## EYFS Statement relating to subject

Art has an important role to play in the EYFS curriculum, and is evident in the different areas of both the Reception and Nursery classrooms. The creation station, craft tables and painting areas provide opportunities for children to begin to develop the skills, knowledge and vocabulary they will use in art lessons throughout their primary phase. The areas provide focused and open-ended activities that provide opportunities for younger children to shine in art. In the new statutory framework for EYFS, the primary area of physical development refers to fine motor skills - using pencils, small tools, scissors and paintbrushes and beginning to show accuracy and care when drawing. The expressive arts and design goal refers to creating with materials, experimenting with colour, texture, form and function. Children are also encouraged to share their creations and explain the process they have used.

| Year group/term | Year 1 Autumn Term | Year 1 Spring Term | Year 1 Summer Term |
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| Learning Topic |  |  |  |
| Key knowledge and skills to be secured | Drawing <br> 1. Experiment with a variety of media. <br> 2. Begin to control the types of marks made with the range of media. <br> Painting <br> 1. Explore with a variety of media; different brush sizes and tools. <br> 2. Choose to use thick and thin brushes as appropriate. <br> 3. Begin to control the types of marks made with the range of media. <br> Textiles <br> 1. Begin to identify different forms of textiles. <br> 2. Have experience in colouring textiles (printing and fabric crayons). <br> 3. Have some experience of weaving and understand the process and some techniques. <br> 4. Begin to identify different types and textures of fabric and materials for collage. <br> 5. Use one type of stitch. <br> 6. Explain how to thread a needle and have a go. | Drawing <br> 3. Develop a range of tone using a pencil and use a variety of drawing techniques. <br> 4. Draw lines of different shapes and thickness, using 2 different grades of pencil. <br> Painting <br> 4. Start to mix a range of secondary colours, moving towards predicting resulting colours. <br> 5. Name the primary and secondary colours. <br> 3D Sculpture <br> 1. Experiment with a variety of malleable media such as clay, papier-mâché, salt dough and Modroc. <br> 2. Manipulate malleable materials in a variety of ways including rolling, pinching and kneading. <br> 3. Shape and model materials for a purpose e.g. pots. <br> 4. Apply simple decoration techniques; impressed, painted and applied. <br> 5. Experiment with constructing and joining recycled, natural and manmade materials. | Drawing <br> 5. Investigate textures by describing, naming, rubbing and copying. <br> 6. Communicate something about themselves. <br> Painting <br> 6. Explore lightening and darkening paint without the use of black or white. <br> Collage <br> 1. Create images from a variety of media e.g. tissue paper, crepe paper etc. <br> 2. Collect and sort colours appropriate for an image. <br> 3. Arrange and glue materials to different backgrounds. <br> 4. Fold, crumple, tear and overlap papers. <br> 5. Create and arrange shapes appropriately by cutting or tearing. <br> Printing <br> 1. Explore printing simple pictures with a range of hard and soft materials e.g. cork, sponge. |


