

Art: Long Term Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 1: Orange Class	Sculpture and 3D: Paper play The children will create simple three-dimensional shapes and structures using familiar materials	Craft and design: Map it out The children will learn techniques for working creatively with materials to complete a project		Drawing: Make your mark The children will explore mark making and line; experimenting with different materials		Painting and mixed media: Colour splash The children will explore colour mixing; creating paintings inspired by Clarice Cliff and Jasper Johns.
Year 2: Yellow Class		Painting and mixed media: Life in colour The children will develop colour mixing skills; learning about the work of artist Romare Bearden.		Sculpture and 3D: Clay houses The children will explore the way clay can be shaped and joined; learning about the sculpture of Rachel Whiteread.	Drawing: Tell a story The children will develop their mark-making to explore a wider range of tools; experimenting with creating texture	Craft and design: Woven wonders The children will learn fibre art skills; creating three-dimensional woven artworks inspired by artist Cecilia Vicuña.
Year 3: Green Class	Drawing: Growing artists The children will develop an understanding of shading and drawing techniques; creating botanical inspired drawings.	Painting and mixed media: Prehistoric painting The children will experiment with natural materials; making homemade paints and painting on a range of surfaces.		Craft and design: Fabric The children will create mood boards as inspiration, learning to tie-dye, weaving and sewing to create a range of effects using fabric.		Sculpture and 3D: Abstract shape and space The children will explore how shapes and negative spaces can be represented by three dimensional forms; creating free-standing structures inspired by the work of Anthony Caro.
Year 4: Blue Class	Drawing: Power prints The children will develop an awareness of proportion, composition and pattern in drawing; combining media for effect when developing a drawing into a print.	Painting and mixed media: Light and dark The children will develop skills in colour mixing, focussing on using tints and shades to create a 3D effect; applying painting techniques to a still life piece.		Craft and design: Fabric of nature The children will develop drawings through experimentation and textile-based techniques; designing a repeating pattern suitable for fabric.		Sculpture and 3D: Mega materials The children will explore how different materials can be shaped and joined; learning about techniques used by artists Barbara Hepworth and Sokari Douglas-Camp, children create their own sculptures.
Year 5: Purple Class		Painting and mixed media: Portraits The children will investigate self-portraits by a range of artists; using photographs of themselves to develop their own unique self-portraits in mixed-media.	Drawing: I need space The children will explore the purpose and impact of images from the 'Space race' era of the 1950s and 60s; combining drawing and collagraph printmaking to create a futuristic image.	Sculpture and 3D: Interactive installation The children will learn about the features of installation art and how it can communicate a message; exploring the work of Cai Guo-Qiang	Craft and design: Architecture The children will investigate the built environment through drawing and printmaking; learning about the work of architect Zaha Hadid; creatively presenting research on artist Hundertwasser	
Year 6: Pink Class	Craft and design: Create ancient Egyptian scrolls and sarcophagus The children will develop design and craft skills taking inspiration from Ancient Egyptian art and pattern and paper making.	Sculpture and 3D: Making memories The children will create a personal memory box using a collection of found objects and hand-sculptured forms.	Drawing: Make my voice heard The children will explore imagery, symbols, expressive mark making, and 'chiaroscuro'; creating powerful drawings to make their voices heard.		Craft and design: Photo opportunity The children will develop photography skills and techniques to design a range of creative photographic outcomes.	Painting and mixed media: Artist study The children will explore a selection of paintings; collecting ideas in sketchbooks and planning for a final piece inspired by an artist that interests them.