiations

Design Brief Analysis

Identification of  
Needs/Wants

Synthesis of Ideas

