

Grange Primary Art Curriculum







The Grange Curriculum: Art & Design



	Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Autumn	Marvellous Me/Look at Me It's Getting Cold/Bears Polar Express/Special Days Introducing the art area and resources including aprons and drying rack. Exploring texture using messy play.	Me and My World My Heroes Introducing Reception class art area, learning where to find tools and equipment. Continuing to encourage recognisable images and giving meaning to marks.	I Am An Artist [Aut1] Introducing sketchbooks, experimen ting with mark-making and learning about primary colours. Paul Klee Piet Mondrian Wassily Kandinsky	Our School [Aut1] Looking at architecture and urban landscapes through photography and recording surface textures. Producing a collaborative outcome with printmaking. Zaha Hadid The Boyle Family	Why Do We Make Art? [Aut2] Exploring the purpose of art through the study of cave paintings from Lascaux. Using continuous line and considering the use of perspective. Satoshi Kitamura Pablo Picasso History	Pattern & Pumpkins [Aut1] Making 3D pumpkins from clay. Exploring texture and pattern by printmaking using bubble wrap. Yayoi Kusama	Illustration & Narrative Art [Aut1] Developing a visual response to a text, creating digital art. Raphael, Leonardo, Michelangelo Marjane Satrapi, Mel Tregonning	Recycled Materials Installation [Aut2] Using plastic waste to create an installation. Ifeoma Anyaeji Serge Attukwei Clottey Veronika Richterová Katharine Harvey Geography, Science
Soring	Once Upon a Time 1/Once Upon a Time 2 Exploring colours using paints. Encouraging children to think about what they are drawing and painting and giving meaning to marks.	Focus on the word around us and observational images of the world. Drawing spring flowers and photographing signs of spring.	Paper Sculpture Further exploration of mark making. Creating a sculpture by folding and twisting paper and gluing onto a base. Photography of shadow and light. Charles McGee	Colour and Tone [Spr1] Looking at tints, tones and shades in The King Who Banned the Dark and Picasso's paintings from his Blue Period. Emily Haworth-Booth Pablo Picasso	Clay Fairy Tales Using clay to produce a collaborative visual representation of a fairy tale crime. Anthony Browne Quentin Blake	Watercolour Tropical Rainforest Exploring use of watercolours to create a collaged response to the work of artists studied. Abel Rodriguez Henri Rousseau Henri Matisse Geography	Journeys [Spr1] Looking at Shackleton's Journey and how artists have portrayed journeys. Collage, printmaking and mixed-media outcomes. Richard Long, Frida Kahlo, Lubaina Himid	Displacement / Challenges [Spr2] Looking at the work of artists who have been refugees or have produced art in different circumstances. Pissarro, Wiltshire, Schwitters, Kerr Geography
Summer				Painting Water Using wax resist and watercolour to create water textures. Exploring collage to create an outcome using suspended fish paintings. Katsushika Hokusai David Hockney mples @fapraections thoused propria Geographyse from		My Favourite Things [Sum1] Looking at objects from the British Museum using This or That by Goodhart. Drawing a still life based on personal possessions. Pippa Goodhart artistsoseph Coosshistor	Pattern & Sculpture Using origami to create bird sculptures out of printed designs exploring pattern and the natural world. Mark Hearld Jackie Morris	Art & I dentity [Sum2] Considering the impact of the British Empire on art and how our art can reflect our identity. Drawing the face and creating a shared exhibition. Yinka Shonibare Sonia Boyce S. Howev [History]

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Nursery 3/4 (Cycle A)



Half Term	Learning Opportunities	How This Will Build
Aut1: Marvellous Me	 Colour: Painting a self-portrait. Beginning to explore colour-mixing. Control of materials: Using a paintbrush. 	In Rec and Y2, pupils will draw and paint a simple self-portrait. In Y6, pupils will be taught techniques to accurately draw facial features. Pupils will continually develop their painting skills throughout the primary curriculum.
Aut2: It's Getting Cold Outside	 Texture: Using a range of materials to create a hibernation picture. Control of materials: Collage skills (gluing, cutting with scissors). 	In Y2, pupils will explore texture around the school site, creating wax rubbings to inform their printmaking outcome. In Y1, pupils will further develop their fine motor skills to create a paper sculpture by cutting and gluing paper.
Spr2: On the Farm	 Colour: Choosing appropriate colours for each element of their image. Texture: Using a range of materials to create a collage. Control of materials: Collage skills, printmaking. 	In Y1, pupils will learn about primary and secondary colours. They will also use leaves to explore printmaking. Pupils will have further opportunities to explore collage in Y2 and Y4.
Sum1: Once Upon a Time 1	 Line: Drawing continuous line, vertical and horizontal lines and closed shapes. Texture: Creating textured surfaces to represent brickwork. Control of materials: Using fine motor skills to hold a pencil. 	Pupils will explore continuous line in Y1 and Y3. InY2, pupils will explore texture to inform their printmaking experiments.
Sum2: All Creatures Great and Small 1	Line: Drawing animals using lines and circles. Control of materials: Using pencil to add detail to drawings.	In Y3, pupils will use continuous line to draw animals before adding additional details using a range of materials.

Relevant Development Matters (N3/4) statements:

- Create closed shapes with continuous lines and begin to use these shapes to represent objects.
- Draw with increasing complexity and detail, such as representing a face with a circle and including details.
- Explore different materials freely, in order to develop their ideas about how to use them and what to make.
- Explore colour and colour-mixing.
- Develop their own ideas and then decide which materials to use to express them.





Nursery 3/4 (Cycle B)



Half Term	Learning Opportunities	How This Will Build
Aut1: Look at Me!	 Colour: Identify appropriate colours for their self-portrait (e.g., eyes, hair etc.). Line: Draw using continuous line and closed shapes. Control of materials: Collage skills and handling paintbrush. 	Children will draw their own face in Rec. In Y2, pupils will draw and paint a simple self-portrait. In Y6, pupils will be taught techniques to accurately draw facial features. Pupils will draw using continuous line in Y3.
Aut2: Bears	Texture: Selecting appropriate materials to create a collaged bear image. Control of materials: Collage skills.	Pupils will have further opportunities to explore collage in Y2 and Y4.
Aut3: Special Days	 Colour: Exploring colour-mixing using paint. Texture: Pupils choose collage materials from a selection. Control of materials: Collage skills and handling a paintbrush. 	Pupils will learn about primary and secondary colour in Y1. In Y2, pupils will learn how to create tints, tones and shades of a primary colour, and they will explore tertiary colours in Y3.
Spr2: Food Glorious Food	 Pattern: Printmaking using vegetables to create a pattern. Control of materials: Printmaking and collage skills. Colour: Colour-mixing using paint. 	In Y1, pupils will use leaves in printmaking. They will develop their printmaking skills further in Y2 by creating press-prints and Y4 by creating a collagraphic print.
Sum1: Once Upon a Time 2	 Line: Drawing using continuous line and closed shapes. Texture: Creating a representation of a textured surface using drawing skills. Control of materials: Collage skills 	Pupils will draw using a continuous line in Y3. They will develop their drawing skills further in Y4, when they will have the opportunity to draw from direct observation using continuous line as well as a range of other pencil techniques.
Sum2: All Creatures Great and Small 2	Line: Drawing using continuous line and closed shapes. Control of materials: Using a pencil to draw detail with increasing complexity. Colour: Explore colour-mixing.	Pupils will draw using a continuous line in Y3. They will develop their drawing skills further in Y4, when they will have the opportunity to draw from direct observation using continuous line as well as a range of other pencil techniques.

Relevant Development Matters (N3/4) statements:

- Create closed shapes with continuous lines and begin to use these shapes to represent objects.
- Draw with increasing complexity and detail, such as representing a face with a circle and including details.
- Explore different materials freely, in order to develop their ideas about how to use them and what to make.
- Explore colour and colour-mixing.
- Develop their own ideas and then decide which materials to use to express them.





Reception



Half Term	Learning Opportunities	How This Will Build
Aut1: Me & My World	 Colour: Selecting and mixing appropriate colours for their self-portrait (e.g., eyes, hair). Line: Drawing detail with increasing complexity. Control of materials: Using a pencil and paintbrush with an increasing degree of control. 	In Y2, pupils will draw and paint a simple self-portrait. In Y6, pupils will be taught techniques to accurately draw facial features.
Aut2: My Heroes	 Colour: Using paint to create vegetable prints. Control of materials: Use of collage skills, careful application of paint during printmaking. 	In Y1, pupils will use leaves in printmaking. They will develop their printmaking skills further in Y2 by creating press-prints and Y4 by creating a collagraphic print.
Spr1: Castles, Knights & Dragons	Texture: Using wax crayons to create rubbings of textured surfaces.	In Y2, pupils will create rubbings using different textures around their school site.
Spr2: Spring in Our Step	 Colour: Noting the difference between the grey background created using charcoal and the coloured paintings/prints created using more vibrant colours. Control of materials: Using charcoal. Using painting and printmaking skills. 	Pupils will explore tints, tones and shades in Y2, during which they will learn more about tone and tonal gradients.

Relevant Development Matters (Reception) statements:

- Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings.
- Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function.

• Return to and build on their previous learning, refining ideas and developing their ability to represent them.





Year 1: Autumn

I Am An Artist



In this unit, pupils will explore mark-making, line and colour in their sketchbooks.

Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will be built upon
 Line: • Make marks including lines and closed shapes (EYFS). Colour: • Select colours appropriately for a task. Control of Materials: • Use mark-making tools with a palmer grasp (N2). • Use mark-making tools with a palmer grasp or digital pronate grasp (N3/4). • Use mark-making tools with a static tripod grip (N3/4). • Use mark-making tools with a dynamic tripod grip (Rec).	 Line: A line is a mark made on a surface that joins different points. Lines can vary in length, width, direction and shape. Doing the same thing with different materials - like pencil, crayon, pens, charcoal - can create different lines. Colour Primary colours are red, blue and yellow. They cannot be mixed from other colours. 	 Line: Use of line to create tone. i.e., 'what happens if you put your lines close together? Does it look lighter or darker?' (Y1 Spr). Colour: Mixing of secondary (Y2 Spr) and tertiary colours (Y3 Aut). Mixing of tints, shades and tones (Y2 Spr).
 Share their creations, talking about how they have created effects.	 Abstract art is art that does not try to look like things in the real world. Instead, it is made up of shapes, colors, and lines that might not look like anything you recognize. Representational art tries to look like things in the real world, such as people, animals, or objects. When you look at representational art, you can usually tell what it is supposed to be. Paul Klee was a Swiss-German artist who lived a long time ago [1866-1944]. He liked to create art by 'taking a dot for a walk'. Wassily Kandinsky was a Russian artist who lived a long time ago [1910s-1920s]. Piet Mondrian was a Dutch artist who lived a long time ago [1872-1944]. He used bold black lines and primary colours in his work. 	 Traditional art describes everything from early Christian art to the 1850s and is usually representational (Y3 Sum). Modern art describes art made from around the 1850s to the 1970s. Modern artists wanted their art to show how they felt. It was more abstract than representational (Y3 Sum). Contemporary art describes artwork being made by living artists, or art that has been made recently (e.g., 1980s onwards). Contemporary art can be anything and artists create work using traditional, modern and other techniques (Y3 Sum). Paul Klee, Kandinsky and Piet Mondrian were both modern artists (Y3 Sum).
 Experiment, explore and play with making marks (EYFS). Share their creations, talking about how they have created effects (EYFS). 	 Artists experiment, explore and play. A sketchbook is a special book that artists use. To discuss the work of artists, including our own. 	To label the features (Y1 Sum) and then annotate the features of different artworks with the effects they have on the viewer (Y2 Spr).





