



Art and Design Curriculum Overview

	Autumn Drawing	Spring Painting	Summer Sculpture/3D
EYFS	Spirals - How do artists use shape and colour?	Explore watercolours - How do artists use brushes to make marks?	Shape printing - How can objects make prints on paper?
Year 1	Seasonal drawing - How do artists represent shape and add tone and texture in drawing?	Expressive painting - How do artists represent movement and feeling through colour?	Pinch pots - How do artists create a functional 3D shape?
Year 2	Inspired by nature - How do artists use simple representations to create repeating patterns?	Colour wheels - How do artists use colour to create mood (hot and cold)?	Making sculptural birds - How do artists make stable 3D sculptures?
Year 3	Story telling through drawing - How do artists represent movement and feeling through drawing?	Stone age art - How do we know about art that happened long ago?	Architecture - How does form (shape) reflect function (materials)
Year 4	Exploring still life - How can a 2D image be made to look 3D?	Cloth, thread and paint - How do artists represent landscapes?	Exploring print - How do artists create prints?
Year 5	3D shape and shade - How can I use scale to make something look 3D?	Mixed media land and city - How do artists represent depth and texture in landscape?	Coil pots - How can artists join clay?
Year 6	Exploring identity - How do artists convey character?	Print and activism - How can art affect change in society?	Plinths - How do artists create sculptures that represent movement?