

ART & DESIGN CURRICULUM COVERAGE (KS2)

Inspiring creativity • Building skills • Expressing ideas



OUR GOLDEN THREADS



CRAFT

Exploring and using a range of materials creatively to design and make products.



PAINTING AND COLOUR

Exploring colour, experimenting with paint and other media to express ideas and feelings.



DRAWING AND COMPOSITION

Developing drawing skills and using line, shape, form and space to communicate ideas.



SCULPTURE

Exploring form, texture and malleable materials to create three-dimensional artworks.

NATIONAL CURRICULUM STATEMENTS KEY STAGE 2

Pupils should be taught:



to create sketch books to record their observations and use them to review and revisit ideas



to improve their mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing, painting and sculpture with a range of materials (for example, pencil, charcoal, paint, clay)



about great artists, architects and designers in history.

	YEAR 3			YEAR 4			YEAR 5			YEAR 6		
	COLOUR THEORY	CAVE DRAWINGS	MOSAICS	SCANDINAVIAN SEASCAPES	PORTRAITS	EGYPTIAN DEATH MASKS	WW1 LANDSCAPES	LINE, LIGHT AND SHADOW	PLAGUE PRINTS	OBSERVATIONAL DRAWING	LANDSCAPE PAINTING	BENIN BRONZES
	How can artists use colour creatively?	How did people create art in prehistory?	How can patterns and materials create impact?	How can artists capture the power of the sea?	How do artists create realistic and meaningful portraits?	How can we create sculptures inspired by Ancient Egypt?	How can artists show mood and atmosphere?	How can line, light and shadow create meaning?	How can prints be used to share important messages?	How can we draw from observation to show detail and meaning?	How can painting techniques show a sense of place?	How can sculpture show culture, status and identity?
												
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Our Art & Design curriculum inspires creativity, builds practical skills and encourages children to become confident artists. We learn by doing, reflect on our work and strive to improve our ideas and imagination.



LEADERSHIP
We lead with confidence and inspire others.



ORGANISATION
We are organised and ready to learn and create.



RESILIENCE
We keep trying, learn from mistakes and never give up.



INITIATIVE
We are curious and use our ideas to solve problems.



COMMUNICATION
We share our ideas, listen to others and give feedback.



KINDNESS
We are kind, respect others and celebrate our differences.