

Progressions of Skills and Knowledge

Art at **BFPA**

How is the revised Art and design scheme of work organised?



Types of knowledge in Art and design

The <u>Ofsted research review series: Art and design</u>, states that 'pupils make progress in the art curriculum when they build practical, theoretical and disciplinary knowledge and learn the connections between them.' This page aims to show how the Kapow curriculum and our strands achieve this.



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Overview- Progression of Skills (EYFS – KS1)

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Use a range of drawing materials, art application techniques, mixed-media scraps and modelling materials to create child-led art with no set outcome.	Develop some control when using a wide range of tools to draw, paint and create crafts and sculptures. Make choices about which	Confidently use of a range of materials and tools, selecting and using these appropriately with more independence. Use hands and tools confidently to	Demonstrate greater skill and control when drawing and painting to depict forms, such as showing an awareness of proportion and being able to create 3D effects.	Work with a range of media with control in different ways to achieve different effects, including experimenting with the techniques used by other artists.	Create expressively in their own personal style and in response to their choice of stimulus, showing the ability to develop artwork independently.
Begin to develop observational skills (for example, by using mirrors to include the main	materials to use to create an effect.	cut, shape and join materials for a purpose.	Use growing knowledge of different materials, combining media for effect.	Combine a wider range of media, eg photography and digital art effects.	Combine materials and techniques appropriately to fit with ideas.
features of faces)	Develop observational skills to look closely and reflect surface texture.	Develop direct observation, for example by using tonal shading and starting to apply an understanding of shape to communicate form and proportion.	Apply observational skills, showing a greater awareness of composition and demonstrating the beginnings of an individual style	Create in a more sustained way, revisiting artwork over time and applying their understanding of tone, texture, line, colour and form.	Work in a sustained way over several sessions to complete a piece.