Year 1: Spring

Paper Sculptures



In this unit, pupils will produce a paper sculpture.

	Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will be built upon
	 Line A line is a mark made on a surface that joins different points (Y1 Aut). Lines can vary in length, width, direction and shape (Y1 Aut). Doing the same thing with different materials like pencil, crayon, pens, charcoal - can create 	Form: • A form is something that you can view from all sides. • A form can be created as a sculpture. Tone: • Tone is about light and dark in an artwork. A strong tone means there is a big difference (contrast) between the light and the dark areas. • Doing the same thing with different materials-like pencil, fineliner, biro,	Form: • A form can be represented using tone in a 2D artwork (Y4 Sum). Tone: • Manipulate shadows using torches to create a different tone (Y2 Spr). • Creating tones makes colours look
Practical	different lines (Y1 Aut). Control of Materials: Use mark-making tools with a dynamic tripod grip (Rec).	felt tip - can create a different tone. • Shadows are an area of darkness that can be created by a sculpture or other object. Space: • Space is an area around an object. Space is created when you make a sculpture (e.g. the gap between two parts of the sculpture). Pattern: • Patterns can be created with a series of repeated marks like dots and lines. Control of Materials: • Use pens - felt tips, fine liners and biros - to draw lines and shapes.	 different by making them darker (Y2 Spr). Tone can be created using the same pencil by pressing harder or lighter (Y3 Spr). Tone can be created using different grades of pencil (Y4 Sum). Space & Pattern: Space and patterns can be found in and around existing objects and used to create art (Y2 Aut).
Theoretical	 Paul Klee was a Swiss-German artist who lived a long time ago [1879-1940]. He liked to create art by 'taking a dot for a walk' (Y1 Aut). Piet Mondrian was a Dutch artist who lived a long time ago [1872-1944]. He used bold black lines and primary colours in his work (Y1 Aut). Abstract art is art that does not try to look like things in the real world. Representational art tries to look like things in the real world (Y1 Aut). 	 Charles McGee was an American artist who made artwork in living memory. He made paintings and sculptures. Art can be flat [2D] or something that you look around [3D]. A sculpture is an artwork can be viewed from all sides [it is 3D]. A sculptor is an artist who makes sculptures. 	Charles McGee was a contemporary artist.
Disciplinary	 Artists experiment, explore and play (Y1 Aut). A sketchbook is a special book that artists use (Y1 Aut). To discuss the work of artists, including our own (Y1 Aut). 		To label the features (Y1 Sum) and then annotate the features of different artworks with the effects they have on the viewer (Y2 Spr).





Year 1: Summer

Natural World



In this unit, pupils will produce a series of drawings of leaves, will print a leaf onto fabric and use wax resist.

	Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will be built upon
	Line:	Shape:	Shape:
	Doing the same thing with different materials - like pencil, crayon, pens, charcoal - can create different lines (Y1 Aut). Tone:	 Drawing can be about representing flat objects using shapes on paper. Colour: 	Drawing can be about representing 3D forms with 2D shapes on paper (Y4 Sum). Colour:
	Tone is about light and dark in an artwork. Shadows are an area of darkness that can be created by a sculpture or other 3D object (Y1 Spr).	Secondary colours are green, orange and purple. They are mixed from primary colours. Control of Materials:	Mixing of tints, shades and tones (Y2 Spr). Mixing of tertiary colours (Y3 Aut). Control of Materials:
Practical	Form: • A form is something that you can view from all sides [it is 3D] (Y1 Spr). Colour: • Primary colours are red, blue and yellow. They cannot be mixed from other colours (Y1 Aut). Control of Materials: • D&T: Shape paper with scissors and by folding and twisting (Y1 Aut). • Use pencils to draw lines and shapes (EYFS).	 Use wax crayons to draw lines and shapes. Use the wax resist technique using watercolour paints. Mix colours using watercolour paints on the page (not in a palette). Use a flat wash brushstroke with watercolour paint. Press print onto paper or fabric using the natural colour of the leaves. 	Using a range of brushstrokes (including stippling, tapered and dry brushstrokes) and techniques (including wet on wet, and different amounts of water) with watercolour paints (Y2 Sum). Mono-printing (Y2 Aut) and collagraphic printmaking (Y4 Aut).
Theoretical	Abstract art is art that does not try to look like things in the real world. Representational art tries to look like things in the real world (Y1 Aut).	 Leonardo Da Vinci was an Italian artist who lived a very long time ago [1452-1519]. He created artwork that was inspired by nature, including leaf prints and observational drawings of living things. Claude Monet was a French artist who made art a long time ago [1840-1926]. He painted representational art outdoors to capture the way that light can change a scene. Frances Hatch is a British artist who makes art today. She creates artwork that is inspired by nature. 	Raphael, Michelangelo and Leonardo are traditional artists whose art told stories around the 1500s (Y5 Aut). Monet was a modern artist (Y3 Sum).
Disciplinary	 Artists experiment, explore and play (Y1 Aut). A sketchbook is a special book that artists use (Y1 Aut). To discuss the work of artists, including our own (Y1 Aut). 	Artists can be inspired by the natural world. Label the features of different artworks with key words.	Annotate the features of different artworks with the effects they have on the viewer (Y2 Spr).





Year 2: Autumn

Our School



In this unit, pupils will produce a collaborative printmaking outcome based on the school site.

	Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will be built upon
I was the same	Tone: • Tone is about light and dark in an artwork. A strong tone means there is a big difference (contrast) between the light and the dark areas (Y1 Spr). • Shadows are an area of darkness that can be created by a sculpture or other 3D object (Y1 Spr). Space: • Space is an area around an object. Space is created when you make a 3D sculpture (e.g. the gap between two parts of the sculpture) (Y1 Spr). Pattern: • Patterns can be created with a series of repeated marks like dots and lines (Y1 Spr). Control of Materials: • Press print onto paper or fabric using the natural colour of the leaves (Y1 Sum).	Space: Space can be found around existing objects and used to create art. Shapes: Shapes can be found in existing objects and used to create art. Pattern: Identify patterns in the world around us. Texture: Texture is how something feels. Artists can make art that tells us how something might feel, without us having to touch it. Control of Materials: Monoprint onto paper. Using crayons to transfer texture and pattern from existing surfaces. Create a plate to make a press print. Press print onto paper or fabric using a plate. Apply ink (or paint) with a roller. Take photographs using cameras and tablets.	Control of Materials: Collagraphic printmaking is a process in which materials are built up on a plate to be printed from (Y4 Aut). Taking photographs using cameras/tablets of human tableaus (Y3 Sum).
	Abstract art is art that does not try to look like things in the real world. Representational art tries to look like things in the real world (Y1 Aut).	 Zaha Hadid [1950-2016] was a British-Iraqi architect who designed buildings in living memory. She designed amazing buildings that used curving shapes. The Boyle Family are a group of British artists who have made art in living memory. 	
	 Artists experiment, explore and play (Y1 Aut). A sketchbook is a special book that artists use (Y1 Aut). Artists can be inspired by the natural world (Y1 Sum). Label the features of different artworks with key words (Y1 Sum). 	 Art can be made by individual artists, or by a group of artists who collaborate. Artists can be inspired by hidden details in seemingly ordinary objects. Artists can be inspired by the artificial (man-made) world. Artists often create art for its own sake. Designers create things that are useful and have a purpose. Architects are artists and designers who design buildings. 	Artists can be inspired by each other, and we can make connections between our artworks and theirs (Y3 Sum).





Year 2: Spring

Colour and Tone



In this unit, pupils will create a painting using tints, tones and shades within one colour.

	Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will be built upon
Practical	 Tone: Tone is about light and dark in an artwork. A strong tone means there is a big difference (contrast) between the light and the dark areas (Y1 Spr). Shadows are an area of darkness that can be created by a sculpture or other 3D object (Y1 Spr). Space: Space is an area around an object. Space is created when you make a 3D sculpture (e.g. the gap between two parts of the sculpture) (Y1 Spr). Colour: Primary colours are red, blue and yellow. They cannot be mixed from other colours (Y1 Aut). Secondary colours are green, orange and purple. They are mixed from primary colours (Y1 Sum). Control of Materials: Use a dynamic tripod group with a paintbrush (Y1 Aut). 	 Tone: Manipulate shadows using torches to create a different tone. Colour: Artists can change the way a colour looks by making tints, tones and shades. Tints are made by adding white to a colour. Tones are made by adding grey to a colour. Shades are made by adding black to a colour. (We know that tone is about areas of light and dark. Creating tones makes colours look different by making them darker). Warm colours are red, orange and yellow. Cool colours are blue, purple and green. Colours can be used to represent emotions. For example, red can represent anger and blue can represent sadness. Control of Materials: Mix colours using poster paints in a palette. 	 Tone: Tone can be created using the same pencil by pressing harder or lighter (Y3 Spr). Tone can be created using different grades of pencil (Y4 Sum). Colour: Tertiary colours are red-orange, yellow-orange, yellow-green, blue-green, blue-purple, red-purple. They are mixed from one primary and one secondary colour (Y3 Aut). Control of Materials: Mix colours using acrylic paints in a palette (Y3 Spr). Mix colours using watercolour paints in a palette (Y4 Spr).
Theoretical	Abstract art is art that does not try to look like things in the real world. Representational art tries to look like things in the real world (Y1 Aut).	 Pablo Picasso [1881-1973] was a Spanish artist who made art a long time ago. His Blue Period [1901-04] shows a range of tints, tones and shades in one colour. Emily Howarth-Booth is a British author and illustrator who makes art today. Her work uses a range of tints, tones and shades in one colour. Illustrations help to tell a story. Artists who make illustrations are called illustrators. 	 Pablo Picasso was a Spanish artist. His Blue Period shows a range of tints, tones and shades in one colour. He was inspired by the Lascaux Cave Paintings to create line drawings of animals (Y3 Aut). While illustrations help to tell a story, narrative art tells a story on its own (Y3 Sum).
Disciplinary	 Artists experiment, explore and play (Y1 Aut). A sketchbook is a special book that artists use (Y1 Aut). Discuss the work of artists, including our own (Y1 Aut). Label the features of different artworks with key words (Y1 Sum). 	Annotate the features of different artworks and the effects they have on the viewer.	Annotate my artwork with connections to another artist's work (Y4 Aut).





