## Burtonwood Community Primary School Art Progression of Skills, Knowledge and Understanding

## Early Years

| Area of Learning | Knowledge | Skills |
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| Drawing | Can control tools effectively. <br> Can join pieces effectively. | *Experiment with mark making using a range <br> of materials on a variety of surfaces and <br> scales. <br> *Use graphic tools, fingers, hands, chalks, <br> pencils, brushes etc. to explore a range of <br> marks -often experimental. |
| Painting | Can change colours. <br> Which colours do you know? <br> Which colours they need to mix to make <br> another colour. <br> Keep brushes clean when mixing. <br> Know what effects can be made with colour <br> choices. | *Play with, explore and discover paint and <br> experience colour using a variety of tools to <br> apply paint. <br> *Explore mark making using card, brushes, <br> sticks, sponges, fingers etc. |
| 3D/ Sculpture | Know what effects can be made with colour <br> choices. <br> Use texture to create an effect. <br> Control tools effectively. <br> Join pieces effectively. | *Take part in purposeful play with materials <br> e.g. sand, clay, construction kits |
| Collage | Know what effects can be made with colour <br> choices <br> Use texture to create an effect <br> Control tools effectively | *Begin to make visual collections of visual <br> materials and sort e.g rough/smooth <br> *Tear, cut, glue and rearrange <br> visual materials |


|  | Join pieces effectively. |  |
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| Printing | Can combine pieces to create an effect. <br> Can join pieces effectively. <br> Can use tools effectively. | *Explore printing techniques. There are 3 <br> main methods: <br> *Direct <br> *Incised (cutting into) <br> *Stencil <br> *Focus on direct printing: <br> Experiment printing using hands, <br> fingers, sticks, fruit etc. Begin to create <br> repeating patterns and random images. |
| Textiles |  | Know what effects can be made with colour <br> choices. <br> Use texture to create an effect. <br> Control tools effectively. <br> Join pieces of material effectively. |
| *Sensory exploration of range of materials |  |  |
| using appropriate vocab e.g smooth, soft, |  |  |
| velvet etc. |  |  |

## Key Stage 1 <br> Developing Progression in art \& design through skills and techniques ~ by the end of KS1

## Exploring and Developing Ideas $\quad \square \quad$ Evaluating and Developing Work

- Record and explore ideas from first hand observations
- Ask and answer questions about the starting points for their work
- Explore 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
- to use a range of materials creatively to design and make products
- to use drawing, painting and sculpture to develop and share their ideas, experiences and imagination
- Share ideas, experiences and imagination
- Explore the work of artists, craftspeople and designers from different times and cultures, making links to their own work
- Review what they have done and say what they think and feel about it
- Identify what they might change in their current work or develop in future work
- Sharing areas of expertise with other classes to build knowledge and confidence within the school

| - to develop a wide range of art and design techniques in using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space <br> - Develop an ongoing exploration of materials |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Drawing Techniques | Enjoy making marks, signs and symbols on a variety of types of paper and will use a variety tools/media offered. Will work spontaneously expressively using marks, lines and curves | Explore tone using different grades of pencil, pastel and chalk. To experiment and investigate | Use line to represent objects seen, remembered or imagined working spontaneously and expressively. | Use line and tone to represent things seen, remembered or observed | Use a sketchbook to record what they see and collect, recording new processes and techniques |
| Drawing skills | Can hold and use drawing tools such as pencils, rubbers, crayons, pastels, felt tips, charcoal and ballpoints using them with some dexterity and control to investigate marks and represent their observation, memories and ideas with purpose/intention | Can use a viewfinder to select a view, or shapes and visual clues in an image and then record what is selected within the frame | Can draw carefully in line from observation, recording shapes and positioning all marks/features with some care | Can make quick line and shape drawings from observation adding light/dark tone, colour and features | Can record ideas, observations and designs in a visual journal to support the development of ideas and skills |
| Painting | Select and use a variety of brushes/tools to explore and make marks of different thicknesses and using wet and dry paint techniques Investigate mark-making using thick brushes, sponge brushes for particular effects | Investigate, experiment, mix and apply colour for purposes to represent real life, ideas and convey mood Identify primary colours and secondary colours by names Mix different primary colours to make secondary colours | Spread and apply paint to make a background using wide brushes and other tools to express backgrounds and context <br> Can use colour and painting skills and apply surface techniques to create or suggest a place, time or season | Experiment with tools and techniques eg. Layering, mixing media, scraping through | Name different types of paint and their properties |
| 3D/ Sculpture | Handle and manipulate rigid and malleable materials such as clay, card and found objects to represent something | Model in malleable/plastic materials and control form to assemble basic shapes or forms e.g. bodies/heads and add surface features | Respond to sculptures and craft artists to help them adapt and make their own work | Feel, recognise and control surface experimenting with basic tools on rigid / pliable materials | Use clay to construct a simple functional form such as a pinch pot or coil pot, smoothing and joining clay with care |

