Whole School Progression in Art and Design

National Curriculum Statements KS1 Pupils should be taught to: 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 to develop a wide range of art and design techniques in using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space talk about 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.		National Curriculum Statements KS2 Pupils should be taught:		
	Key Stage 1	Lower KS2	Upper KS2	
Investigating and Exploring	Talk about, describe and draw simple images and artefacts. Use simple drawings and sketches to record ideas, thoughts and feelings. Talk about and compare the differences and similarites in the work of artists, craft makers and designers from different cultures and historical periods.	Make a range of drawings in a sketchbook to record observations in detail, adding notes where appropriate. Explore and respond to direct sensory experiences, and to memory and imagination, natural and made environments. Develop an understanding of how artists, designers and craft workers, from different cultures and historical periods, develop, express and represent their ideas.	Make drawings in a sketchbook and record observations of a range of artefacts and images studied annotating work and commenting on distinctive features - including visits to museums and galleries. Use a wide range of visual techniques and secondary sources of information to support the development of projects. Identify how artists, designers and craft workers, from different cultures and historical periods, develop, express	
			and represent their ideas, and how they can use this in their own work.	
Drawing	Explore and discuss a range of mark-making media and techniques, e.g. pencils, chalk, charcoal etc. Use marks and drawn images to describe and express thoughts and feelings.	Observe and record shapes, patterns and textures found in objects Use drawing as a starting point for work in other media and in its own right.	Use a variety of techniques to show tone and texture and to add interesting effects i.e. movement, perspective, shadows and reflection Choose a style of drawing suitable for the work (realistic or impressionistic).	
	Use a wide range of drawing and mark making tools with increasing precision.	Show different tones to create light and shadow using different hardness in pencils.		
Painting	Explore a range of painting materials. Experiment with a wide range of tools to make marks, e.g. brushes, rollers, palette knife. Use different kinds of paint to make marks, shapes and patterns.	Mix primary colours to make secondary colours Add white to colours to create tints and black to colours to create tones Show control in the use of colour and relate to the theory of the colour wheel.	Use the qualities of watercolour and acrylic paints to create visually interesting pieces. Adopt a systematic approach when mixing and applying colour. Combine colour, tones and tints to enhance the mood of a piece	
	Explore and discuss what happens when colours are mixed together.	Understand that paint is used in different ways for different effects.		

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		Use a number of brush techniques to produce texture.	Use brush techniques and the qualities of paint to create texture
			Develop a personal style of painting, drawing upon ideas from other artists.
3D Modelling	Use the senses to explore a range of modelling materials, e.g. salt dough, play dough. junk modelling materials etc.	Work on a larger scale when appropriate.	Make models on a range of scales that communicate observations from the real and natural world.
	Use everyday objects to make marks in modelling materials e.g. cotton reels, sticks, wheels on cars etc.	Show control to join and manipulate materials for the purpose intended. Use clay and other mouldable materials.	Create pieces that have life-like qualities and real-life proportions or, if more abstract, provoke different interpretations.
	Use a range of tools to create marks and patterns and talk about the effects made.	Show a developing understanding of the qualities of the materials used.	Combine visual and tactile qualities to convey feelings, expression or movement.
		Include line and texture.	Use frameworks (i.e. wire or moulds) to provide stability and form.
Printing	Use the senses to explore a range of printing materials and tools, e.g. found objects, potato prints etc.	Use printing to illustrate and explore ideas, commenting on what is done.	Approach work in stages to use simple processes to make more complex designs.
	Use an increasing range of everyday objects to create marks and patterns.	Understand how printing differs from other art processes and how it is used in different cultures.	Make precise repeating patterns using accurate pattern showing fine detail.
	Use string to create symmetrical string pulled pictures.	Use layers of two or more colours.	Choose the appropriate materials on which to print to suit the purpose.
		Replicate patterns observed in natural or made environments.	Use a range of visual elements to reflect the purpose of the work.
Textiles	Use the senses to explore a range of textiles and materials e.g.wool, cotton, felt etc.	Make printing blocks i.e. coiled string. Use and talk about natural and man-made materials.	Create a simple paper pattern including accurate measurements and a seam allowance.
	Talk about a range of textiles and materials e.g. plain patterned, textured etc. using appropriate vocabulary.	Create a simple design and transfer the main shapes to a paper pattern.	Use an increasing range of decorative techniques, e.g. fabric paints and dye, folds, pleats, beads etc.
	Use a range of every day fabrics and materials to create pictures.	Use a range of materials to create pictures and collage. Create a simple repeating pattern, e.g. over, under, over,	Use a range of sewing stitches.
	Use a range of materials to create large-scale models, weavings and collage.	under. Make a simple loom (card) and use different materials to	Create a range of weft patterns on a range of different sized looms.
		produce a range of weft threads. Apply one material to the surface of another material	Use quilting, wire, padding and appliqué to support 3D projects.
		(appliqué). Explore simple sewing stitches.	Create and use a wide range of materials, techniques and patterns to create a large-scale weaving project.

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'Being an Artist'	Reflect and refine own work.	Suggest ways to improve own work.	Consider works of art by relating them to the context in which the work was made.
	Begin to comment on the work of others drawing on art	Comment on the work of notable artists, artisans and	
	vocabulary.	designers using visual language.	Discuss own work and that of others with a fluent grasp
			of visual language. Relate this to purpose and meaning.
	Begin to explore simple techniques used by artists and	Replicate some of the techniques used by artists, artisans	
	makers.	and designers.	Give details about the style of some notable artists,
			artisans and designers. Show how the work of those
	Work creatively drawing on inspiration from encounters	Create original pieces that are influenced by studies of	studied was influential in both society and to other
	other artists.	others.	artists.
			Create original pieces which show a range of influences
			and styles.