



Art Statement of Intent



At St Peter's, we recognise that art is a vital part of children's education and has a significant and valuable role in the taught curriculum.

Art at our school is carefully planned to show a clear progress of skills through year groups, linked to other subjects across the curriculum.

We aim to fuel children's natural creativity and curiosity through exploring their own and others' cultural heritages and studying a diverse range of male and female artists. This will all be alongside the purposeful acquisition of skills and knowledge. The skills developed will be; drawing, painting, 3D, printing, collage and textiles.

We believe that art and craft embody some of the highest forms of human creativity. As such, we provide an art education that is engaging, inspiring and challenging, equipping pupils with the knowledge and skills to experiment, invent and create their own works of art, craft and design.

In our lessons, children will be provided with a variety of materials and media to enable them to achieve this.

As pupils progress, they should be able to think critically and develop a more rigorous understanding of art and design. They should also know how art and design both reflect and shape our history, and contribute to the culture, creativity and wealth of our nation.

