

**St Joseph's Catholic Primary School**  
**Art - Progression in Skills**

<b>Drawing</b> <b>Drawing could be a stand-alone unit of work but should be the starting point for all topics based on other media and revisited throughout each topic.</b>					
<b>EYFS</b>	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. Use drawing to represent ideas like movement or loud noises. Show different emotions in their drawings and paintings, like happiness, sadness, fear, etc.. Show different emotions in their drawings – happiness, sadness, fear, etc				
<b>Key Stage 1</b>	Experiment with a variety of media; pencils, rubbers, crayons, pastels, felt tips, charcoal, ballpoints, chalk. Control the types of marks made with the range of media.	<b>Lines and Marks</b> Name, match and draw lines/marks from observations. Invent new lines. Draw on different surfaces with a range of media.	<b>Form and Shape</b> Observe and draw shapes from observations. Draw shapes in between objects. Invent new shapes.	<b>Tone</b> Investigate tone by drawing light/dark lines, light/dark patterns, light/dark shapes.	<b>Texture</b> Investigate textures by describing, naming, rubbing, copying.
<b>Lower Key Stage 2</b>	Experiment with ways in which surface detail can be added to drawings. Use journals to collect and record visual information from different sources. Draw for a sustained period of time at an appropriate level	<b>Lines and Marks</b> Make marks and lines with a wide range of drawing implements e.g. charcoal, pencil, crayon, chalk pastels, pens etc. Experiment with different grades of pencil and other implements to create lines and marks.	<b>Form and Shape</b> Experiment with different grades of pencil and other implements to draw different forms and shapes. Begin to show an awareness of objects having a third dimension.	<b>Tone</b> Experiment with different grades of pencil and other implements to achieve variations in tone. Apply tone in a drawing in a simple way.	<b>Texture</b> Create textures with a wide range of drawing implements. Apply a simple use of pattern and texture in a drawing.
<b>Upper Key Stage 2</b>	Work from a variety of sources including observation, photographs and digital images. Work in a sustained and independent way to create a detailed drawing. Develop close observation skills using a variety of view finders. Use a journal to collect and develop ideas. Identify artists who have worked in a similar way to their own work.	<b>Lines, Marks, Tone, Form and Texture</b> ☑ Use dry media to make different marks, lines, patterns and shapes within a drawing. Experiment with wet media to make different marks, lines, patterns, textures and shapes. Explore colour mixing and blending techniques with coloured pencils. Use different techniques for different purposes i.e. shading, hatching within their own work. Start to develop their own style using tonal contrast and mixed media.		<b>Perspective and Composition</b> Begin to use simple perspective in their work using a single focal point and horizon. Begin to develop an awareness of composition, scale and proportion in their paintings e.g. foreground, middle ground and background. Show an awareness of how paintings are created i.e. Composition.	

	Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
<b>Exploring and developing ideas</b>	Record and explore ideas from first hand observations	Record and explore ideas from first hand observations. Ask and answer questions about the starting points for their work. Explore the work of artists.	Record and explore ideas from first hand observations. Ask and answer questions about the starting points for their work. Develop their ideas – try things out, change their minds. Explore the work of artists, craftspeople and designers from different times and cultures for differences and similarities.		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. Explore the roles and purposes of artists, craftspeople and designers working in 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. Explore the roles and purposes of artists, craftspeople and designers working in different times and cultures.	
<b>Evaluating and developing work</b>	Describe what they have done.	Review what they have done and say what they think about it.	Review what they and others 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.		Compare ideas, methods and approaches in their own and others' work and say what they think and feel about them. Adapt their work according to their views and describe how they might develop it further. Annotate work in journal.		Compare ideas, methods and approaches in their own and others' work and say what they think and feel about them. Adapt their work according to their views and describe how they might develop it further. Annotate work in a journal.	
<b>Digital Media</b>	Use a simple graphics package to create images	Use a simple graphics package to create images. Record visual information using digital cameras, video recorders.	Explore ideas using digital sources i.e. internet. Record visual information using digital cameras, video recorders. Use a simple graphics package to create images and effects with: - <b>lines</b> by changing the size of brushes in response to ideas; - <b>shapes</b> using eraser, shape and fill tools; and - <b>colours and texture</b> using simple filters to manipulate and create images. Use basic selection and cropping tools.		Record and collect visual information using digital cameras and video recorders. Present recorded visual images using software. Use a graphics package to create images and effects with; - <b>lines</b> by controlling the brush tool with increased precision. Change the type of brush to an appropriate style. Create <b>shapes</b> by making selections to cut, duplicate and repeat. Experiment with <b>colours and textures</b> by using effects and simple filters to manipulate and create images for a purpose.		Record, collect and store visual information using digital cameras etc. Present recorded visual images using software e.g. Photostory, Powerpoint. Use a graphics package to create and manipulate new images. Be able to Import an image (scanned, retrieved, taken) into a graphics package. Understand that a digital image is created by layering. Create layered images from original ideas.	
<b>Painting</b>	Explore colour and colour mixing.	Use a variety of tools and techniques including different	Use a variety of tools and techniques including different brush sizes and types.		Experiment with different effects and textures including blocking in colour, washes, thickened paint creating textural effects.		Develop a painting from a drawing. Carry out preliminary studies, trying out different media and materials and mixing appropriate colours.	

