

St James' Church of England Primary School Key Learning in Art & Design – Year 3 & Year 4



Exploring and Developing Ideas

- •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.

Evaluating and Developing 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.

- 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.

Lines and Marks

- 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.

Form and Shape

Experiment with different grades of pencil and other implements to draw different forms and shapes.

Drawing

Begin to show an awareness of objects having a third dimension.

Tone

- Experiment with different grades of pencil and other implements to achieve variations in tone.
- Apply tone in a drawing in a simple way.

Texture

- Create textures with a wide range of drawing implements.
- Apply a simple use of pattern and texture in a drawing.

Digital Media	Painting	Printing	Textiles	3-D	Collage
 Record and collect 	Experiment with	 Create printing blocks 	Use a variety of	Plan, design and make	Experiment with a
visual information	different effects and	using a relief or	techniques, e.g.	models from	range of collage
using digital cameras	textures including	impressed method.	printing, dyeing,	observation or	techniques such as
and video recorders.	blocking in colour,		weaving and stitching	imagination.	tearing, overlapping
	washes, thickened	Create repeating	to create different		and layering to create
 Present recorded 	paint creating textural	patterns.	textural effects.	 Join clay adequately 	images and represent
visual images using	effects.			and construct a simple	textures.
software.		Print with two colour	 Match the tool to the 	base for extending	
	Work on a range of	overlays.	material.	and modelling other	Use collage as a
Use a graphics	scales e.g. thin brush			shapes.	means of collecting
package to create	on small picture etc.				ideas and information
images and effects					

with; lines by	- Create different		Develop skills in	Create surface	and building a visual
controlling the brush	effects and textures		stitching, cutting and	patterns and textures	vocabulary.
tool with increased	with paint according		joining.	in a malleable	-
precision.	to what they need for			material.	
	the task.		Experiment with paste		
Change the type of			resist.	 Use papier mache to 	
brush to an	Colour			create a simple 3D	
appropriate style.	 Mix colours and know which primary colours 			object.	
Create shapes by	make secondary				
making selections to	colours.				
cut, duplicate and					
repeat.	 Use more specific 				
	colour language.				
Experiment with					
colours and textures	 Mix and use tints and 				
by using effects and	shades.				
simple filters to					
manipulate and create					
images for a purpose.		cod curriculum coverage n			

Advised curriculum coverage maximum three media per year