

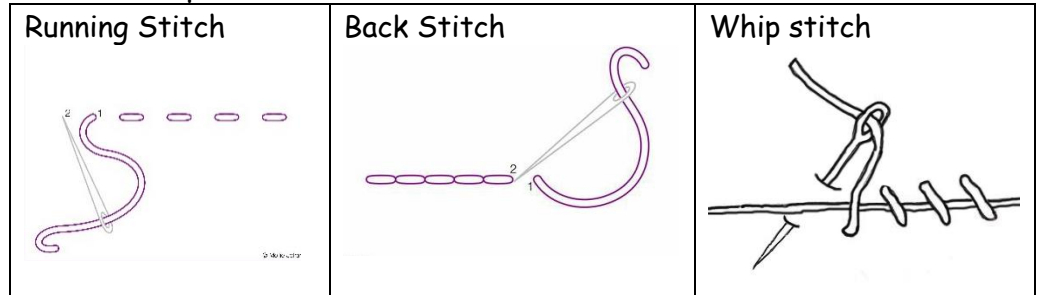
DT Knowledge organiser - Textiles Worry Dolls

Key Vocabulary

Running Stitch	A simple style of sewing in a straight line with no overlapping.
Whip stitch	A simple stitch used in both sewing and crocheting.
Back stitch	A stitch sewn one stitch length backward on the front side and two stitch lengths forward on the reverse side to form a solid line of stitching on both sides
Applique	A sewing method of creating pictures or shapes by sewing one layer of fabric on top of another.
Sew	To join or fasten with stitches made using a needle and thread.
Knot	A join made by tying two pieces of string or rope together.
Stuffing	Soft material used to fill stuffed toys. The most popular materials for stuffing are polyester and wool because they are soft yet hold their shape well
Embellishments	Anything that adds design interest to the piece.
Pinning	The use of safety pins to keep layers of fabric together in preparation for sewing or cutting.
Fastening	A way of joining 2 pieces of fabric so they can be opened and closed
Seam allowance	Extra fabric allowed for joining together - 15mm for domestic patterns.
Appendage	Something that is added/attached to a larger more important object. E.g., for a stuffed toy bird, the wings are appendages attached onto the main body.

Skills

- identify the features of worry dolls/stuffed toys
- Design and make their own worry doll
- To sew a running stitch, a whip stitch and a back stitch
- To thread a needle using a needle threader
- Develop skills of sewing textiles by joining right side together and making seams.
- Pin a pattern on to fabric ensuring limited wastage, how to leave a seam allowance and different cutting techniques.
- measure in cm, cut and assemble accurately
- explain what has gone well and how their product could be improved.



A 3-D textile product can be made from a combination of accurately made pattern pieces, fabric shapes and different fabrics.