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Year 2: Summer

Painting Water



In this unit, pupils will create a 3D collage using watercolours.

	Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will be built upon
	Line:	Control of Materials:	Control of Materials:
	• A line is a mark made on a surface that joins different points (Y1 Aut).	Use stippling, tapered and dry brushstrokes with	Mix colours using watercolour paints
	Colour:	watercolour paint.	in a palette (Y4 Spr).
	 Primary colours are red, blue and yellow. They cannot be mixed from other colours (Y1 Aut). 	Use wet on wet and 'less to more see through' [opaque to translucent] techniques.	
	 Secondary colours are green, orange and purple. They are mixed from primary colours (Y1 Sum). 	Use different amounts of water to create stronger [more opaque] and weaker [more translucent] colours.	
Practical	 Artists can change the way a colour looks by making tints (adding white), tones (adding grey) and shades (adding black) (Y2 Spr). 	Different paintbrushes are suited to different brush strokes and techniques.	
rac	Pattern:		
_	 Patterns can be created with a series of repeated marks like dots and lines (Y1 Spr). 		
	Control of Materials:		
	• Use a dynamic tripod group with a paintbrush, pencil and wax crayon.		
	• Use the wax resist technique using watercolour paints (Y2 Spr).		
	 Mix colours using watercolour paints on the page (not in a palette). (Y2 Spr). 		
	• Use a flat wash brushstroke with watercolour paint (Y2 Spr).		
Theoretical	 Claude Monet [1840-1926] was a French artist who made art a long time ago. He painted representational art outdoors to capture the way that light can change a scene (Y1 Sum). Abstract art is art that does not try to look like things in the real world. Representational art tries to look like things in the real world (Y1 Aut). Geography: Rivers, lakes, seas and oceans are all bodies of water. 	 Katsushika Hokusai [1760-1849] was an Japanese artist who made art a long time ago. He is famous for representational woodblock prints. David Hockney [b. 1937] is a British artist who makes art today [1960s-2020s]. He has painted lots of scenes including water. 	 David Hockney is a contemporary artist (Y3 Sum). Traditional, modern and contemporary art definitions can only be applied to western art (Y3 Sum).
	Rivers flow into lakes and seas; seas connect to oceans (Y2 Sum).	 A collage is an artwork made by sticking pieces of paper or other materials onto a background. 	
	Artists experiment, explore and play (Y1 Aut).		
Disciplinary	 Art can be made by individual artists, or by a group of artists who collaborate (Y2 Aut). 		
cip	Artists can be inspired by the natural world (Y1 Sum).		
Dis	 Annotate the features of different artworks and the effects they have on the viewer (Y2 Spr). 		





Year 3: Autumn

Why Do We Make Art?



In this unit, pupils will create a series of animal drawings and paintings.

	Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will be built upon
Practical	 Line: Lines can vary in length, width, direction and shape (Y1 Aut). A continuous line drawing is one where the pencil does not leave the page (Y1 Aut). Control of Materials: Use a dynamic tripod group with a paintbrush (Rec & Y1 Aut). Use a flat wash brushstroke with watercolour paint (Y1 Sum). Mix colours using poster paints in a palette (Y2 Spr). Different paintbrushes are suited to different brush strokes and techniques (Y2 Spr). 	 Colour: Earthy colours are reds, browns, oranges (colours of the earth). Tertiary colours are red-orange, yellow-orange, yellow-green, bluegreen, blu	Colour: The appearance of secondary colours can vary according to the amount of each primary colour used (Y4 Spr). Control of Materials: When drawing from primary observation, artists look at the object they're drawing from. When drawing from secondary observation, artists look at a drawing or a copy of object (Y5 Sum).
Theoretical	 Pablo Picasso [1881-1973] was a Spanish artist who made art a long time ago. His Blue Period [1901-04] shows a range of tints, tones and shades in one colour (Y2 Spr). History: Prehistoric Britain refers to the study of humans before there was writing. Prehistoric Britain is split into the Stone Age (Palaeolithic, Mesolithic, Neolithic), Bronze Age and Iron Age (Y3 Sum). 	 The first artists lived in the Palaeolithic Age, between 10,000 and 40,000 years ago. Pablo Picasso was a Spanish artist. His Blue Period (1900-04) shows a range of tints, tones and shades in one colour. He was inspired by the Lascaux Cave Paintings to create line drawings of animals. Satoshi Kitamura is a Japanese author and illustrator to makes art today. He was inspired by the same cave art as Picasso. Mixed-media is artwork that uses more than one art material e.g., paint and pens. 	Picasso was a modern artist (Y3 Sum). A montage is a mixed-media artwork including collaged photographs (Y3 Sum).
Disciplinary	 Artists experiment, explore and play (Y1 Aut). Art can be made by individual artists, or by a group of artists who collaborate (Y2 Aut). Artists can be inspired by the natural world (Y1 Sum). Annotate the features of different artworks and the effects they have on the viewer (Y2 Spr). 	Creating art is something humans have done from the very beginnings of their existence.	Artists can be inspired by each other, and we can make connections between our artworks and theirs (Y3 Sum).





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Year 3: Spring

Clay Fairy Tale Tiles



In this unit, pupils will produce a clay tile to illustrate a fairy tale and will contribute to a storyboard told over several clay tiles.

	Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will be built upon
Practical	Tone: Tone is about light and dark in an artwork. A strong tone means there is a big difference (contrast) between the light and the dark areas (Y1 Spr). Form: A form is something that you can view from all sides [it is 3D]. A form can be created as a sculpture (Y1 Spr). Colour: Primary colours are red, blue and yellow. They cannot be mixed from other colours (Y1 Aut). Secondary colours are green, orange and purple. They are mixed from primary colours (Y1 Sum). Tertiary colours are red-orange, yellow-orange, yellow-green, blue-green, blue-purple, red-purple. They are mixed from one primary and one secondary colour (Y3 Aut). Artists can change the way a colour looks by making tints (adding white), tones (adding grey) and shades (adding black) (Y2 Spr). Space: Space is an area around an object. Space is created when you make a 3D sculpture (e.g. the gap between two parts of the sculpture) (Y1 Spr). Texture: Texture is how something feels. Artists can make art that tells us how something might feel, without us having to touch it. Control of Materials: Use a dynamic tripod group with a paintbrush. Mix colours using poster paints in a palette.	Tone: Tone can be created using the same pencil by pressing harder or lighter. Control of Materials: Mix colours using acrylic paints in a palette. Make a 3D sculpture using clay. Make a tile using clay. Make a raised relief by adding layers of clay. Slip is a mixture of clay and water and is used as a glue in ceramics. Scoring surfaces before adding slip means the pieces will attach more reliably.	Tone: • Tone can be created using different grades of pencil (Y4 Sum). Control of Materials: • Make a 3D sculpture that is not a raised relief tile but a more rounded object (Y4 Aut).
Theoretical	 Different paintbrushes are suited to different brush strokes and techniques. Art can be flat [2D] or something that you look around [3D] (Y1 Spr). A sculpture is an artwork can be viewed from all sides [it is 3D]. A sculptor is an artist who makes sculptures (Y1 Spr). Illustrations help to tell a story. Artists who make illustrations are called illustrators (Y2 Spr). 	Anthony Browne and Quentin Blake are both British illustrators who make art today. Ceramics is the process of making art from clay.	While illustrations help to tell a story, narrative art tells a story on its own (Y3 Sum).
Q	 Art can be made by individual artists, or by a group of artists who collaborate (Y2 Aut). 		





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Year 3: Summer

Mythology



In this unit, pupils will create their own representation of a myth using mixed media (more than one material/technique).

	Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will be built upon
Practical	Colour: Describing tints (adding white), tones (adding grey) and shades (adding black) (Y2 Spr). Control of Materials: Take photographs using cameras/tablets (Y2 Aut).	Control of Materials: • A tableau vivant is made by standing still to represent the figures in a story.	
Theoretical	 Abstract art is art that does not try to look like things in the real world. Representational art tries to look like things in the real world (Y1 Aut). Artists studied so far, to consider whether they are traditional, modern or contemporary artists. Illustrations help to tell a story. Artists who make illustrations are called illustrators (Y2 Spr). A collage is an artwork made by sticking pieces of paper or other materials onto a background (Y2 Sum). Mixed-media is artwork that uses more than one art material e.g., paint and pens (Y3 Aut). History: The Ancient Greeks Ancient Greeks believed in multiple gods and wrote myths (Y3 Sum). 	 Raphael is traditional Italian artist who made art around 1500-1520. Van Gogh is a modern Dutch artist who made art around 1880-1890. Chris Ofili is a contemporary British painter who makes art today (1990s -). Frank Auerbach is a contemporary German-British painter who makes art today (1960s-today). Traditional art describes everything from early Christian art to the 1850s and is usually representational. Modern art describes art made from around the 1850s to the 1970s. Modern artists wanted their art to show how they felt. It was more abstract than representational. Contemporary art describes artwork being made by living artists, or art that has been made recently (e.g., 1980s onwards). Contemporary art can be anything and artists create work using traditional, modern and other techniques. Traditional, modern and contemporary art definitions can only be applied to western art. Artists can arrange objects or images in a composition. A montage is a mixed-media artwork including collaged photographs. Traditional composition is often made up of foreground, midground and background. Perspective is the way a flat (2D) image looks deep (3D). Illustrations help to tell a story. Artists who make illustrations are called illustrators. Narrative art tells a story on its own. 	 Applying knowledge of traditional, modern and contemporary to all future artists studied. A still life is a genre of artwork that shows a collection of objects (Y4 Sum). Expressive art conveys emotions and feelings. There are more examples of expressive art in modern and contemporary than traditional art. Expressive art can be representational or abstract (Y5 Spr).
Disc.	Annotate the features of different artworks and the effects they have on the viewer (Y2 Spr).	 Artists make choices about materials that are appropriate for their composition. Artists can be inspired by each other, and we can make connections between our artworks and theirs. 	Annotate my artwork with connections to another artist's work (Y4 Aut). Compare in detail the artwork of two artists (Y5 Aut)





Year 4: Autumn

Pattern and Pumpkins



In this unit, pupils will make a three-dimensional clay model of a pumpkin.

		Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will be built upon
:	sculpture (Y1 Spr) Colour: Primary colours are Secondary colours are Tertiary colours are They are mixed from oranges (colours of Pattern: Patterns can be cre Texture:	g that you can view from all sides [it is 3D]. A form can be created as a red, blue and yellow. They cannot be mixed from other colours (Y1 Aut). are green, orange and purple. They are mixed from primary colours (Y1 Sum). red-orange, yellow-orange, yellow-green, blue-green, blue-purple, red-purple. In one primary and one secondary colour. Earthy colours are reds, browns, if the earth) (Y3 Aut).	Control of Materials: Collagraphic printmaking is a process in which materials are built up on a plate to be printed from.	Application and further embedding of formal elements and control of materials throughout Y5 and Y6.
	Painting – Use of dy Ceramics – Make a glue in ceramics. So (Y3 Spr). Printing – Press pri Monoprint onto pap	ething feels. Artists can make art that tells us how something might feel, o touch it (Y2 Aut). ynamic tripod group with a paintbrush with acrylic paints. 3D sculpture using clay. Slip is a mixture of clay and water and is used as a coring surfaces before adding slip means the pieces will attach more reliably ont onto paper or fabric using the natural colour of the leaves (Y1 Sum). ver. Create a plate to make a press print. Press print onto paper or fabric using r paint) with a roller (Y2 Aut).		
:	sculptures (Y1 Spr). Ceramics is the pro Traditional art descrepresentational. M wanted their art to s art describes artwo	cess of making art from clay (Y3 Spr). ribes everything from early Christian art to the 1850s and is usually odern art describes art made from around the 1850s-1970s. Modern artists show how they felt. It was more abstract than representational. Contemporary rk being made by living artists, or art that has been made recently (e.g., 1980s to orary art can be anything and artists create work using traditional, modern	Yayoi Kusama is a contemporary Japanese artist who makes art today (1950s-today). Her work includes paintings and sculptures.	
i	• Artists can be inspired theirs (Y3 Sum).	red by the natural world (Y1 Sum). red by each other, and we can make connections between our artworks and es of different artworks and the effects they have on the viewer (Y2 Spr).	Annotate my artwork with connections to another artist's work.	Compare in detail the artwork of two artists (Y5 Aut)





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Year 4: Spring

Tropical Rainforest Watercolour



In this unit pupils will use watercolours, oil pastels and wax resist to create a collage of leaves.

	Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will be built upon
Practical	 Line: A continuous line drawing is one where the pencil does not leave the page (Y1 Aut). Colour: Primary colours are red, blue and yellow. They cannot be mixed from other colours (Y1 Aut). Secondary colours are green, orange and purple. They are mixed from primary colours (Y1 Sum). Tertiary colours are red-orange, yellow-orange, yellow-green, blue-green, blue-purple, red-purple. They are mixed from one primary and one secondary colour (Y3 Aut). Artists can change the way a colour looks by making tints (adding white), tones (adding grey) and shades (adding black) (Y2 Spr). Control of Materials: Use the wax resist technique using watercolour paints (Y1 Sum) Use flat wash (Y1 Sum) stippling, tapered and dry brushstrokes with watercolour paint (Y2 Sum). Use wet on wet and opaque to translucent techniques. Use different amounts of water to create more opaque and more translucent colours (Y2 Sum). Different paintbrushes are suited to different brush strokes and techniques (Y2 Sum). When drawing from observation artists look at the object they're drawing from (Y3 Aut). 	Colour: The appearance of secondary colours can vary according to the amount of each primary colour used. Control of Materials: Mix colours using watercolour paints in a palette.	Application and further embedding of formal elements and control of materials throughout Y5 and Y6.
Theoretical	 Traditional art describes everything from early Christian art to the 1850s and is usually representational. Modern art describes art made from around the 1850s to the 1970s. Modern artists wanted their art to show how they felt. It was more abstract than representational. Contemporary art describes artwork being made by living artists, or art that has been made recently (e.g., 1980s onwards). Contemporary art can be anything and artists create work using traditional, modern and other techniques (Y3 Sum). Traditional, modern and contemporary art definitions can only be applied to western art (Y3 Sum). Artists can arrange objects or images in a composition. Traditional composition is often made up of foreground, midground and background (Y3 Sum). Geography: Tropical rainforest is a biome with a hot and wet climate (Y4 Spr). 	Henri Rousseau was a French modern artist who produced art around 1750-1780. Henri Matisse was a French modern artist who produced paper cuttings around 1940s-1950s. Abel Rodriguez is a Colombian contemporary artist who grew up in the Amazon rainforest. A viewfinder can be used to identify an interesting section within a composition.	Application of viewfinder in future units.
a	Artists can be inspired by the natural world (Y1 Sum).		





Year 4: Summer

My Favourite Things



In this unit, pupils will produce a series of observational drawings and a developed tonal drawing of a still life.

	Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will be built upon
Practical	 Line: A continuous line drawing is one where the pencil does not leave the page (Y1 Aut). Tone: Tone is about light and dark in an artwork. A strong tone means there is a big difference (contrast) between the light and the dark areas. Doing the same thing with different materials - like pencil, fineliner, biro, felt tip - can create a different tone (Y1 Spr). Tone can be created using the same pencil by pressing harder or lighter (Y3 Spr). Space: Space is an area around an object. Space is created when you make a 3D sculpture (e.g. the gap between two parts of the sculpture) (Y1 Spr). Shape: Drawing can be about representing flat objects using shapes on paper (Y1 Sum). Texture: Texture is how something feels. Artists can make art that tells us how something might feel, without us having to touch it (Y2 Aut). 	 Tone: Tone can be created using different grades of pencil. Shape: Drawing can be about representing 3D forms with 2D shapes on paper. Form: A form can be represented using tone in a 2D artwork. Control of Materials Arrange a 3D composition by considering size, shape, texture and space between objects. 	Tone: Tone can be created using white pens and pencils, which highlight areas of the artwork (Y5 Aut). Linear shading is a method of creating tone, often with a pen (Y5 Aut). Examples of linear shading include hatching, cross hatching and contoured hatching (Y5 Aut). Control of Materials: Cut, shape and manipulate existing objects to create a sculpture (Y6 Aut).
Theoretical	 Traditional, modern and contemporary art (Y3 Sum). Artists can arrange objects or images in a composition. Traditional composition is often made up of foreground, midground and background (Y3 Sum). Perspective is the way a flat (2D) image looks deep (3D). A viewfinder can be used to identify an interesting section within a composition. 	 Joseph Cornell was an American modern artist who made assemblages. An assemblage is a 3D artwork usually made of found objects. A still life is a genre of artwork that shows a collection of objects. 	 Installation art is designed to fill a specific space, often for a particular length of time (Y6 Aut). An exhibition is a display of artwork. It is curated by a curator (Y6 Aut).
Disc.	 Artists can be inspired by hidden details in seemingly ordinary objects (Y2 Aut). Artists can be inspired by the artificial (man-made) world (Y2 Aut). Annotate the features of different artworks and the effects they have on the viewer (Y2 Spr) and annotate my artwork with connections to another artist's work (Y4 Aut). 	Artists can be inspired by their own experiences and stories.	Artists can be inspired to bring difficult or contentious issues to light and provoke debate and discussion (Y6 Aut).





Year 5: Autumn

Illustration & Narrative Art



In this unit pupils will create a storyboard to illustrate a chosen text and create art digitally.

	Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will be built upon
Practical	 Tone: Tone is about light and dark in an artwork. A strong tone means there is a big difference (contrast) between the light and the dark areas. Tone can be created by 1. doing the same thing with different materials like pencil, fineliner, biro, felt tip (Y1 Spr), 2. using the same pencil but pressing harder or lighter (Y3 Spr), or 3. Using different grades of pencil (Y4 Sum). Shape: Drawing can be about representing 3D forms with 2D shapes on paper. Form: A form can be represented using tone in a 2D artwork. 	 Tone: Tone can be created using white pens and pencils, which highlight areas of the artwork. Linear shading is a method of creating tone, often with a pen. Examples of linear shading include hatching, cross hatching and contoured hatching. Control of Materials: Design figures and characters in software programmes (e.g. PowerPoint). 	Application and further embedding of formal elements and control of materials throughout Y5 and Y6.
Theoretical	 Leonardo Da Vinci was an Italian artist who lived a very long time ago [1470s-1500s]. He created artwork that was inspired by nature, including leaf prints and observational drawings of living things (Y1 Sum). Raphael is traditional Italian artist who made art around 1500-1520 (Y3 Sum). Traditional art describes everything from early Christian art to the 1850s and is usually representational. Modern art describes art made from around the 1850s to the 1970s. Modern artists wanted their art to show how they felt. It was more abstract than representational. Contemporary art describes artwork being made by living artists, or art that has been made recently (e.g., 1980s onwards). Contemporary art can be anything and artists create work using traditional, modern and other techniques (Y3 Sum). Traditional composition is often made up of foreground, midground and background. Perspective is the way a flat (2D) image looks deep (3D). Illustrations help to tell a story. Artists who make illustrations are called illustrators (Y2 Spr). Narrative art tells a story on its own (Y3 Sum). 	 Mel Tregonning was an Australian contemporary illustrator. Marjane Satrapi is an Iranian contemporary illustrator. Raphael, Michelangelo and Leonardo are traditional artists whose narrative art told stories around the 1500s. 	
Disciplinary	 Artists can be inspired by their own experiences and stories (Y4 Sum). Annotate the features of different artworks and the effects they have on the viewer (Y2 Spr). 	 Artists can make mood boards to help them collect and shape ideas. Compare the artwork of two artists. Write as an art historian to analyse artists and their artworks. 	Artists can be inspired to bring difficult or contentious issues to light and provoke debate and discussion (Y6 Aut).





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Year 5: Spring

Journeys



In this unit pupils will create a mixed media outcome based on maps they've studied.