		brush sizes and types.	Mix and match colours to artefacts and objects. Work on different scales. Experiment with tools and techniques e.g. layering, mixing media, scrapping through. Name different types of paint and their properties. <b>Colour</b> Identify primary and secondary colours by name. Mix primary shades and tones. Mix secondary colours. <b>Texture</b> Create textured paint by adding sand, plaster.	Work on a range of scales e.g. thin brush on small picture etc. Create different effects and textures with paint according to what they need for the task. <b>Colour</b> Mix colours and know which primary colours make secondary colours. Use more specific colour language. Mix and use tints and shades.	Create imaginative work from a variety of sources e.g. observational drawing, themes, poetry, music. <b>Colour</b> Mix and match colours to create atmosphere and light effects. Be able to identify and work with complementary and contrasting colours.
<b>Printing</b>	Print with a range of hard and soft materials e.g. corks, pen barrels, sponge. Make simple marks on rollers and printing palettes.	Print with a range of hard and soft materials e.g. corks, pen barrels, sponge. Make simple marks on rollers and printing palettes. Build repeating patterns and recognise pattern in the environment.	Print with a range of hard and soft materials e.g. corks, pen barrels, sponge. Make simple marks on rollers and printing palettes. Take simple prints i.e. mono – printing. Roll printing ink over found objects to create patterns e.g. plastic mesh, stencils. Build repeating patterns and recognise pattern in the environment. Create simple printing blocks with press print. Design more repetitive patterns. <b>Colour</b> Experiment with overprinting motifs and colour. <b>Texture</b> Make rubbings to collect textures and patterns.	Create printing blocks using a relief or impressed method. Create repeating patterns. Print with two colour overlays.	Create printing blocks by simplifying an initial journal idea. Use relief or impressed method. Create prints with three overlays. Work into prints with a range of media e.g. pens, colour pens and paints.
<b>Textiles</b>	Match and sort fabrics for colour, texture, length, size and shape.	Match and sort fabrics and threads for colour, texture,	Match and sort fabrics and threads for colour, texture, length, size and shape.	Use a variety of techniques, e.g. printing, dyeing, weaving and stitching to create different textural effects. Match the tool to the material.	Use different grades of threads and needles. Experiment with techniques such as Batik, felt making, silk painting etc.

		length, size and shape. Create fabrics by weaving materials i.e. grass through twigs.	Change and modify threads and fabrics, knotting, fraying, fringing, pulling threads, twisting, plaiting. Cut and shape fabric using scissors/snips. Apply shapes with glue or by stitching. Apply decoration using beads, buttons, feathers etc. Create cords and plaits for decoration. <b>Colour</b> Apply colour with printing, dipping, fabric crayons. Create and use dyes i.e. onion skins, tea, coffee. <b>Texture</b> Create fabrics by weaving materials i.e. grass through twigs.	Develop skills in stitching, cutting and joining. Experiment with paste resist.	Experiment with a range of media to overlap and layer creating interesting colours and textures and effects.
<b>3D</b>	Manipulate malleable materials in a variety of ways including rolling and kneading.	Manipulate malleable materials in a variety of ways including rolling and kneading. Explore sculpture with a range of malleable media.	Manipulate malleable materials in a variety of ways including rolling and kneading. Explore sculpture with a range of malleable media. Manipulate malleable materials for a purpose, e.g. pot, tile. Understand the safety and basic care of materials and tools. <b>Form</b> Experiment with constructing and joining recycled, natural and manmade materials. Use simple 2-D shapes to create a 3-D form. <b>Texture</b> Change the surface of a malleable material e.g. build a textured tile.	Plan, design and make models from observation or imagination. Join clay adequately and construct a simple base for extending and modelling other shapes. Create surface patterns and textures in a malleable material. Use papier mache to create a simple 3D object.	Shape, form, model and construct from observation or imagination. Use recycled, natural and man-made materials to create sculptures. Plan a sculpture through drawing and other preparatory work. Develop skills in using clay including slabs, coils, slips, etc. Produce intricate patterns and textures in a malleable media.
<b>Collage</b>	Arrange and glue materials to different backgrounds.	Arrange and glue materials to different backgrounds.	Create images from a variety of media e.g. photocopies material, fabric, crepe paper, magazines etc. Arrange and glue materials to different backgrounds.	Experiment with a range of collage techniques such as tearing, overlapping and layering to create images and represent textures.	Add collage to a painted, printed or drawn background. Use a range of media to create collages.

		<p>Sort and group materials for different purposes e.g. colour texture. Fold, crumple, tear and overlap papers</p>	<p>Sort and group materials for different purposes e.g. colour texture. Fold, crumple, tear and overlap papers. Work on different scales.</p> <p><b>Colour</b>            ☐ Collect, sort, name match colours appropriate for an image.</p> <p><b>Shape</b>            Create and arrange shapes appropriately.</p> <p><b>Texture</b>            Create, select and use textured paper for an image.</p>	<p>Use collage as a means of collecting ideas and information and building a visual vocabulary.</p>	<p>Use different techniques, colours and textures etc. when designing and making pieces of work. Use collage as a means of extending work from initial ideas.</p>
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