



Art & Design



Big Ideas

Drawing
Colour
Materials
Form
Pattern

Across the federation the aim of the art curriculum is to engage and inspire our pupils. We want all children to express themselves freely and imaginatively through thought-provoking stimulus and exploration of other artists and designers, whilst learning new knowledge and skills.

We encourage our pupils to experiment and capture their interpretations using a range of different media. Children will be given the opportunity to reflect on the end result developing important skills of self-evaluation.

Content and sequencing

Knowledge & Understanding
Generating Ideas
Making
Evaluating

Links with the curriculum

Curriculum plans are linked to show where opportunities exist for pupils to develop their art and design skills in context.



Enrichment



Art exhibitions within the local community.

Art competitions from the wider community.

Art exhibitions within the schools in the federation.

Federation art days.

Progress



The curriculum is carefully sequenced so prior knowledge and skills are built on from previous year groups and units.

Evidence of learning in art folders, sketch books and knowledge organisers.

Relationship with local high school to ensure children are developing skills and knowledge ready for transition.

Support



Every child has access to National Curriculum programmes of study.

1:1 support

Well stocked art cupboard to ensure differentiated equipment and resources are available, enabling all pupils access to the curriculum and challenging pupils to achieve their potential.