# Introductory text for JCSP Statements Supporting The Junior Cycle Wood Technology

The statements below were developed with input from a number of practicing Wood Technology teachers in JCSP schools. They are offered **as one possible model** that teachers may use to approach the new Junior Cycle Wood Technology Specification. They will be adjusted over time based on feedback from teachers in JCSP schools.

The new Wood Technology Specification may be accessed in full at <u>www.curriculumonline.ie</u>.

In addition, support for teaching of the Junior Cycle Specification may be accessed through the Junior Cycle for Teachers (JCT) Technologies team at <u>www.jct.ie</u>.

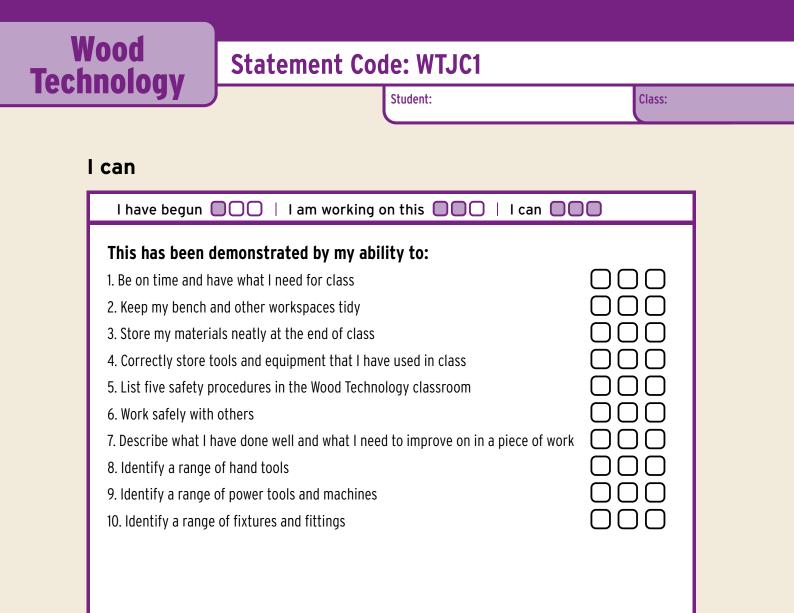
It is important to note that the statements below offer a sample approach for the creation of Junior Cycle Wood Technology statements. They do not cover all of the learning outcomes which are expected to be taught in the new junior cycle course.

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# Area of Experience Wood Technology

At Junior Cycle level I can:	od hnolog	y	Student:	Class:
WTJC1       I can manage myself and my resources in Wood         Technology         WTJC2       I can communicate my design thinking and subject         understanding         WTJC3       I can apply my Wood Technology skills and knowledge	t Junior Cy	cle level I can:	Student.	01055.
Technology         WTJC2       I can communicate my design thinking and subject understanding         WTJC3       I can apply my Wood Technology skills and knowledge		Date Commenced: OO/	OO/OO Date Award	
understanding WTJC3 I can apply my Wood Technology skills and knowledge	WTJC1		resources in Wood	
knowledge	WTJC2	1 .	In thinking and subject	000
WTJC4 I can appreciate the importance of trees	WTJC3		logy skills and	000
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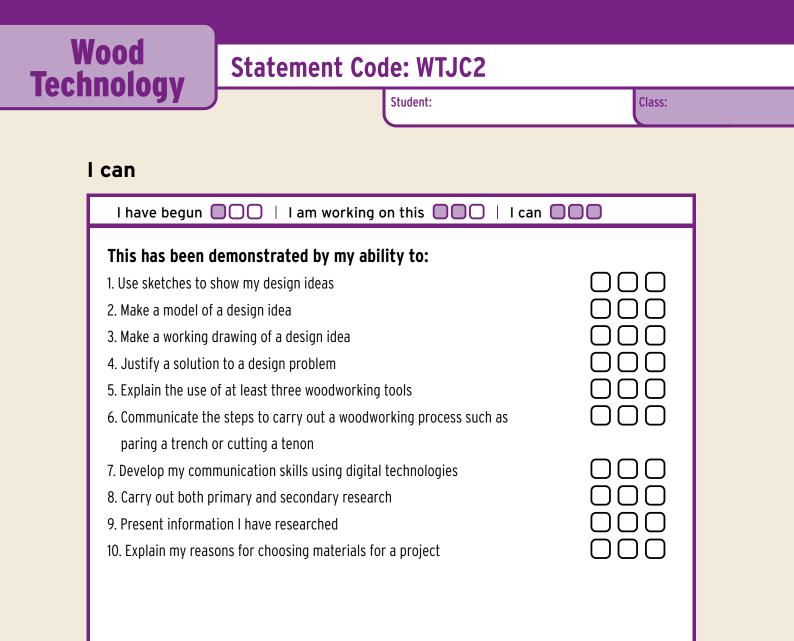
# I can manage myself and my resources in Wood Technology