	Progression	of Knowledge and Skills		Making Skills (including formal elements)			
		Pai	nting and Mixed Me	nd Mixed Media			
	EYFS (Reception)	Year 1	Year 2	Year 4	Year 5		
	Pupils know: Knowledge						
Met hods , tech niqu es, med ia and mat erial s	 Explore paint, using hands as a tool. Describe colours and textures as they paint. Explore what happens when paint colours mix. Make natural painting tools. Investigate natural materials eg paint, water for painting. Explore paint textures, for example mixing in other materials or adding water. Respond to a range of stimuli when painting. Use paint to express ideas and feelings. Explore colours, patterns and compositions when combining materials in collage. 	 Combine primary coloured materials to make secondary colours. Mix secondary colours in paint. Choose suitable sized paint brushes. Clean a paintbrush to change colours. Print with objects, applying a suitable layer of paint to the printing surface. Overlap paint to mix new colours. Use blowing to create a paint effect. Make a paint colour darker or lighter (creating shades) in different ways eg. adding water, adding a lighter colour. 	 Mix a variety of shades of a secondary colour. Make choices about amounts of paint to use when mixing a particular colour. Match colours seen around them. Create texture using different painting tools. Make textured paper to use in a collage. Choose and shape collage materials eg cutting, tearing. Compose a collage, arranging and overlapping pieces for contrast and effect. Add painted detail to a collage to enhance/improve it. 	 Mix a tint and a shade by adding black or white. Use tints and shades of a colour to create a 3D effect when painting. Apply paint using different techniques eg. stippling, dabbing, washing. Choose suitable painting tools. Arrange objects to create a still life composition. Plan a painting by drawing first. Organise painting equipment independently, making choices about tools and materials. 	 Develop a drawing into a painting. Create a drawing using text as lines and tone. Experiment with materials and create different backgrounds to draw onto. Use a photograph as a starting point for a mixed-media artwork. Take an interesting portrait photograph, exploring different angles. Adapt an image to create a new one. Choose colours to represent an idea or atmosphere. Develop a final composition from sketchbook ideas. 		
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Use a range of drawing materials, art application techniques, mixed-media scraps and modelling materials to create child-led art with no set outcome.	Develop some control when using a wide range of tools to draw, paint and create crafts and sculptures. Make choices about which materials to use to create an effect.	 Further demonstrate increased control with a greater range of media. Make choices about which materials and techniques to use to create an effect. Use hands and tools confidently to cut, shape and join materials for a purpose. Develop direct observation, for example by using tonal shading and starting to apply an understanding of shape to communicate form and proportion. 	Demonstrate greater skill and control when drawing and painting to depict forms, such as showing an awareness of proportion and being able to create 3D effects. Apply observational skills, showing a greater awareness of composition and demonstrating the beginnings of an individual style	Work with a range of media with control in different ways to achieve different effects, including experimenting with the techniques used by other artists. Combine a wider range of media, eg photography and digital art effects. Create in a more sustained way, revisiting artwork over time and applying their understanding of tone, texture, line, colour and form.
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Use a range of drawing materials, art application techniques, mixed-media scraps and modelling materials to create child-led art with no set outcome. Cut, thread, join and manipulate materials safely, focussing on process over outcome. Begin to develop observational skills (for example, by using mirrors to include the main features of faces)	Develop some control when using a wide range of tools to draw, paint and create crafts and sculptures. Explore and analyse a wider variety of ways to join and fix materials in place.	Further demonstrate increased control with a greater range of media. Make choices about which materials and techniques to use to create an effect. Use hands and tools confidently to cut, shape and join materials for a purpose. Develop direct observation, for example by using tonal shading and starting to apply an understanding of shape to	Confidently use of a range of materials and tools, selecting and using these appropriately with more independence. Use hands and tools confidently to cut, shape and join materials for a purpose. Develop direct observation, for example by using tonal shading and starting to apply an understanding of shape to communicate form and proportion	Work with a range of media with control in different ways to achieve different effects, including experimenting with the techniques used by other artists. Combine a wider range of media, eg photography and digital art effects. Create in a more sustained way, revisiting artwork over time and applying their understanding of tone, texture, line, colour and form	Create expressively in their own personal style and in response to their choice of stimulus, showing the ability to develop artwork independently. Combine materials and techniques appropriately to fit with ideas. Work in a sustained way over several sessions to complete a piece, including working collaboratively on a larger scale and incorporating the formal elements of art.
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	Progression of Know	wledge and Skills	Making Skills (including formal elements)				
	Craft and Design						
	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 6			
	Pupils know: Knowledge						
Met hods , tech niqu es, med ia and mat erial s	 How to: Draw a map to illustrate a journey. Separate wool fibres ready to make felt. Lay wool fibres in opposite directions to make felt. Roll and squeeze the felt to make the fibres stick together. Add details to felt by twisting small amounts of wool. Choose which parts of their drawn map to represent in their 'stained glass'. Overlap cellophane/tissue to create new colours. Draw a design onto a printing polystyrene tile without pushing the pencil right through the surface. Apply paint or ink using a printing roller. Smooth a printing tile evenly to transfer an image. Try out a variety of ideas for adapting prints into 2D or 3D artworks. 	 That layering materials in opposite directions make the handmade paper stronger. How to: Use a sketchbook to research a subject using different techniques and materials to present ideas. Construct a new paper material using paper, water and glue Use symbols to reflect both literal and figurative ideas. Produce and select an effective final design. Make a scroll. Use a zine to present information. 	 That a mood board is a visual collection which aims to convey a general feeling or idea. That batik is a traditional fabric decoration technique that uses hot wax. How to: Select imagery and use as inspiration for a design project. To know how to make a mood board. Recognise a theme and develop colour palettes using selected imagery and drawings. Draw small sections of one image to docs on colours and texture. Develop observational drawings into shapes and pattern for design. Transfer a design using a tracing method. Make a repeating pattern tile using cut and torn paper shapes. Use glue as an alternative batik technique to create patterns on fabric. Use materials, like glue, in different ways depending on the desired effect. Paint on fabric. Wash fabric to remove glue to finish a decorative fabric piece. 	 How different materials can be used to produce photorealistic artwork. That macro photography is showing a subject as larger than it is in real life. How to: Create a photomontage. Create artwork for a design brief. Use a camera or tablet for photography. Identify the parts of a camera. Take a macro photo, choosing an interesting composition. Manipulate a photograph using photo editing tools. Use drama and props to recreate imagery. Take a portrait photograph. Use a grid method to copy a photograph into a drawing. 			
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	Further demonstrate increased control with a greater range of media. Make choices about which materials and techniques to use to create an effect. Use hands and tools with confidence when cutting, shaping and joining paper, card and malleable materials.	Confidently use of a range of materials and tools, selecting and using these appropriately with more independence. Use hands and tools confidently to cut, shape and join materials for a purpose.	Use growing knowledge of different materials, combining media for effect. Use more complex techniques to shape and join materials, such as carving and modelling wire.	Create expressively in their own personal style and in response to their choice of stimulus, showing the ability to develop artwork independently. Combine materials and techniques appropriately to fit with ideas.			