$\left.\left.\begin{array}{|l|l|l|l|l|l|}\hline & \begin{array}{l}\text { known and suggest } \\ \text { familiar objects or things. } \\ \text { Experiment with } \\ \text { construction and joining } \\ \text { recycled, natural and } \\ \text { manmade materials }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Use simple 2-D shapes to } \\ \text { create a 3-D form }\end{array} & & \\ \hline \text { Printing } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Apply ink to a shape or } \\ \text { surface to experiment with } \\ \text { printing and improving the } \\ \text { quality and placement of } \\ \text { the image. They can use a } \\ \text { range of hard and soft } \\ \text { materials e.g. Corks, pen } \\ \text { barrels, sponge, hands, } \\ \text { feet, shapes, objects and } \\ \text { found materials }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Monoprint by marking onto an } \\ \text { ink block, or drawing onto the } \\ \text { back of paper on an inked } \\ \text { block, controlling line and } \\ \text { tone using tools or pressure }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Take rubbings from texture to } \\ \text { understand and inform their } \\ \text { own texture prints }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Repeat a pattern, randomly } \\ \text { placed or tiled in a grid } \\ \text { with a range of blocks }\end{array} \\ \begin{array}{llll}\text { Explore and create } \\ \text { patterns and textures } \\ \text { with an extended } \\ \text { range of found } \\ \text { materials - e.g. } \\ \text { sponges, leaves, fruit, } \\ \text { ink pads }\end{array} \\ \hline \text { Collage } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Select with thought, } \\ \text { different materials from the } \\ \text { teacher's resources, } \\ \text { considering content, shape, } \\ \text { surface and texture }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Select, sort and modify by, } \\ \text { cutting, tearing with care } \\ \text { before adding other marks and } \\ \text { colour to represent an idea }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Sort and use according to } \\ \text { specific qualities, e.g. warm, } \\ \text { cold, shiny, smooth }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Engage in more complex } \\ \text { activities, e.g. control } \\ \text { surface decoration of } \\ \text { materials with clear } \\ \text { intentions }\end{array} \\ \hline \text { Textiles } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Select, organise and use } \\ \text { materials such as threads, } \\ \text { cottons, wool, raffia, paper } \\ \text { strips and natural fibres to } \\ \text { make a simple craft } \\ \text { product }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Sort, select and control colour, } \\ \text { line, shape, texture to make } \\ \text { and control fabric and textile } \\ \text { surfaces from the study of a } \\ \text { craft artist }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Collect, deconstruct, discuss } \\ \text { and use fabrics and cloth to } \\ \text { reassemble new work }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Cuthesives to select } \\ \text { and place cut and torn } \\ \text { shapes onto a surface } \\ \text { stitch, seads and fibres, } \\ \text { to cogether and } \\ \text { surface decorate using }\end{array} \\ \text { adhesive and bead, } \\ \text { feathers or buttons }\end{array}\right\} \begin{array}{l}\text { Weave in a simple } \\ \text { loom and build } \\ \text { constructed textile } \\ \text { surfaces } \\ \text { Create fabrics by } \\ \text { weaving materials } \\ \text { e.g. grass through } \\ \text { twigs }\end{array}\right\}$

|  | and basic selecting and <br> cropping tools |  | Use a digital camera to <br> select, capture, save and <br> print <br> Control focus, or zoom <br> settings or move closer <br> composing their <br> photograph | brushes in response <br> to ideas |
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| Study of Artists- Critical and Contextual <br> Skills | Observe and describe what they see, think and feel when looking at images and artefacts, identifying different art <br> forms. Consider how they could improve their own work. |  |  |  |

## Lower Key Stage 2

## Developing Progression in art \& design through skills and techniques ~ by the end of Years 3/4 in KS2

## Exploring and Developing Ideas

## Evaluating and Developing Work

- Develop techniques; including control and use of materials with creativity, experimentation and an increasing awareness of different kinds of art, craft and design
- Improve mastery of art and design techniques including drawing, painting and sculpture with a range of materials (for example, pencil, charcoal, paint, clay)
- develop a critical understanding of artists, architects, designers and craft people from different times and cultures, expressing reasoned judgements that can inform their own work
- Select and record from first hand observation, experience and imagination and explore ideas for different purposes
- Question and make thoughtful observations about starting points and select ideas to use in their work
- Experiment and draw adventurously

