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## KS2 Quiz

Unit title: Automata toys

**1 Which of these best describes how an automata toy works?**

- A** The user pushes a button and moving parts turn.
- B** The user pulls an elastic band back and lets go.
- C** The user turns a handle and moving parts turn or go up and down.
- D** The user squeezes a trigger and moving parts go forward.

**2 Design criteria...**

- A** ...guide how a product is developed.
- B** ...help meet the users needs.
- C** ...help when planning a project.
- D** All of the above.

**3 Storefronts and window displays...**

- A** ...help to attract customers into shops.
- B** ...have carefully thought through designs.
- C** ...have designs relevant to the shop.
- D** All of the above.

**4 Which set of tools or equipment would be most useful for an automata project?**

- A** Craft knife, PVA glue, scissors and pencil.
- B** Pencil, saw, bench hook, glue gun and ruler.
- C** Needle, thread, PVA glue and pencil.
- D** Saucepan, wooden spoon, vegetable knife and chopping board.

**5 When would you choose a glue gun to join materials?**

- A** When joining light materials like paper.
- B** When joining fabric for clothing.
- C** When materials need to be joined quickly and securely.
- D** When joining components that need to move.

**6 What is a cross-sectional diagram?**

- A** Indicates where to drill with cross marks.
- B** Shows the inner workings of a product.
- C** Displays a product from four angles.
- D** Shows equipment for making a product.

**7 What is an exploded diagram?**

- A** Shows how parts fit together.
- B** Displays all components from above.
- C** Shows how the product fits in packaging.
- D** Provides info on product materials.

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**8 Why does the shape of the cam profile matter?**

- A** The shape increases the speed of the follower.
- B** The shape helps the axle rotate.
- C** The shape creates electricity.
- D** The shape changes the way the follower moves.

**9 When using a saw you should...**

- A** ...hold it by the blade.
- B** ...hold the wood in the air and saw it.
- C** ...rest the wood on you knee and saw it.
- D** None of the above.

**10 Explain how an automata toy works.**