

	Year 1/2	Year 3/4	Year 5/6
Autumn Cycle A	Spirals Drawing, Sketchbooks	Gestural Drawing with Charcoal Drawing, Sketchbooks Link Seal Surfer	Typography and Maps Drawing, Sketchbooks, Making
Drawing & Sketchbooks	<p>Pupils become familiar with creating drawings using their whole body, whilst experiencing a range of drawing materials.</p> <p>Pupils discover an artist and will demonstrate their understanding of the artist's work by responding through a making challenge and peer discussion.</p> <p>Pupils consolidate their understanding of how they can make spiral drawings using their whole bodies by making "snail drawings". Pupils push exploration of different qualities of line, colour blending, and mark making using chalk and oil pastels.</p> <p>Pupils become familiar with what a sketchbook can be used for. They will make or personalise their own sketchbooks, demonstrating that they have ownership of their sketchbook and understand that it is a platform for personal creative risk taking.</p> <p>Pupils become familiar with the idea that they can make drawings through observation. Pupils show an understanding of what a continuous line drawing is and have had the opportunity to experiment with scale, line and materials.</p> <p>Pupils reflect on their drawings over the half term, sharing what they like and what they would like to try again through peer discussion.</p> <p><i>Molly Haslund.</i></p>	<p>Pupils will begin to explore charcoal as a drawing material. Pupils will respond to the work of contemporary artist Laura McKendry and great master Edgar Degas. Pupils will compare the artists and will share their thoughts in peer discussion.</p> <p>Pupils will discover the qualities of charcoal, opening their minds to the mark making possibilities. They will explore how charcoal responds to various complementary materials. Pupils will think about how they can experiment with mark making to create line, shape and tone. Pupils will begin to think about light and dark by being introduced to the term 'Chiaroscuro'.</p> <p>Pupils will be reminded of the beginnings of drawing and use charcoal and their hands to make marks on a page. Pupils will gain experience using new techniques with charcoal such as smudging, erasing, and using fingers as a mark making tools.</p> <p>Option 1: Pupils will explore how they can use charcoal to respond to narrative and create a dramatic atmosphere. They will continue their exploration of chiaroscuro through creating dramatic sets. Pupils will consider tone, composition, texture, and depth when they build their dramatic sets.</p> <p>Option 2: Pupils will explore how they can use charcoal and gestural movements made by the body to explore charcoal dance and performance. Pupils will be introduced to an artist who creates large drawings using her whole body. They will share their thoughts about the work in class discussion. Pupils will respond to the space that you have, to create either large scale drawings using their whole bodies or by working in pairs using their hands and arms. Pupils.</p> <p>Pupils will display their work in a clear space and reflect on the half term, sharing what they like and what they would like to try again through peer discussion.</p> <p><i>Edgar Degas, Laura McKendry, Heather Hansen</i></p>	<p>Pupils will become familiar with the term 'typography'. They will be introduced to designers who work with type to communicate thoughts and ideas visually. Pupils will create their own letters from cut up basic shapes in a playful way to think about the form of letters. They will work in their sketchbooks to consider what they like and what they might develop further.</p> <p>Pupils will create their own letters of a typeface using their intuition. Working in large scale they will explore as many variations of letters as they can think of, developing them into a whole word or a phrase.</p> <p>Pupils will work over maps / newspaper / pre-printed paper to create strong bold drawings that stand out over the background. Pupils will build confidence in their strong mark-making skills.</p> <p>Pupils will be introduced to artists who create maps. They will discover that maps can reveal things about the artist who made them, provide comments about a culture, place, and time, or be based in imagination. They will respond to the work in class discussion and in their sketchbooks. Pupils will develop ideas from the typography activity in week 2, to build visual text for map making.</p> <p>Pupils will display their work in a clear space and reflect on the half term, sharing what they like, what they would like to try again, the creative journey, and the skills learnt through peer discussion.</p> <p><i>Louise Fili, Grayson Perry, Paula Scher</i></p>