Use sketch books to record observations and use them to review and revisi ideas

- Compare ideas, methods and approaches to their own and others' work and say what they think and feel about it
- Adapt work according to their views and describe how they might develop it further
- Annotate work in sketch books
- Sharing areas of expertise with other classes to build knowledge and confidence within the school
- demonstrated creativity both through their expression of ideas and feelings and in their interpretation of themes and observations.

| Skills |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Drawing Techniques | Making marks, signs and symbols on a variety of types of paper and will use a variety/all tools/media offered. Will work spontaneously expressively using marks, lines and curves | Explores tone using different grades of pencil, pastel and chalk. Will experiment and investigate | Use line to represent objects seen, remembered or imagined working spontaneously and expressively | Use line and tone to represent things seen, remembered or observed | Use a sketchbook to record what they see and collect, recording new processes and techniques |
| Drawing skills | Hold and use drawing tools such as pencils and crayons using them with some dexterity and control to investigate marks and represent their observation, memories and ideas with purpose/intention | Use a viewfinder to select a view, or shapes and visual clues in an image and then record what is selected within the frame | Draw carefully in line from observation, recording shapes and positioning all marks/features with some care | Make quick line and shape drawings from observation adding light/dark tone, colour and features | Record ideas, observations and designs in a visual sketchbook to support the development of ideas and skills |
| Painting | Select and use different brushes to explore and make marks of different thicknesses and using wet and dry paint techniques | Spread and apply paint to make a background using wide brushes and other tools to express backgrounds and context | Investigate mark-making using thick brushes, sponge brushes for particular effects | Investigate, experiment, mix and apply colour for purposes to represent real life, ideas and convey mood | Use colour and painting skills and apply surface techniques to create or suggest a place, time or season |
| 3D | Handle and manipulates rigid and malleable materials such as clay, card and found objects to represent something known and suggest familiar objects or things | Model in malleable/plastic materials and control form to assemble basic shapes or forms e.g. bodies/heads and add surface features | Respond to sculptures and craft artists to help them adapt and make their own work | Feel, recognise and control surface experimenting with basic tools on rigid / pliable materials | Use clay to construct a simple functional form such as a pinch pot or coil pot, smoothing and joining clay with care |


| Printing | Apply ink to a shape or surface to experiment with printing and improving the quality and placement of the image. They can use hands, feet, shapes, objects and found materials | Monoprint by marking onto an ink block, or drawing onto the back of paper on an inked block, controlling line and tone using tools or pressure | Take rubbings from texture to understand and inform their own texture prints | Repeat a pattern, randomly placed or tiled in a grid with a range of blocks | Explore and create patterns and textures with an extended range of found materials - e.g. sponges, leaves, fruit, ink pads |
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| Collage | Can select with thought, different materials from the teachers' resources, considering content, shape, surface and texture | Can select, sort and modify by, cutting, tearing with care before adding other marks and colour to represent an idea | Can sort and use according to specific qualities, e.g. warm, cold, shiny, smooth | Engage in more complex activities, e.g. control surface decoration of materials with clear intentions | Use paste and adhesives to select and place cut and torn shapes onto a surface to convey an idea |
| Textiles <br> Covered in <br> Design <br> Technology | Select organise and use materials such as threads, cottons, wool, raffia, paper strips and natural fibres to make a simple craft product | Sort, select and control colour, line, shape, texture to make and control fabric and textile surfaces from the study of a craft artist | Collect, deconstruct, discuss and use fabrics and cloth to reassemble new work | Cut threads and fibres, stitch, sew together and surface decorate using adhesive and bead or buttons | Weave in a simple loom and build constructed textile surfaces |
| Multimedia/ Photography <br> Covered in ICT | Open and use an art program, selecting simple tools to make lines, shapes and pour colours | Control the size of mark and select colours, and use predefined shapes, motifs and stamps | Import an image (scanned, retrieved, taken) into a graphics package and copy and paste areas of images, saving and printing <br> Use a graphics package to create and manipulate images | Photography <br> Use a digital camera to select, capture, save and print <br> Hold and use a camera to select and capture with clear intention <br> Identify and recognise examples of photography as a visual tool and an art form. <br> Suggest how the photographer organised the elements or recording of the image <br> Select photographs for a theme, creative purpose or to provide ideas for their own work (content, colour or composition) <br> Control focus, or zoom settings or move closer composing their photograph |  |

Observe and describe what they see, think and feel when looking at images and artefacts, identifying different art forms and suggest reasons for the artist's intention or meaning of the work. Use their consideration of the artist's work to improve their own and others.