	Progression of Knowledge and	d Skills	Knowledge of Artists			
	EYFS (Reception)	Yea	or 1	Year 2		
	Pupils know: Knowledge					
M ea ni ng s	This aspect of the curriculum is child-led; encourage discussion and individual responses to their own and other artworks.	• Some artists are influenced them.	by things happening around	• Some artists create art to make people aware of good and bad things happening in the world around them.		
Int erp ret ati on s	This aspect of the curriculum is child-led; encourage discussion and individual responses to their own and other artworks	 Sometimes artists concentrate on how they are making something rather than what they make. Artists living in different places at different times can be inspired by similar ideas or stories 		• Art can be figurative or abstract.		
M at eri als an d pr oc es se s s	 Artists use modelling materials like clay to recreate things from real life. Artists choose colours to draw or paint with. Artists draw many different things and use different tools to draw with. Sometimes artists are inspired by the seasons. Some art doesn't last long- it is temporary. Sometimes artists cut and stick photos to make new images. 	• Artists choose materials tha	t suit what they want to make.	 Artists try out different combinations of collage materials to create the effect they want. Artists can use the same material (felt) to make 2D or 3D artworks. Artists and designers can create work to match a set of requirements; a 'brief' or 'commission'. 		
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Enjoy looking at and talking about art.	Understand how artists choose materials based on their properties in order to achieve certain effects.	Talk about art they have seen using some appropriate subject vocabulary.
Recognise that artists create varying types of art and use lots of different types of materials.		Create work from a brief, understanding that artists are sometimes commissioned to create art.
Recognise that artists can be inspired by many things.		Create and critique both figurative and abstract art, recognising some of the techniques used.
		Apply their own understanding of art materials learnt from artist work to begin purposefully choosing materials for a specific effect

