

Progress in Art & Design: Early Years Foundation Stage & Key Stage 1

We believe that art is a form of expression and communication, unique to each artist. Our children will learn about and explore a range of artistic techniques as well as learning about key artistic styles and artists through history. Artistic elements and techniques are explicitly taught and practised so that children become comfortable to explore them when composing their own pieces. Our children learn about a range of diverse artists and draw inspiration from a range of sources, including our local area, when creating their own artwork.

Skill	Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Vocabulary and Artist
Drawing	-Hold a pencil effectively in preparation for fluent writing - using the tripod grip in almost all casesBegin to show accuracy and care when drawing -Share their creations, explaining the process they have used.	draw using pencil, felt-tips and crayons draw lines of different shapes and thickness, using 2 different grades of pencil use dots and lines to demonstrate pattern and texture	 use three different grades of pencil in their drawing (4B, 8B, HB) create different tones using light and dark show patterns and texture in their drawings use a viewfinder to focus on a specific part of an artefact before drawing it 	portrait, self-portrait, line drawing, detail, landscape, cityscape, building, , drawings, line, bold, size, light, dark
	-Begin to use a variety of drawing tools -Use drawings to share ideas -Encourage accurate drawings of people			Artist-Van Gogh
Painting	- Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and functionShare their creations, explaining the process they have used. -Experimenting with and using primary colours -Naming -mixing (not formal) -Learn the names of different tools that bring colour	Name the primary and secondary colours choose to use thick and thin brushes as appropriate make tints by adding white make tones by adding black	 mix paint to create all the secondary colours mix their own brown paint a picture based on an artist create moods in their paintings 	primary colours, secondary colours, neutral colours, tints, tones, warm colours, cool colours,, sweep, dab, bold Artist-Jackson Pollock and Wassily Kandinsky

Printing	-Use a range of small tools, including scissors, paintbrushes and cutleryShare their creations, explaining the process they have usedRubbings -Print with variety of objects -Print with block colours	 print with sponges, vegetables and fruit print onto paper and textile design their own printing block create a repeating pattern 	create a print using pressing, rolling, rubbing and stamping create a print based on an artist copy an original print	colour, shape, printing, printmaking, relief printing, objects Linked to Andy Warhol	
Textiles	- Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and functionShare their creations, explaining the process they have used. Handling, manipulating and enjoying using materials -Sensory experience	sort threads and fabrics group fabrics and threads by colour and texture weave with fabric or paper	join fabric using glue sew fabrics together using large- eyed needles and a running stitch create part of a class patchwork	textiles, fabric, weaving, over, under, decoration, decorative Linked to Fish in classroom or other stimulus	
3D	-Use a range of small tools, including scissors, paintbrushes and cutlery. - Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function. -Share their creations, explaining the process they have used. -Handling, feeling, enjoying and manipulating materials -Constructing -Building and destroying -Shape and model	add texture by using tools make different kinds of shapes cut, roll and coil materials such as clay, dough or plasticine use a variety of techniques, eg. rolling, cutting, pinching	 make a clay pot add line and shape to their work use a variety of natural, recycled and manufactured materials for sculpting, eg. clay, straw and card 	sculpture, statue, model, , 3D, land art, sculptor, carving, sculpture, , shapes, materials, abstract, Artist Joan Miro and Andy Goldsworthy	
Collage	-Use a range of small tools, including scissors, paintbrushes and cutleryShare their creations, explaining the process they have usedRepeating patterns -Irregular painting patterns	 cut and tear paper and card for their collages gather and sort the materials they will need 	 create individual and group collages use different kinds of materials on their collage and explain why they have chosen them use repeated patterns in their collage 	collage, squares, gaps, landscape, features, cut, place, arrange Artist Megan Coyle and Pablo Picasso	
Artists	Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of some of these artists: Andy Goldsworthy, Jackson Pollock, Pablo Picasso, Megan Coyle, Joan Miró Wassily Kandinsky, Andy Warhol, Van Gogh Here are other artist to explore: , LS Lowry, Paul Klee, Monet, Robert Delaunay, , Piet Mondrian, , Marc Quinn, Michelle Reader, Barbara Hepworth, Jill Townsley, Brendan Jamison, Eva Rothschild				