

<b>ESW Primary Art Curriculum Overview</b>			
	<b>Autumn Term</b>	<b>Spring Term</b>	<b>Summer Term</b>
Foundation Stage	<b><u>Exploring Watercolour</u></b>	<b><u>Explorative Printmaking</u></b> Using Found Objects / body	<b><u>Playful Making</u></b> Exploring materials and intention through a playful approach
Year 1 (Year A)	<b><u>Spirals</u></b> Using drawing, collage and mark-making to explore spirals. Introducing sketchbooks.	<b><u>Simple Printmaking</u></b> Explore simple ways to make a print. Use line, shape, colour and texture to explore pattern, sequencing and symmetry.	<b><u>Making Birds</u></b> Sculptural project beginning with making drawings from observation, exploring media, and transforming the drawings from 2d to 3d to make a bird.
Year 2 (Year B)	<b><u>Explore &amp; Draw</u></b> Introducing the idea that artists can be collectors & explorers as they develop drawing and composition skills.	<b><u>Expressive Painting</u></b> Explore how painters sometimes use paint in an expressive and gestural way. Explore colour mixing and experimental mark making to create abstract still lifes.	<b><u>Exploring the World Through Mono Print</u></b> Using a simple mono print technique to develop drawing skills, encourage experimentation and ownership.
Year 3 (Year A)	<b><u>Gestural Drawing with Charcoal</u></b> Making loose, gestural drawings with charcoal, and exploring drama and performance.	<b><u>Working with Shape and Colour</u></b> “Painting with Scissors”: Collage and stencil in response to looking at artwork.	<b><u>Telling Stories Through Making</u></b> Explore how artists are inspired by other art forms – in this case how we make sculpture inspired by literature and film.
Year 4 (Year B)	<b><u>Storytelling Through Drawing</u></b> Explore how artists create sequenced drawings to share and tell stories. Create accordion books or comic strips to retell poetry or prose through drawing.	<b><u>Exploring Pattern</u></b> Exploring how we can use colour, line and shape to create patterns, including repeating patterns.	<b><u>Festival Feasts</u></b> How might we use food and art to bring us together?
Year 5 (Year A)	<b><u>Exploring Still Life (drawing focus)</u></b> Explore artists working with the genre of still life, contemporary and more traditional. Create your own still life inspired artwork.	<b><u>Making Monotypes</u></b> Combine the monotype process with painting and collage to make visual poetry zines.	<b><u>Mixed Media Land &amp; City Scapes</u></b> Explore how artists use a variety of media to capture spirit of the place.
Year 6 (Year B)	<b><u>Exploring Identity</u></b> Discover how artists use layers and juxtaposition to create artwork which explores identity. Make your own layered portrait.	<b><u>Activism</u></b> Explore how artists use their skills to speak on behalf of communities. Make art about things you care about.	<b><u>Shadow Puppets</u></b> Explore how traditional and contemporary artists use cut outs and shadow puppets.

Drawing	Painting	Printing	Collage/Stencil	Sculpture	Architecture	Typography/Design
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