Year 3						
	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6			
Pupils know: Knowledge						
• Art from the past can give us clues about what it was like to live at that time.		 Artists are influenced by what is going on around them; for example culture, politics and technology. Artists 'borrow' ideas and imagery from other times and cultures to create new artworks. How an artwork is interpreted will depend on the life experiences of the person looking at it. 	 Artists can use symbols in their artwork to convey meaning. Sometimes artists add extra meaning to what they create by working in places where they don't have permission to work. 			
• The meanings we take from art made in the past are influenced by our own ideas.	 Designers can make beautiful things to try and improve people's everyday lives. How and where art is displayed has an effect on how people interpret it. 	 Artists use self-portraits to represent important things about themselves. Artists create works that make us question our beliefs. 	 Artists find inspiration in other artist's work, adapting and interpreting ideas and techniques to create something new. Art can be a form of protest. Artists use art to tell stories about things that are important to them; looking at artworks from the past can reveal thoughts and opinions from that time. Art sometimes creates difficult feelings when we look at it. 			
 Artists have different materials available to them depending on when they live in history. Artists can make their own tools. Artists experiment with different tools and materials to create texture. Artists can work in more than one medium. Artist make decisions about how their work will be displayed. 	 Artists choose what to include in a composition, considering both what looks good together and any message they want to communicate. Designers collect visual ideas from a wide range of sources, sometimes collecting these as a mood board. Artists and designers sometimes choose techniques based on the time and money available to them. Artists use drawing to plan ideas for work in different media. 	 Artists can choose their medium to create a particular effect on the viewer. Artists can combine materials; for example digital imagery with paint or print. Art can be interactive; the viewer becomes part of it, experiencing the artwork with more than one of the senses 	 Artists use techniques like chiaroscuro to create dramatic light and shade when drawing or painting. Artists can use materials to respond to a feeling or idea in an abstract way. Artists take risks to try out ideas; this can lead to new techniques being developed. Artists can make work by collecting and combining ready-made objects to create 'assemblage'. Artforms are always evolving as materials and techniques change over time. 			
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Discuss how artists produced art in the past and understand the influence and impact of their methods and styles on art today, using their own experiences and historical evidence. Consider how to display art work, understanding how artists consider their viewer and the impact on them.	Use subject vocabulary confidently to describe and compare creative works. Understand how artists use art to convey messages through the choices they make. Work as a professional designer does, by collating ideas to generate a theme.	Research and discuss the ideas and approaches of artists across a variety of disciplines, being able to describe how the cultural and historical context may have influenced their creative work. Discuss how artists create work with the intent to create an impact on the viewer. Consider what choices can be made in their own work to impact their viewer.	Describe, interpret and evaluate the work, ideas and processes used by artists across a variety of disciplines, being able to describe how the cultural and historical context may have influenced their creative work. Recognise how artists use materials to respond to feelings and memory and choose materials, imagery, shape and form to create personal pieces . Understand how art forms such as photography and sculpture continually develop over time as artists seek to break new boundaries.
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	Progression of Knowledge	e and Skills	E	valuating and Analysing			
	EYFS (Reception)	Year 1		Year 2			
	Pupils know: Knowledge						
W ha t is Art ?	Art is: Looking, listening, thinking, collaborating, collecting, arranging, choosing, shaping, reacting, changing, joining, cutting, drawing, painting, exploring	 Art is made in different ways. Art is made by all different kinds of peop who creates. 	ole. • An artist is someone				
Why do peo ple mak e Art?				 People use art to tell stories. People make art about things that are important to them. People make art to share their feelings. People make art to explore an idea in different ways. People make art for fun. People make art to decorate a space. People make art to help others understand something 			
	So that they can : (Skills)						
How do people talk about Art?	Talk about their artwork, stating what they feel they did well. Say if they like an artwork or not and begin to form opinions by explaining why.	Describe and compare features of their ow Evaluate art with an understanding of how in different ways and by different people.		Explain their ideas and opinions about their own and others' artwork, beginning to recognise the stories and messages within in and showing an understanding of why they may have made it. Begin to talk about how they could improve their own work. Talk about how art is made			

	Progression of I	Knowledge and Skills	Evaluating and Analysing		
	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
	Pupils know: Knowledge				
W h a t s A r t ?	 Artists make art in more than one way. There are no rules about what art must be. Art can be purely decorative or it can have a purpose. 	 Artists make choices about what, how and where they create art. Artworks can fit more than one genre. 	 Sometimes people disagree about whether something can be called 'art'. Art doesn't always last for a long time; it can be temporary. 	 Art doesn't have to a literal representation of something, it can sometimes be imagined and abstract. Art can represent abstract concepts, like memories and experiences. Art can be a digital art form, like photography. 	
W h y d o p e o p l e m a k e A r t ?	 People use art to tell stories and communicate. People can make art to express their views or beliefs. People make art for fun, and to make the world a nicer place to be. People use art to help explain or teach things. People make art to explore big ideas, like death or nature. 	 Art can be created to make money; being an artist is a job for some people. Art, craft and design affects the lives of people who see or use something that has been created. 	 People make art to express emotion. People make art to encourage others to question their ideas or beliefs. People make art to portray ideas about identity. People make art to fit in with popular ideas or fashions. 	 Sometimes people make art to express their views and opinions, which can be political or topical. Sometime people make art to create reactions. People use art as a means to reflect on their unique characteristics. 	

