Descriptor	Statement	What this looks like in DT
Excelling	<ul> <li>Successfully navigating the taught curriculum this term</li> <li>Demonstrates a strong application of the skills covered and practised.</li> <li>Demonstrates a secure understanding of the key concepts</li> <li>Final assessments provide strong evidence of highly secure understanding of knowledge and skills</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Student shows secure understanding by gaining 90% on tests.</li> <li>There is an exceptional knowledge of tools* and equipment<sup>+</sup> demonstrated safely, operated with independence and accuracy.</li> <li>Student demonstrates excellent skill with a product which has no imperfections to any surface, no blemishes and completed independently.</li> <li>Student has completed all homework's, including going green sections.</li> <li>Student has completed 2 or more Take Home Challenge Task.</li> </ul>
Securing	<ul> <li>Successfully navigating most of the taught curriculum this term.</li> <li>Demonstrates a solid application of the skills covered and practised.</li> <li>Demonstrates a reasonable understanding of the key concepts</li> <li>Final assessments provide secure evidence of secure understanding of knowledge and skills</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sound understanding shown by gaining 70% on tests.</li> <li>Student has demonstrated a strong knowledge of tools* and equipment* which are safely operated independently.</li> <li>Student demonstrates high level of skill with a product that is complete with a good level of finish and possibly 1 or 2 minor imperfections.</li> <li>Student has completed all homework's.</li> <li>Student has completed a Take Home Challenge Task.</li> </ul>
Developing	<ul> <li>Successfully navigating elements of the taught curriculum this term.</li> <li>Demonstrates some sound application of the skills covered and practised.</li> <li>Demonstrates a developing understanding of the key concepts</li> <li>Final assessments provide reasonable evidence of secure understanding of knowledge and skills</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reasonable understanding demonstrated through 40% gained on tests.</li> <li>There is a basic understanding of tools*/ equipment* and their use.</li> <li>The product is made with some imperfections requiring further finishing.</li> <li>Student has completed most homework's.</li> <li>Student has attempted a Take Home Challenge Task.</li> </ul>
Emerging	<ul> <li>Occasionally successfully navigating some elements of the taught curriculum this term.</li> <li>Demonstrates some application of the skills covered and practised at times.</li> <li>Demonstrates a basic understanding of the key concepts</li> <li>Final assessments provide a small amount of evidence of secure understanding of knowledge and skills.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Some understanding demonstrated through &gt;40% on tests.</li> <li>There is limited knowledge of tools* or equipment* operation.</li> <li>The product has several areas that are unfinished</li> <li>Student has attempted a homework.</li> <li>Student has not attempted a Take Home Challenge Task.</li> </ul>
Not possible to comment	Students has been absent	