_	_ [Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will build
	Practical	 Line: Lines can vary in length, width, direction and shape (Y1 Aut). Colour: Primary colours are red, blue and yellow. They cannot be mixed from other colours (Y1 Aut). Secondary colours are green, orange and purple. They are mixed from primary colours (Y1 Sum). Tertiary colours are red-orange, yellow-orange, yellow-green, blue-green, blue-purple, red-purple. They are mixed from one primary and one secondary colour (Y3 Aut). Artists can change the way a colour looks by making tints (adding white), tones (adding grey) and shades (adding black) (Y2 Spr) or by varying the amount of each primary colour used to mix it (Y4 Spr). Pattern: Patterns can be created with a series of repeated marks (Y1 Spr). Control of Materials: Different paintbrushes are suited to different brush strokes and techniques (Y2 Spr). Printing – press printing (Y2 Aut) and collagraphic printing (Y4 Aut). D&T: Use a needle and thread (e.g. running stitch) in artwork. 		Application and further embedding of formal elements and control of materials throughout Y5 and Y6.
	Theoretical	 Abstract art is art that does not try to look like things in the real world. Representational art tries to look like things in the real world (Y1 Aut). Traditional, modern and contemporary art (Y3 Sum). A collage is an artwork made by sticking pieces of paper or other materials onto a background. Mixed-media is artwork that uses more than one art material e.g., paint and pens. Perspective is the way a flat (2D) image looks deep (3D). Illustrations help to tell a story. Artists who make illustrations are called illustrators (Y2 Spr). Narrative art tells a story on its own (Y3 Sum). 	Richard Long is a British contemporary artist who creates abstract artwork (1960s-2020s). Frida Kahlo was a Mexican modern artist around 1930s-1940s. Lubaina Himid is a British contemporary artist who creates representational paintings (1980s-2020s). Mona Hatoum is a Palestinian contemporary artist. William Grill is a British contemporary illustrator and author. Artwork does not have to be abstract or representational. It is a spectrum. Some artworks are representational (so you can recognise the objects from the real world) but they don't look realistic. Expressive art conveys emotions and feelings. There are more examples of expressive art in modern and contemporary than traditional art. Expressive art can be representational or a bstract.	Further study of theme of displacement in artworks (Y6 Spr).
	Δ	 Artists make choices that are appropriate for their composition (Y3 Sum). Artists can be inspired by each other, and we can make connections between our artworks and theirs (Y3 Sum). Artists can be inspired by their own experiences and stories (Y4 Sum). Write as an art historian to analyse artists and their artworks (Y5 Aut). 		





Year 5: Summer

Pattern and Sculpture



In this unit pupils will create a three-dimensional paper sculpture as part of a collaborative installation.

	Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will be built upon
Practical	 Tone: Tone is about light and dark in an artwork. Tone can be created by 1. doing the same thing with different materials like pencil, fineliner, biro, felt tip (Y1 Spr), 2. using the same pencil but pressing harder or lighter (Y3 Spr), 3. Using different grades of pencil (Y4 Sum), or 4. Using a white pencil to add highlights (Y5 Aut). Space: Space is an area around an object. Space is created when you make a 3D sculpture (e.g. the gap between two parts of the sculpture). (Y1 Spr). Form: A form can be represented using tone in a 2D artwork (Y4 Aut). Colour: Artists can change the way a colour looks by making tints (adding white), tones (adding grey) and shades (adding black) (Y2 Spr) or by varying the amount of each primary colour used to mix it (Y4 Spr). Texture: Texture is how something feels. Artists can make art that tells us how something might feel, without us having to touch it (Y2 Aut). Control of Materials: Painting – Mix watercolours. Use a dynamic tripod group with a paintbrush. Use flat wash (Y1 Sum), stippling, tapered and dry brushstrokes with watercolour paint (Y2 Sum). Use wet on wet and opaque to translucent techniques. Use different amounts of water to create more opaque and more translucent techniques. Use different amounts of water to create more opaque and more translucent techniques (Y2 Sum). Different paintbrushes are suited to different brush strokes and techniques (Y2 Sum). When drawing from observation artists look at the object they're drawing from (Y3 Aut). 	Control of Materials: Origami is a Japanese artform of creating 3D models by folding a piece of paper. When drawing from primary observation, artists look at the object they're drawing from. When drawing from secondary observation, artists look at a drawing or a copy of object.	Observational drawing is a key skill that will be revisited throughout the art education the pupils will receive (Y6 and KS3) Application and further embedding of formal elements and control of materials throughout Y6 and KS3.
Theoretical	 A sculpture is an artwork can be viewed from all sides [it is 3D]. A sculptor is an artist who makes sculptures (Y1 Spr). Artwork does not have to be abstract or representational. It is a spectrum. Some artworks are representational (so you can recognise the objects from the real world) but they don't look realistic (Y5 Spr). Expressive art conveys emotions and feelings. There are more examples of expressive art in modern and contemporary than traditional art. Expressive art can be representational or abstract (Y5 Spr). 	 Jackie Morris is a British contemporary artist. Mark Hearld is a British contemporary artist. 	
٥	Artists can be inspired by the natural world (Y1 Sum).		





Year 6: Autumn

Recycled Materials Installation



In this unit, pupils will create a collaborative installation using plastic waste.

	Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will be built upon
Practical	 Space: Space is an area around an object. Space is created when you make a 3D sculpture (e.g. the gap between two parts of the sculpture) (Y1 Spr). Space can be found around existing objects and used to create art (Y2 Aut). Form: A form is something that you can view from all sides [it is 3D] (Y1 Spr). A form can be created as a sculpture (Y1 Spr). 	Control of Materials: • Cut, shape and manipulate existing objects to create a sculpture.	Application and further embedding of formal elements and control of materials throughout Y6 and KS3.
Theoretical	 Artists can arrange objects or images in a composition (Y3 Sum). Traditional composition is often made up of foreground, midground and background (Y3 Sum). Artwork does not have to be abstract or representational. It is a spectrum. Some artworks are representational (so you can recognise the objects from the real world) but they don't look realistic (Y5 Spr). 	 Katharine Harvey is a Canadian contemporary artist who makes large-scale installations. Ifeoma Anyaeji is a Nigerian contemporary artist and sculptor. Serge Attukwei Clottey is a Ghanaian contemporary arist who creates installations. Veronika Richterová is a Czech contemporary artist. Installation art is designed to fill a specific space, often for a particular length of time. An exhibition is a display of artwork. It is curated by a curator. 	Further use of collaborative installation art (Y6 Sum).
Disciplinary	 Art can be made by individual artists, or by a group of artists who collaborate (Y2 Aut). Artists make choices about materials that are appropriate for their composition (Y3 Sum). Artists can be inspired by the natural world (Y1 Sum) and the artificial world (Y2 Aut). Artists can be inspired by each other, and we can make connections between our artworks and theirs (Y3 Sum). Write as an art historian to analyse artists and their artworks (Y5 Aut). 	 Artists can be inspired to bring difficult or contentious issues – such as climate change or plastic pollution – to light and provoke debate and discussion. Curate an exhibition, deciding how the artwork will be displayed. 	Artists can be inspired to bring difficult or contentious issues – such as the legacy of the British Empire – to light and provoke debate and discussion (Y6 Sum).





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Year 6: Spring

Displacement (/Challenges)



In this unit pupils will be encouraged to design and create their own independent outcome in any media.

NB: The context for this unit is Displacement, linked to the Geography unit 'On the Move'. Some pupils may have first-hand experience of displacement and may be asylum seekers or refugees themselves. This unit provides an opportunity to empower pupils to use their experiences as motivation or inspiration for their art, and to take ownership of how their story is shared. However, this may not be appropriate for all pupils. You may instead prefer to focus on the wider themes of 'Challenges'.

	Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will build
Practical	 Tone: Tone is about light and dark in an artwork. Tone can be created by 1. doing the same thing with different materials like pencil, fineliner, biro, felt tip (Y1 Spr), 2. using the same pencil but pressing harder or lighter (Y3 Spr), 3. Using different grades of pencil (Y4 Sum), or 4. Using a white pencil to add highlights (Y5 Aut). Colour: Primary colours are red, blue and yellow. They cannot be mixed from other colours (Y1 Aut). Secondary colours are green, orange and purple. They are mixed from primary colours (Y1 Sum). Tertiary colours are red-orange, yellow-orange, yellow-green, blue-green, blue-purple, red-purple. They are mixed from one primary and one secondary colour (Y3 Aut). Artists can change the way a colour looks by making tints (adding white), tones (adding grey) and shades (adding black) (Y2 Spr) or by varying the amount of each colour used to mix it (Y4 Spr). Control of Materials: 		Application and further embedding of formal elements and control of materials throughout Y6 and KS3.
Theoretical	 Range of painting and drawing techniques as taught so far (depending on pupils' choice). Wassily Kandinsky was a Russian artist who lived a long time ago [1910s-1920s] (Y1 Aut). Van Gogh is a modern Dutch artist who made art around 1880-1890 (Y3 Sum). Frank Auerbach is a contemporary German-British painter (1960s-) (Y3 Sum). Henri Matisse was a French modern artist who produced paper cuttings 1940s-1950s (Y4 Spr). Frida Kahlo was a Mexican modern artist around 1930s-1940s (Y5 Spr). Expressive art conveys emotions and feelings. There are more examples of expressive art in modern and contemporary than traditional art. Expressive art can be representational or abstract (Y5 Spr). 	Displacement: • Kurt Schwitters was a modern German artist. • Judith Kerr was a contemporary German-British illustrator. Challenges: • Camille Pissaro was a French modern artist. • Stephen Wiltshire is a contemporary British artist.	
Disciplinary	 Artists make choices about materials that are appropriate for their composition (Y3 Sum). Artists can be inspired by their own experiences and stories (Y4 Sum). Artists can be inspired to bring difficult or contentious issues to light and provoke debate and discussion (Y6 Aut). Write as an art historian to analyse artists and their artworks (Y5 Aut). 	Develop an independent response to a given theme.	Pupils will work with increasing independence and choice as they progress to KS3.





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Year 6: Summer

Art and Identity



In this unit, pupils will produce a collaborative outcome in the style of Boyce's Devotional, celebrating diversity in the UK.

	Knowledge to be reviewed	Knowledge to be explicitly taught	How knowledge will be built upon
Practical	 Tone: Tone is about light and dark in an artwork. Tone can be created by 1. doing the same thing with different materials like pencil, fineliner, biro, felt tip (Y1 Spr), 2. using the same pencil but pressing harder or lighter (Y3 Spr), 3. Using different grades of pencil (Y4 Sum), or 4. Using a white pencil to add highlights (Y5 Aut). Linear shading is a method of creating tone, often with a pen. Examples of linear shading include hatching, cross hatching and contoured hatching. (Y5 Spr). Shape: Drawing can be about representing 3D forms with 2D shapes on paper (Y4 Sum). Form: A form can be represented using tone in a 2D artwork (Y4 Sum). Colour: Colours can be used to represent emotions. For example, red can represent anger and blue can represent sadness (Y2 Spr). Control of Materials: When drawing from primary observation, artists look at the object they're drawing from. When drawing from secondary observation, artists look at a drawing or a copy of object (Y5 Sum). 	Control of Materials • Draw the human face and its features in proportion using pencil.	Drawing of the human body in the correct proportion in pencil (KS3). Application and further embedding of formal elements and control of materials throughout Y6 and KS3.
Theoretical	 A montage is a mixed-media artwork including collaged photographs (Y3 Sum). Artwork does not have to be abstract or representational. It is a spectrum. Some artworks are representational (so you can recognise the objects from the real world) but they don't look realistic (Y5 Spr). Expressive art conveys emotions and feelings. There are more examples of expressive art in modern and contemporary than traditional art. Expressive art can be representational or abstract (Y5 Spr). Installation art is designed to fill a specific space, often for a particular length of time (Y6 Aut). An exhibition is a display of artwork. It is curated by a curator (Y6 Aut). 	Yinka Shonibare is a contemporary British-Nigerian artist (1990s-2020s). Sonia Boyce is a contemporary British artist (1980s-2020s).	
Disciplinary	 Artists make choices about materials that are appropriate for their composition (Y3 Sum). Artists can make mood boards to help them collect and shape ideas (Y5 Aut). Artists can be inspired by each other, and we can make connections between our artworks and theirs (Y3 Sum). Artists can be inspired by their own experiences and stories (Y4 Sum) and can be inspired to bring difficult or contentious issues to light and provoke debate and discussion (Y6 Aut). Curate an exhibition, deciding how the artwork will be displayed (Y6 Aut). 		