### Reflecting on my learning...

One thing I did well...
One thing I did to improve...
I really enjoyed...
because...

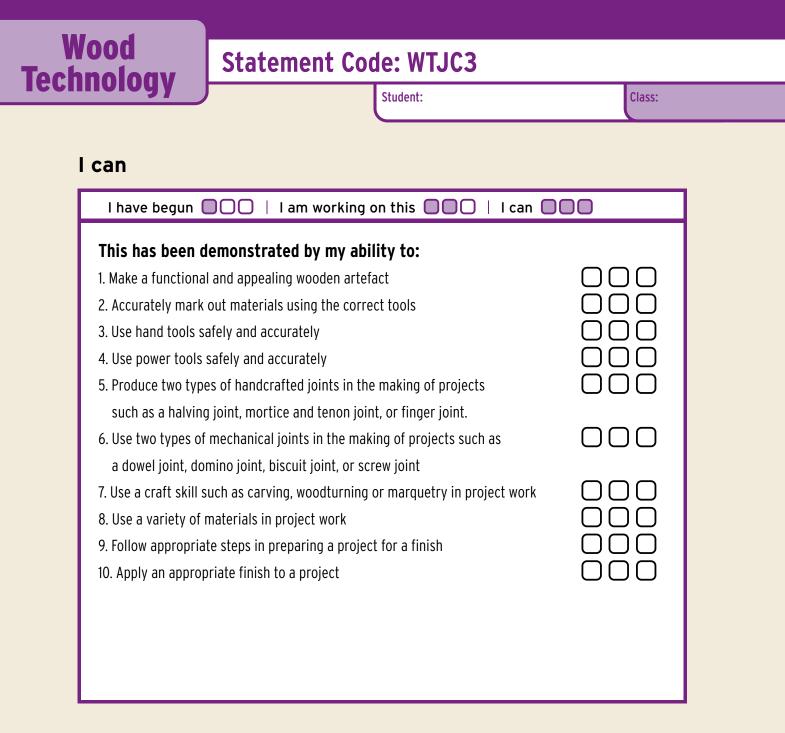
# I can communicate my design thinking and subject understanding



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One thing I did to improve...
I really enjoyed...
because...

# I can apply my Wood Technology skills and knowledge



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# I can appreciate the importance of trees

# Wood Statement Code: WTJC4 Student: Class: J can I have begun l am working on this l l can l l can I have begun l am working on this l l can I can List has been demonstrated by my ability to: I can 1. Explain how a tree grows I can 2. Describe the role of trees in my environment I can l I can 3. List three characteristics of deciduous trees I can 4. List three characteristics of coniferous trees I can

- 5. Identify and describe common species of trees
- 6. List three benefits of using wood as a material
- 7. List three advantages of manufactured boards
- 8. List three disadvantages of manufactured boards
- 9. List three environmental impacts of deforestation
- 10. List two ways of reducing waste in the Wood Technology classroom

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