|  |  | 6. Use tools and equipment safely and in the <br> correct way. | 2. Design their own printing block. <br> 3. Explore printing in relief. Use string and card. <br> 4. Explore impressed printing. Drawing into ink, <br> printing from objects. <br> 4. Create a simple repeating pattern and recognise <br> pattern in the environment. <br> 5. Use equipment and media correctly and start to <br> produce a clean printed image. |
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| Year group/term | Year 2 Autumn Term | Year 2 Spring Term | Year 2 Summer Term |
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| Learning Topic |  |  |  |
| Key knowledge and skills to be secured | Drawing <br> 1. Control the types of marks made with a variety of media. <br> 2. Continue to investigate tone by drawing light/dark lines, patterns and shapes using a pencil. <br> Painting <br> 1. Continue to control the types of marks made with a range of painting techniques: layering, mixing and adding texture. <br> Textiles <br> 1. Continue identifying different forms of textiles. <br> 2. Gain experience in applying colour to textiles (dipping and fabric crayons). <br> 3. Continue to gain confidence in weaving, both 3D and flat e.g. grass through twigs. <br> 4. Stitch two pieces of fabric. <br> 5. Create and use dyes e.g. using onion skins, tea and coffee. <br> 6. Match and sort fabrics and threads for colour, texture, length, size and shape. <br> 7. Change and modify threads and fabrics (knotting, fraying, fringing, twisting, pulling threads, plaiting). | Drawing <br> 4. Use three different grades of pencil (4B, 8 B , HB). <br> Painting <br> 2. Mix paint to create all the secondary colours and predict the outcomes. <br> 3D Sculpture <br> 1. Use equipment and media with increasing confidence. <br> 2. Use clay, Modroc or other malleable material to create an imaginary or realistic form e.g. a pot, structure or figure. <br> 3. Explore carving as a form of 3D art. <br> 4. Demonstrate experience in surface patterns and textures and use them when appropriate. <br> 5. Develop an increasing awareness to use tools and equipment safely and in the correct way. | Drawing <br> 5. Continue to investigate textures and produce an expanding range of patterns. <br> 6. Use a viewfinder to focus on a specific part of an artefact before drawing it. <br> Painting <br> 3. Continue to experiment in lightening and darkening without the use of black or white. <br> 4. Begin to mix colour tints and shades. <br> 5. Store information on colour mixing, the colour wheel and colour spectrums. <br> Collage <br> 1. Create images from a variety of media e.g. fabric, magazines, newspaper etc. <br> 2. Use different kinds of materials on their collage and explain why they have chosen them. <br> 3. Sort and group different materials for different purposes e.g. colour, texture. <br> 4. Use repeated patterns in their collage <br> Printing |


|  |  |  | 1. Continue to explore printing simple pictures with a range of hard and soft materials e.g. cork, sponge, pen barrels. <br> 2. Explore mono printing. Make simple marks on rollers and printing palettes. Take simple prints. <br> 3. Demonstrate experience at impressed printing. Drawing into ink, printing from objects. <br> 4. Design patterns of increasing complexity and repetition. <br> 5. Use equipment and media correctly and be able to produce a clean printed image. <br> 6. Experiment with overprinting motifs and colour. |
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| Year group/term | Year 3 Autumn Term | Year 3 Spring Term | Year 3 Summer Term |
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| Key knowledge and skills to be secured | Drawing <br> 1. Develop intricate patterns and marks with a variety of media. <br> Painting <br> 1. Demonstrate increasing control with the types of marks made. <br> 4. Mix colour, tints and shades with increasing confidence. <br> 3D Sculpture <br> 1. Use equipment and media with confidence. <br> 2. Join two parts successfully. <br> 3. Construct a simple base for extending and modelling other shapes. <br> 4. Learn to secure work to continue at a later date. <br> 5. Continue to explore carving as a form of 3D art. <br> 6. Produce larger ware using pinch, slab and coil techniques. | Drawing <br> 2. Use different grades of pencil shade to show different tones. <br> 3. Create textures and patterns with a wide range of drawing implements. <br> Painting <br> 2. Experiment with different effects and textures: blocking in colour, washes, thickened paint and textural effects. <br> 3. Use a range of brushes to create different effects. <br> 4. Use light and dark within painting and begin to explore complimentary colours. <br> Printing <br> 1. Continue to explore relief printing and mono printing. <br> 2. Print simple pictures using different printing techniques. | Drawing <br> 4. Begin to show an awareness of objects having a third dimension and perspective. <br> Painting <br> 5. Know where each of the primary and secondary colours sits on the colour wheel. <br> Textiles <br> 1. Show an awareness of and name a range of different fabrics. <br> 2. Use a variety of techniques e.g. dyeing, weaving and stitching to create different textural effects. <br> 3. Develop skills in stitching, cutting and joining. <br> 4. Show further experience in changing and modifying threads and fabrics (knotting, fraying, fringing, pulling threads, twisting, plaiting). <br> 5. Apply decoration using beads, buttons, feathers etc. |