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Year 1

Leonardo Da Vinci 1452-1519



Claude Monet 1840-1926



Wassily Kandinsky 1866-1944



Paul Klee 1879-1940



Piet Mondrian 1872-1944



Charles McGee

(Frances Hatch)

(Emily Haworth-Booth)

Year 2

Katsushika Hokusai 1750-1849



Claude Monet 1840-1926



Pablo Picasso 1881-1973



(Boyle Family) Active c.1960-



Zaha Hadid 1950-2016



David Hockney 1937-



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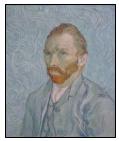
Year 3

Lascaux Cave Art 17 000 – 15 000 BC Raphael 1483-1520 Vincent Van Gogh 1833-1898 Frank Auerbach 1931(Quentin Blake) 1932(Anthony Browne)

(Satoshi Kitamura) 1937Chris Ofili 1968-











Year 4

Henri Rousseau 1844-1910



Henri Matisse 1869-1954



Joseph Cornell 1903-1972



Yayoi Kusama



(Abel Rodriguez) 1941-

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Year 5

Leonardo 1452-1519

Raphael 1483-1520 Michelangelo

1475-1564

Frida Kahlo 1907-1954 Mona Hatoum 1952-

Richard Long 1945-

Lubaina Himid 1954-

Jackie Morris 1961Marjane Satrapi 1969-

Mark Hearld 1974Mel Tregonning 1983-2014

William Grill 1990-











Year 6

Camille Pissarro 1830-1903

Kurt Schwitters 1887-1948

Judith Kerr 1923-2019

Sonia Boyce 1962-

Yinka Shonibare

1962-

Katharine Harvey 1963-

Veronika Richterová 1964-

Stephen Wiltshire 1974 -

Ifeoma Anyaeji 1981-

Serge Attukwei Clottey 1985-





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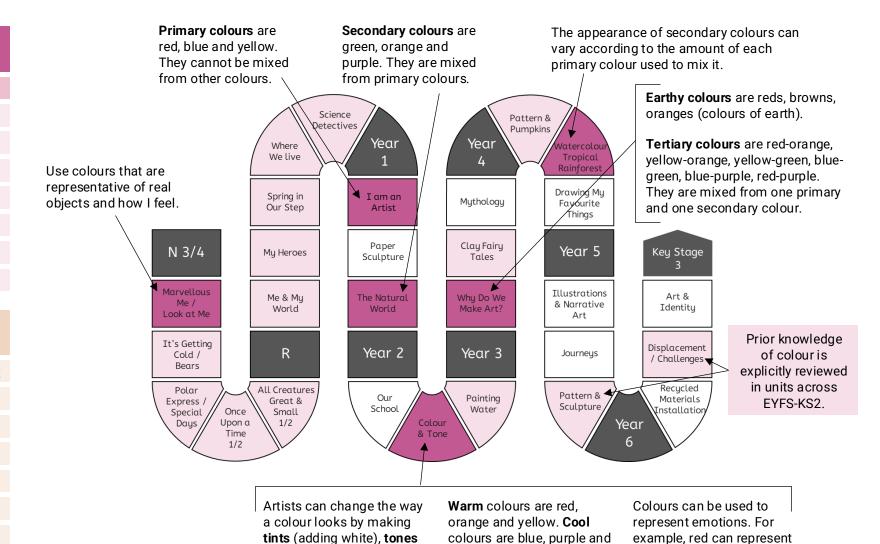
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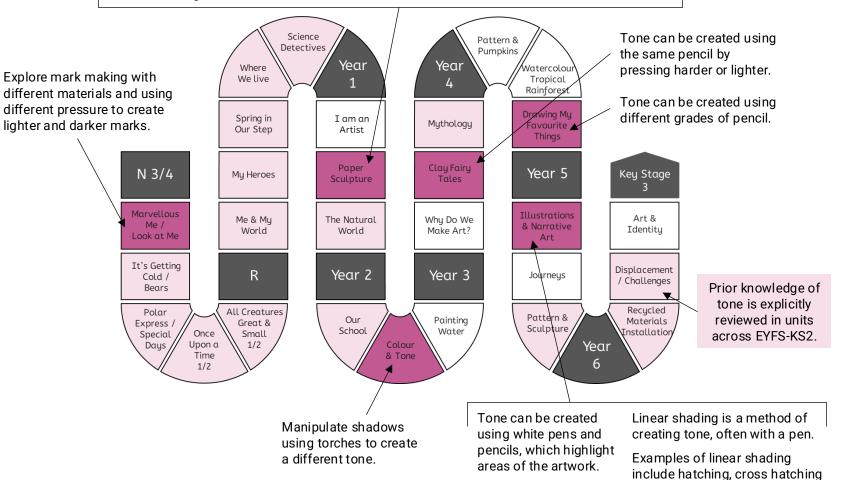
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Tone is about light and dark in an artwork. A strong tone means there is a big difference (contrast) between the light and the dark areas.

Doing the same thing with different materials - like pencil, fineliner, biro, felt tip can create a different tone. Shadows are an area of darkness that can be created by a sculpture or other 3D object.







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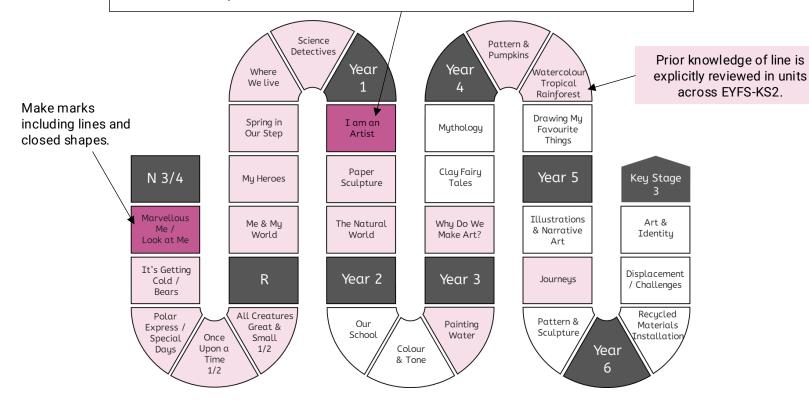
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A line is a mark made on a surface that joins different points.

Lines can vary in length, width, direction and shape.

A continuous line drawing is one where the pencil does not leave the page.

Doing the same thing with different materials - like pencil, crayon, pens, charcoal - can create different lines.











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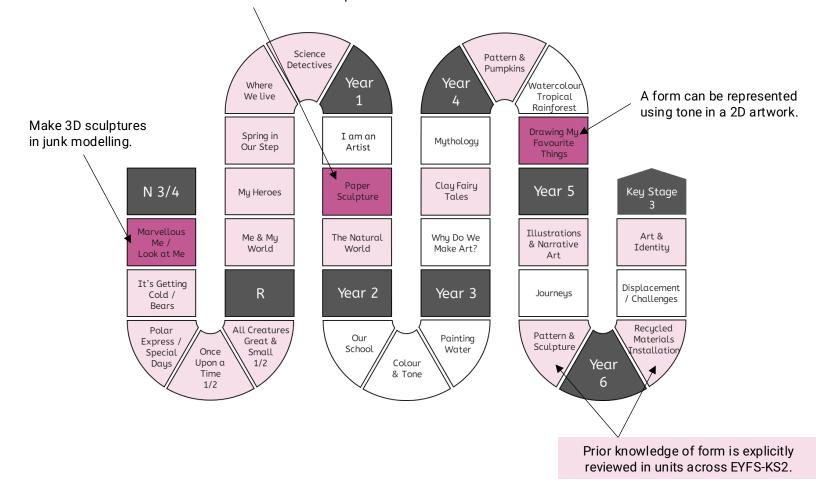
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A form is something that you can view from all sides [it is 3D].

A form can be created as a sculpture.









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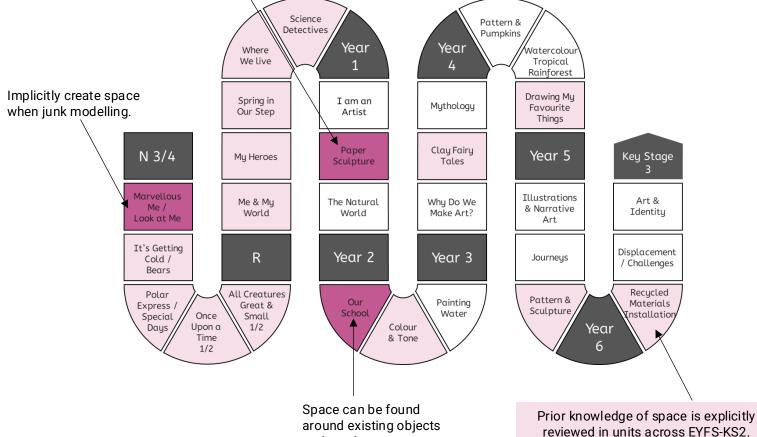
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Space is an area around an object.
Space is created when you make a
3D sculpture (e.g. the gap between
two parts of the sculpture).



