

Art and Design Curriculum Overview

Please see the Yearly Overview below to see what each year group will be covering in Art & Design.

A wide range of Art skills should be taught and practised across the year. The **Suffolk Art Scheme** is available to be used to support planning and teaching of skills. Please also refer to the Whole School Progression document for your year group to ensure the correct level of skills are being taught.

Each Key Stage (KS1, LKS2 & UKS2) will aim to cover all key skills such as drawing, painting, printing, 3D form and craft/collage across the two years. Alongside this, children will be given opportunities to evaluate, analyse, develop and explore their own ideas and the work of other Artists.

Both traditional and contemporary Artists, craftsmen or designers should be referred to regularly alongside Art work - with at least 2 studied in detail across the year.

Skills such as drawing or painting should be consistently practised in sketchbooks throughout Art units to embed previous skills and allow children to become proficient in using them. This means there may be an overlap of skills taught during a unit.

At least 3 Art Units should be covered in-depth across the year. Art lessons should be a minimum of 1 hour a week during a taught unit.

Year	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER	SUMMER 2		
Reception	Reception weave Art through Expressive Arts & Design in a range of topics and through continuous provision in the creative area Artist Focus – Autumn: Kandinsky Circles (painting), Spring: Seurat (pointillism), Summer: Van Gogh's sunflowers (drawing)							
Year 1	Collage Warm and cool colours Artist: Patrick Heron Landscapes		Painting/Printing Artist: Hundertwasser trees and architecture		Drawing Landmarks Observational drawing			
Year 2	Drawing/Sculpture Topic: 'Turrets and towers' Observational drawings Clay sculpture			Collage/Printing Outdoor/Natural Art Artist: Andy Goldsworthy		Painting/Textiles Topic: 'At the Seaside' Artist: David Hockney Beach paintings Design own umbrella		

Year 3	Painting/printing Topic: Stone Age Cave painting/printing		Collage/Sculpture Collage and Clay Mosaics Artist: Antoni Gaudi	Drawing/Painting Landscapes Artist: Georgia O'Keefe	
Year 4	Drawing Topic: Brazilian Rainforest Artist: Romero Britto		Painting The Great Plague - Skulls Artist: Damien Hirst		Collage Topic: Rivers
Year 5	Drawing Topic: Vikings Longboats Viking craftsmen	Painting/Printing Space Artist: Andy Warhol		Painting/Textiles Topic: The Mayans - making masks	
Year 6	Drawing/sculpture London Landmarks	Printing Analytical drawings and press printing for Landmarks Architect: Renzo Piano			Painting River Thames Artist: Wayne Thiebaud