H o W d o p e o p l e t a l k a b o u t A r t ?	 People can have their own opinions about art, and sometimes disagree. One artwork can have several meanings. 	 Art is influenced by the time and place it was made, and this affects how people interpret it. Artists may hide messages or meaning in their work. Artists evaluate what they make and talking about art is one way to do this 	 People can explore and discuss art in different ways, for example, by visiting galleries, by discussing it, by writing about it, by using it as inspiration for their own work or by sharing ideas online. Some artists become well-known or famous and people tend to talk more about their work because it is familiar. Talking about plans for artwork, or evaluating finished work, can help improve what artists create. Comparing artworks can help people understand them better 	 Art can change through new and emerging technologies that challenge people to discuss and appreciate art in a new way. People can have varying ideas about the value of art. Art can be analysed and interpreted in lots of ways and can be different for everyone. Everyone has a unique way of experiencing art
	So that they can : (Skills)			
	Confidently explain their ideas and opinions about their own and others' artwork, with an understanding of the breadth of what art can be and that there are many ways to make art. Discuss and begin to interpret meaning and purpose of artwork, understanding how artists can use art to communicate. Begin to carry out a problem-solving process and make changes t o improve their work	Use more complex vocabulary when discussing their own and others' art. Discuss art considering how it can affect the lives of the viewers or users of the piece. Evaluate their work more regularly and independently during the planning and making process.	Discuss the processes used by themselves and by other artists, and describe the particular outcome achieved. Consider how effectively pieces of art express emotion and encourage the viewer to question their own ideas. Use their knowledge of tools, materials and processes to try alternative solutions and make improvements to their work.	Give reasoned evaluations of their own and others' work which takes account of context and intention. Discuss how art is sometimes used to communicate social, political, or environmental views. Explain how art can be created to cause reaction and impact and be able to consider why an artist chooses to use art in this way. Independently use their knowledge of tools, materials and processes to try alternative solutions and make improvements to their work.

Art - Formal Elements

	EYFS (Reception)	Year 1	Year 2
	Pupils know: Knowledge	•	
Colour	The names of a wide range of colours. Colours can be mixed to make new colours.	That the primary colours are red, yellow and blue. Primary colours can be mixed to make secondary colours	Different amounts of paint and water can be used to mix hues of secondary colours (statement also included under 'Tone'). Colours can be mixed to 'match' real life objects or to create things from your imagination
Form	Modelling materials can be shaped using hands or tools.	Paper can change from 2D to 3D by folding, rolling and scrunching it. That three dimensional art is called sculpture	That 'composition' means how things are arranged on the page. Pieces of clay can be joined using the 'scratch and slip' technique. A clay surface can be decorated by pressing into it or by joining pieces on.
Shape	The names of simple shapes in art.	A range of 2D shapes and confidently draw these. Paper can be shaped by cutting and folding it.	Collage materials can be shaped to represent shapes in an image. Shapes can be organic (natural) and irregular. Patterns can be made using shapes
Line	Lines can be curved or straight and described in simple terms such as: wiggly,' 'straight,' 'round'.	Drawing tools can be used in a variety of ways to create different lines. Lines can represent movement in drawings.	
Pattern	When they have made a pattern with objects/colours/drawn marks and be able to describe it.	That a pattern is a design in which shapes, colours or lines are repeated.	Patterns can be used to add detail to an artwork.
Texture	Simple terms to describe what something feels like (eg. bumpy).	That texture means 'what something feels like'. Different marks can be used to represent the textures of objects. Different drawing tools make different marks.	Collage materials can be chosen to represent real-life textures. Collage materials can be overlapped and overlaid to add texture. Drawing techniques such as hatching, scribbling, stippling, and blending can create surface texture. Painting tools can create varied textures in paint.