| Year group/term | Year 4 Autumn Term | Year 4 Spring Term | Year 4 Summer Term |
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| Learning Topic |  |  |  |
| Key knowledge and skills to be secured | Drawing <br> 1. Develop techniques to create intricate patterns, marks and lines using a growing range of media. <br> 2. Use these techniques to develop texture and tone. <br> Painting <br> 1. Confidently control types of marks made. <br> 2. Experiment with different effects and textures, including those learnt previously. <br> 3. Begin to choose appropriate media to work with. <br> Collage <br> 1. Select and arrange materials to create a striking effect. | Drawing <br> 5. Show reflections. <br> 6. Show facial expressions and body language in their sketches. <br> Painting <br> 4. Use light and dark within painting and show understanding of complimentary colours. <br> 5. Create all the colours they need through mixing. <br> 6. Mix colour, tints and shades with increasing confidence. <br> from different objects to produce an end piece Printing | Drawing <br> 3. Organise line, tone, shape and colour to represent figures and forms in movement. <br> 4. Have opportunities to develop further drawings featuring the third dimension and perspective. <br> Painting <br> 7. Start to look at working in the style of a selected artist. <br> 3D Scultpure <br> 1. Work in a safe, organised way, caring for equipment. <br> 2. Make a slip to join two pieces of clay. |



| Year group/term | Year 5 Autumn Term | Year 5 Spring Term | Year 5 Summer Term |
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| Key knowledge and <br> skills to be secured | Drawing <br> 1. Use learnt techniques to work in a sustained and <br> independent way. <br> 2. Develop a key element of their work: line, tone, <br> pattern and texture. <br> 3. Use these different techniques to create mood and <br> feeling. | Drawing <br> 5. Use drawing techniques to work from a variety <br> of sources: observation, photographs and digital <br> images. <br> Painting | 1. Confidently control the types of marks made. <br> 4. Develop further simple perspective by using a <br> focal point and horizon. <br> 2. Experiment with different effects and textures. <br> Collage |



| Year group/term | Year 6 Autumn Term | Year 6 Spring Term | Year 6 Summer Term |
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| Learning Topic |  | Drawing |  |
| Key knowledge and <br> skills to be secured | Drawing <br> 1. Draw for a sustained period of time over a number of <br> sessions working on one piece. <br> 2. Use different techniques for different purposes | 4. Have opportunities to develop further simple <br> perspective. <br> 5. Develop an awareness of composition, scale <br> and proportion. | Drawing <br> 3. Ensure sketches communicate emotions and a <br> sense of self with accuracy and imagination. <br> 2. Explain why they have combined different tools to <br> create their drawings. |
| Painting | 5. Choose appropriate paint, paper and <br> implements to adapt and extend their work. |  |  |


3. Mix colour, tints and shades with confidence, building on previous knowledge.
4. Work in a sustained and independent way to develop their own style of painting.

## Printing

1. Demonstrate experience in a range of printmaking techniques.
2. Describe the techniques and processes they use.
3. Overprint using different colours.
4. Be confident in printing onto a range of different materials.
5. Collect and record visual information from different sources as well as planning and collecting source material.
6. Adapt their work according to their views and describe how they might develop it further.

## Collage

1. Use a range of materials and justify why they have chosen them.
2. Combine pattern, tone and shape to create a finished piece.
3. Use different techniques, colours and textures when designing and planning work.
4. Use collage as a means of extending work from initial ideas.
5. Explain why they have chosen specific painting techniques.

## Textiles

1. Use a number of different stitches creatively to produce different patterns and textures.
2. Design, plan and decorate a fabric piece.
3. Use different grades of threads and needles.
4. Work in 2D and 3D as required.
5. Recognise different forms of textiles and express opinions on them.
6. Use language appropriate to skill and technique.