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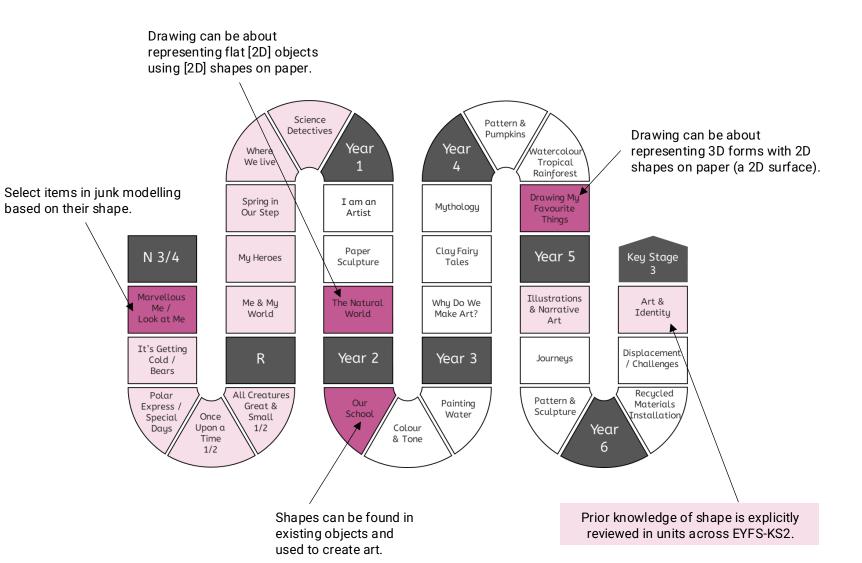
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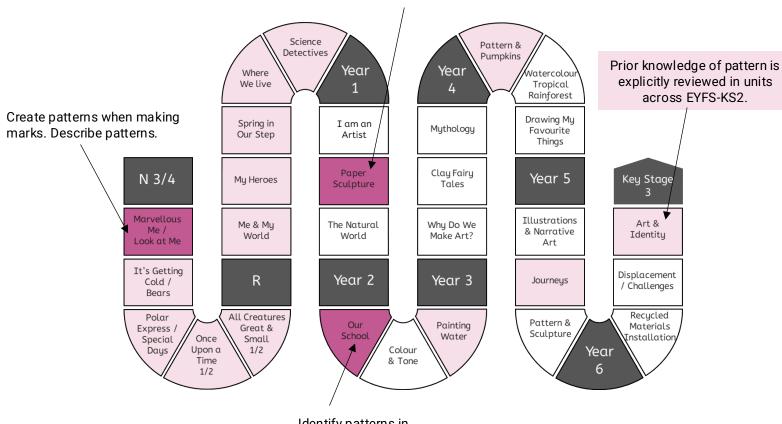
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Patterns can be created with a series of repeated marks like dots and lines.



Identify patterns in the world around us.







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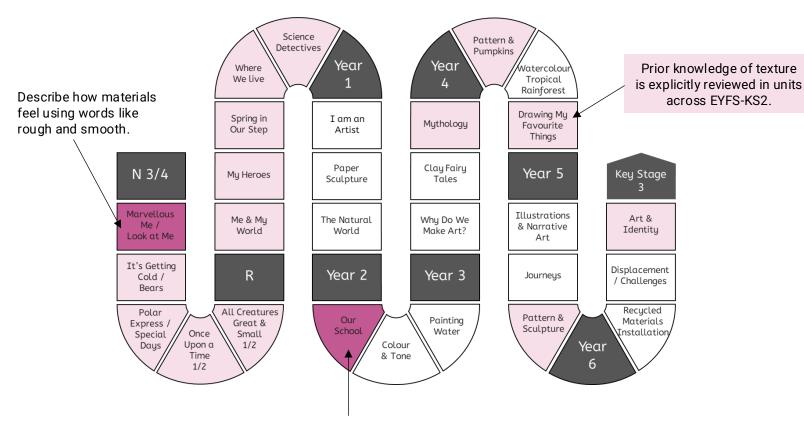
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Texture is how something feels. Artists can make art that tells us how something might feel, without us having to touch it.







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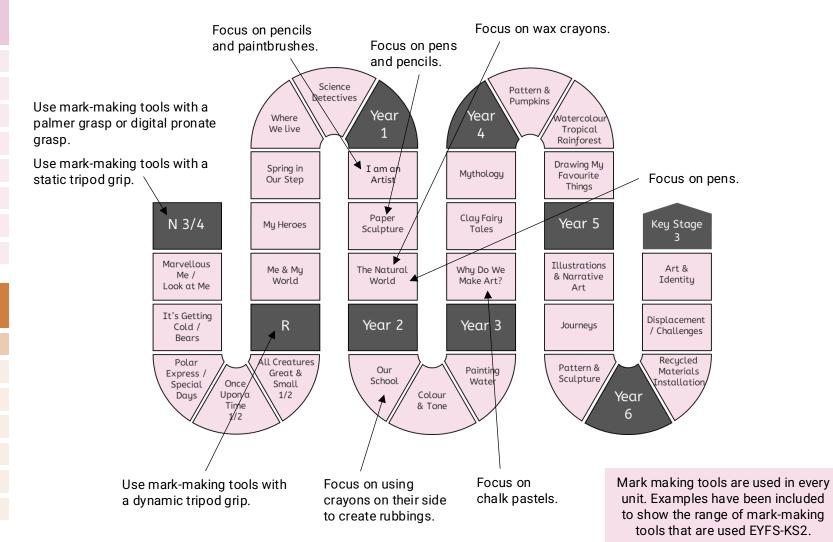
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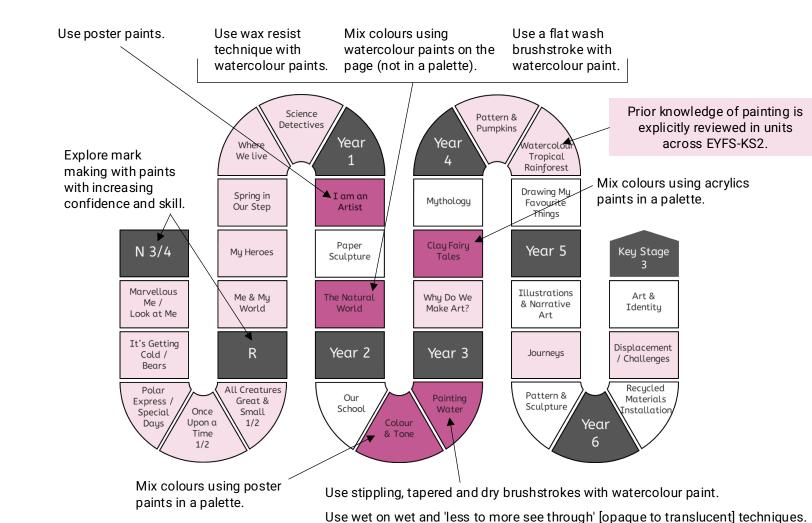
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Use different amounts of water to create stronger [more opaque] and weaker [more

Different paintbrushes are suited to different brush strokes and techniques.



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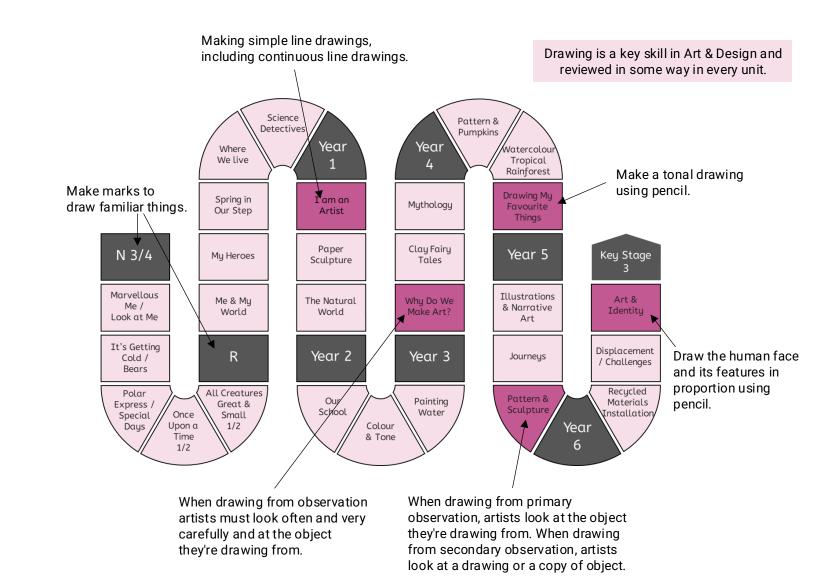
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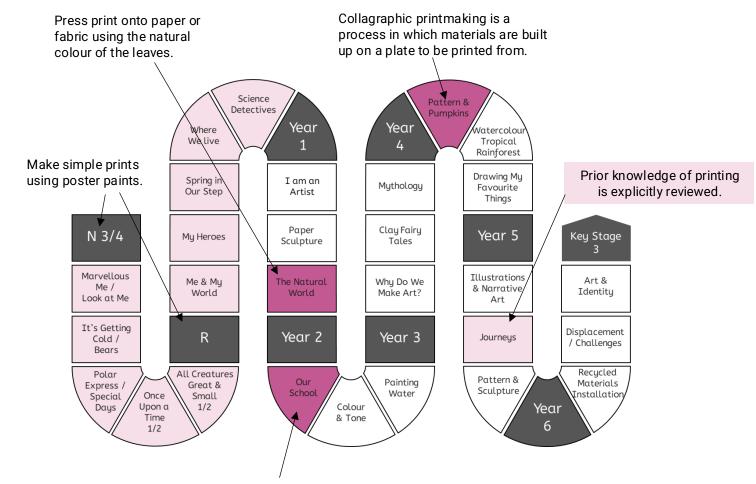
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Using crayons to transfer texture and pattern from existing surfaces.

Monoprint onto paper.

Create a plate to make a press print. Apply ink (or paint) with a roller. Press print onto paper or fabric using a plate.







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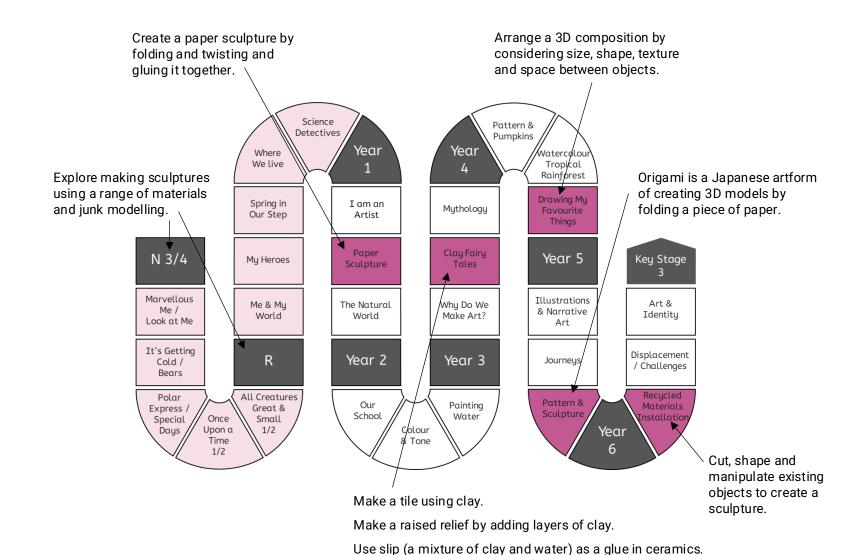
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Score surfaces before adding slip to help the pieces attach more reliably.