## Upper Key Stage 2 <br> Developing Progression in art \& design through skills and techniques ~ by the end of Years 5/6 in KS2

Exploring and Developing Ideas $\quad$ Evaluating and Developing Work

- Develop techniques; including control and use of materials with creativity, experimentation and an increasing awareness of different kinds of art, craft and design
- Improve mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing, painting and sculpture with a range of materials (for example pencil, charcoal, paint, clay)
- Learn about roles and purposes of artists, architects, designers and crafts people from different times and cultures
- Select and record from first hand observation, experience and imagination and explore ideas for different purposes
- Question and make thoughtful observations about starting points and select ideas to use in their work
- Experiment and draw adventurously
- Create sketch books to record observations and use them to review and revisit ideas
- Compare ideas, methods and approaches to their own and others' work and say what they think and feel about it Adapt work according to their views and describe how they might develop it further
- Annotate work in sketch books
- Sharing areas of expertise with other classes to build knowledge and confidence within the school
- demonstrated creativity both through their expression of ideas and feelings and in their interpretation of themes and observations.

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| Skills |  |  |  |  |  |
| Drawing Techniques | Selects appropriate media and techniques to achieve a specific outcome | Plans and completes extended sets of drawings in sketchbook/ journals to plan a painting, print or 3D piece | Can annotate a work of art to record ideas and emotions using this to inform design ideas and thumbnail drawings/designs | Builds up drawings and images of whole or parts of items using various techniques, e.g. card, relief, found materials, torn and cut materials | Confidently and strongly uses charcoal/pastels in response to light and dark, shadows and well lit areas |
| Drawing skills | Select, use and manipulate a range of drawing tools, using them with control and dexterity to accurately represent from observation | Select a view and use a viewfinder to record what is in the frame and compile and develop several studies as visual evidence for a purpose | Express their ideas and observations responding to advice from others to rework and improve design ideas | Can develop quick studies from observation recording action and movement with fluency, returning to each study to improve accuracy/detail | Can convey tonal qualities well, showing good understanding of light and dark on form |
| Painting | Create different effects by using a variety of tools and techniques such as dots, scratches and splashes, and applying paint in layers | Select from different methods to apply colour using a variety of tools and techniques to express mood or emotion | Plan/paint symbols, forms, shapes, and composition when exploring the work of other artists/cultures informing their painting | Use studies gathered from observation to help plan and realise paintings, using thumbnail studies and paint techniques to represent action or interaction | Show the effect of light and colour, texture and tone on natural and manmade objects |
| 3D | Explore how a stimuli can be used as a starting point for 3D work with a particular focus on form, shape, pattern, texture, colour | Use study of 3D work from a variety of genres and cultures to develop their own response through models, experimentation and design stages | Recreate 2D images in 3D, looking at one area of experience, e.g. recreate a landscape or figure focusing on form/ surface | Make imaginative use of the knowledge they have acquired of tools, techniques and materials to express own ideas and feelings | Apply knowledge of different techniques to expressive scale, weight or a concept |
| Printing | Make connections between own work and patterns in their local environment (e.g. curtains, wallpaper) | Recreate images through relief printing using card and mark making tolls to control, line, shape, texture and tone | Explore colour mixing through printing, using two coloured inks a roller and stencil or press print/ Easiprint poly - blocks | Recreate a scene and detail remembered, observed or imagined, through collage relief 'collagraph' printing | Design prints for e.g. fabrics, book covers, wallpaper or wrapping paper |
| Collage | Select and use cutting tools and adhesives with | Embellish a surface using a variety of techniques, | Select and use found materials with art media and adhesives | Embellish decoratively using more layers of found |  |


|  | care to achieve a specific <br> outcome | including drawing, painting <br> and printing | to assemble and represent a <br> surface or thing e.g. water | materials to build complexity <br> and represent the qualities of <br> a surface or thing |
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| Covered in <br> Design <br> Technology | Select and use contrasting <br> colours and textures in <br> stitching and weaving | Show an awareness of the <br> natural environment through <br> careful colour matching and <br> understanding of seasonal <br> colours | Use plaiting, pinning, <br> stapling, stitching and sewing <br> techniques with care to <br> decorate and make an image <br> or artefact | Control stitching - using <br> various needles to produce <br> more complex patterns with <br> care and some accuracy |
| Multimedia/ <br> Photography <br> Covered in ICT | Use a digital camera to <br> capture objects to be cut <br> and pasted into another <br> image to create a digital <br> collage | Use a paint programme to <br> develop virtual designs for a <br> painting, print or 3D work <br> to control and <br> create a fabric <br> image |  |  |

Other Aims:

- Promote opportunities for every child to have the opportunity to work in an art gallery, or with an artist, craft worker or designer as part of their cultural entitlement
- Dedicate a gallery space for the creative achievements of children
- Develop children's curiosity about the work of different artists