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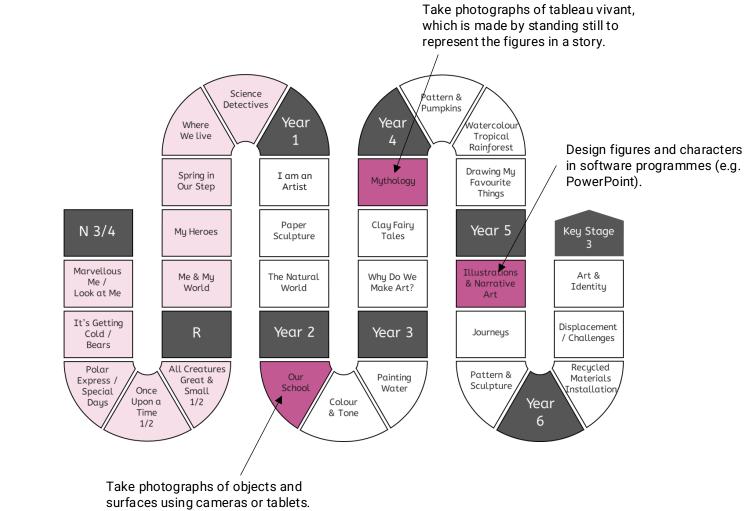
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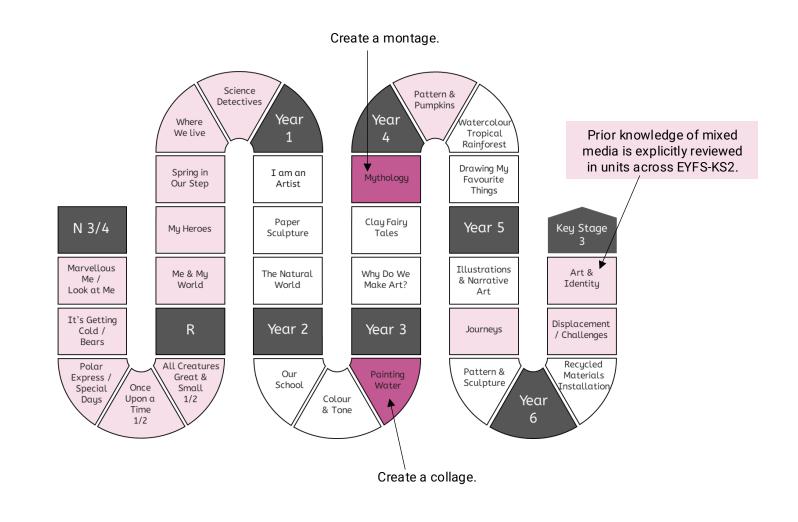
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Progression in Theoretical Knowledge



Different Artworks

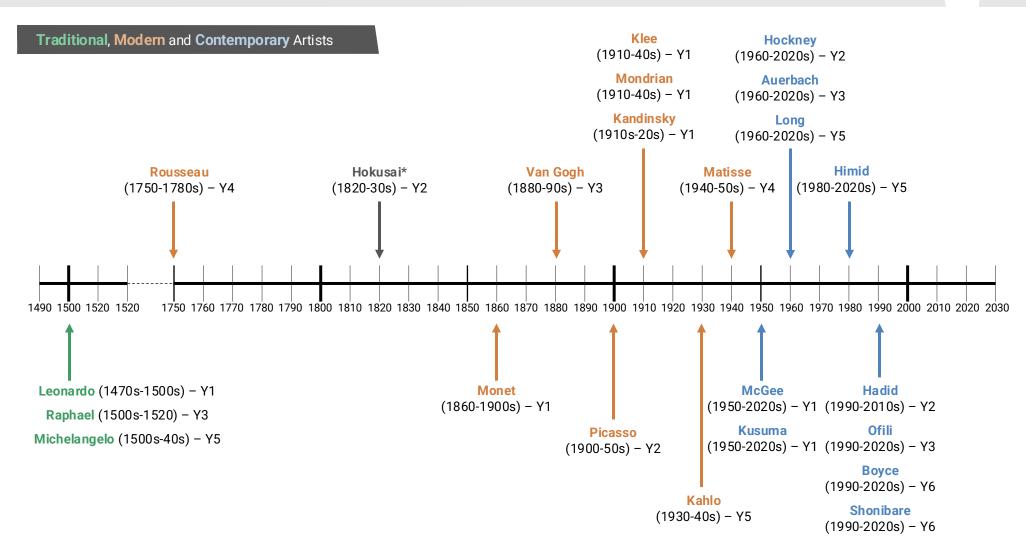
EYFS	 Illustrations are the pictures in a book that tell a story. Different artists make art in different ways.
Y1	 Abstract art is art that does not try to look like things in the real world. Instead, it is made up of shapes, colors, and lines that might not look like anything you recognize. Representational art tries to look like things in the real world, such as people, animals, or objects. When you look at representational art, you can usually tell what it is supposed to be. Art can be flat [2D] or something that you look around [3D]. A sculpture is an artwork can be viewed from all sides [it is 3D]. A sculptor is an artist who makes sculptures.
Y2	 • Illustrations help to tell a story. Artists who make illustrations are called illustrators. • A collage is an artwork made by sticking pieces of paper or other materials onto a background.
Y3	 Mixed-media is artwork that uses more than one art material e.g., paint and pens. Ceramics is the process of making art from clay. A montage is a mixed-media artwork including collaged photographs. Traditional art describes everything from early Christian art to the 1850s and is usually representational. Modern art describes art made from around the 1850s to the 1970s. Modern artists wanted their art to show how they felt. It was more abstract than representational. Contemporary art describes artwork being made by living artists, or art that has been made recently (e.g., 1980s onwards). Contemporary art can be anything and artists create work using traditional, modern and other techniques. Traditional, modern and contemporary art definitions can only be applied to western art. Artists can arrange objects or images in a composition. Traditional composition is often made up of foreground, midground and background. Perspective is the way a flat (2D) image looks deep (3D). Illustrations help to tell a story. Narrative art tells a story on its own.
Y4	 A viewfinder can be used to identify an interesting section within a composition. An assemblage is a 3D artwork usually made of found objects. A still life is a genre of artwork that shows a collection of objects.
Y 5	 Artwork does not have to be abstract or representational. It is a spectrum. Some artworks are representational (so you can recognise the objects from the real world), but they don't look realistic. Expressive art conveys emotions and feelings. There are more examples of expressive art in modern and contemporary than traditional art. Expressive art can be representational or abstract.
Y6	 Installation art is designed to fill a specific space, often for a particular length of time. An exhibition is a display of artwork. It is curated by a curator.





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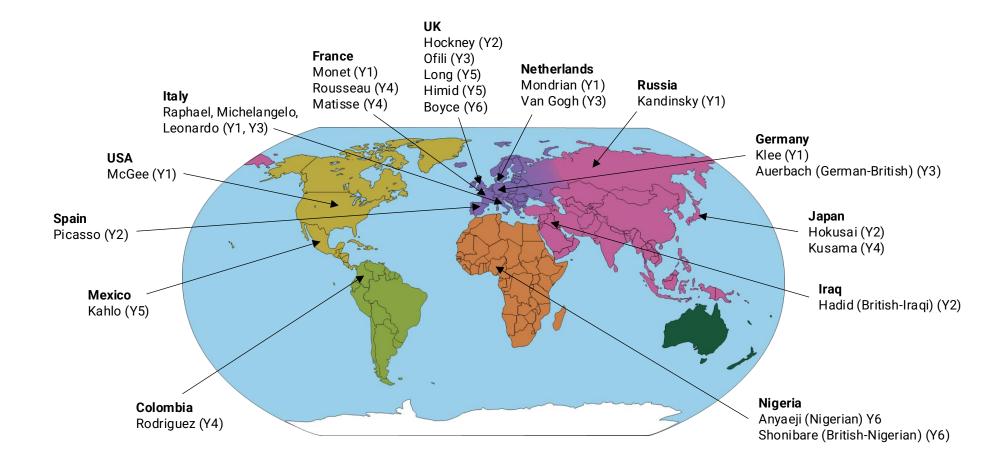




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Artists from around the world





Progression in Disciplinary Knowledge



	What do artists do?	What inspires artists?	Understanding Artworks
EYFS	Artists explore and play.	Artists can be inspired by the stories they read.	Make statements about my artwork.
Y1	 Artists experiment, explore and play. A sketchbook is a special book that artists use. 	Artists can be inspired by the natural world.	Review the above. Discuss the work of artists, including our own.
Y2	 Review the above. Artists often create art for its own sake. Designers create things that are useful and have a purpose. Sometimes artists are designers who create art for a specific purpose. Architects are artists and designers who design buildings. Art can be made by individual artists, or by a group of artists who collaborate. 	 Review the above. Artists can be inspired by hidden details in seemingly ordinary objects. Artists can be inspired by the artificial (manmade) world. 	Review the above. Label the features of different artworks with key words.
Y3	 Review the above. Creating art is something humans have done from the very beginnings of their existence. Artists make choices about materials that are appropriate for their composition. 	Review the above. Artists can be inspired by each other, and we can make connections between our artworks and theirs.	Review the above. Annotate the features of different artworks and the effects they have on the viewer.
Y4	• Review the above.	Review the above. Artists can be inspired by their own experiences and stories.	Review the above. Annotate my artwork with connections to another artist's work.
Y5	Review the above. Artists can make mood boards to help them collect and shape ideas.	• Review the above.	 Review the above. Compare the artwork of two artists. Curate an exhibition, deciding how the artwork will be displayed.
Y6	• Review the above.	 Review the above. Artists can be inspired to bring difficult or contentious issues to light and provoke debate and discussion. 	Review the above. Write as an art historian to analyse artists and their artworks.





Alignment to the National Curriculum



The below tables outlines where the statutory content from the National Curriculum is first taught across KS1 or KS2. The curriculum has been sequenced so that much of the content is reviewed in subsequent units.

In KS1, pupils should be taught:	
To use a range of materials creatively to design and make products	Y1 Aut, Y1 Spr, Y1 Sum, Y2 Aut
To use drawing, painting and sculpture to develop and share their ideas, experiences and imagination	Y1 Aut, Y1 Spr, Y1 Sum, Y2 Sum
To develop a wide range of art and design techniques in using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space	Y1 Aut, Y1 Spr, Y2 Aut, Y2 Sum
About the work of a range of artists, craft makers and designers, describing the differences and similarities between different practices and disciplines, and making links to their own work.	Y1 Aut, Y1 Spr, Y1 Sum, Y2 Aut, Y2 Sum
In KS2, pupils should be taught:	
To develop their techniques, including their control and their use of materials, with creativity, experimentation and an increasing awareness of different kinds of art, craft and design.	Y3 Aut, Y4 Aut, Y4 Sum
To create sketch books to record their observations and use them to review and revisit ideas	(Y1) Y3 Aut, Y4 Aut, Y4 Spr, Y4 Sum, Y5 Aut, Y6 Sum
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]	Y3 Aut, Y3 Spr, Y4 Aut, Y4 Spr, Y4 Sum
About great artists, architects and designers in history.	Y3 Aut, Y3 Sum, Y4 Aut, Y4 Spr, Y5 Aut