Tone	There are different shades of the same colour and identify colours as 'light' or 'dark'.	That there are many different shades (or 'hues') of the same colour.	Different amounts of paint and water can be used to mix hues of secondary colours (statement also included under 'Colour').
		Changing the amount of the primary colours mixed affects the shade of the secondary colour produced.	

Art - Formal Elements

	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	Pupils know: Knowledge			
Colour	Using light and dark colours next to each other creates contrast	Adding black to a colour creates a shade. Adding white to a colour creates a tint.	Artists use colour to create an atmosphere or to represent feelings in an artwork, for example by using warm or cool colours.	A 'monochromatic' artwork uses tints and shades of just one colour. Colours can be symbolic and have meanings that vary according to your culture or background, eg red for danger or for celebration.
Form	Three dimensional forms are either organic (natural) or geometric (mathematical shapes, like a cube). Organic forms can be abstract.	Using lighter and darker tints and shades of a colour can create a 3D effect.	An art installation is often a room or environment in which the viewer 'experiences' the art all around them. The size and scale of three-dimensional artwork changes the effect of the piece.	The surface textures created by different materials can help suggest form in two-dimensional art work.
Shape	Negative shapes show the space around and between objects. Artists can focus on shapes when making abstract art	How to use basic shapes to form more complex shapes and patterns.		How an understanding of shape and space can support creating effective composition.
Line	Using different tools or using the same tool in different ways can create different types of lines.	Lines can be lighter or darker, or thicker or thinner and that this can add expression or movement to a drawing		How line is used beyond drawing and can be applied to other art forms.
Pattern	Pattern can be man-made (like a printed wallpaper) or natural (like a giraffe's skin). Surface rubbings can be used to add or make patterns.	Patterns can be irregular, and change in ways you wouldn't expect. The starting point for a repeating pattern is called a motif, and a motif can be arranged in different ways to make varied patterns.	Artists create pattern to add expressive detail to art works, for example Chila Kumari Singh Burman using small everyday objects to add detail to sculptures.	Pattern can be created in many different ways, eg in the rhythm of brushstrokes in a painting (like the work of van Gogh) or in repeated shapes within a composition.

Texture	Texture in an artwork can be real (what the surface actually feels like) or a surface can be made to appear textured	How to use texture more purposely to achieve a specific effect or to replicate a natural surface.	How to create texture on different materials.	
Tone	That 'tone' in art means 'light and dark'. Shading helps make drawn objects look realistic. Some basic rules for shading when drawing, eg shade in one direction, blending tones smoothly and with no gaps. Shading is used to create different tones in an artwork and can include hatching, cross-hatching, scribbling and stippling.	That using lighter and darker tints and shades of a colour can create a 3D effect. Tone can be used to create contrast in an artwork.	Tone can help show the foreground and background in an artwork.	That chiaroscuro means 'light and dark' and is a term used to describe high-contrast images.

Overview- Progression of Skills (KS2)

	EYFS (Reception)	EYFS Framework Children at the expected level of development will:	Year 1	Year 2	National curriculum Pupils should be taught:
Generating Ideas		ELG: Speaking ipate in small group, class and one-to-one ssions, offering their own ideas, using tly introduced vocabulary	Explore their own ideas using a range of media.	Begin to generate ideas from a wider range of stimuli, exploring different media and techniques.	 To use a range of materials creatively to design and make products to use drawing, painting and sculpture to develop and share their ideas, experiences and
Sketchbooks	Experiment in an exploratory way.	 ELG: Expressive Arts and design: Creating with materials Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function. 	Use sketchbooks to explore ideas	Experiment in sketchbooks, using drawing to record ideas. Use sketchbooks to help make decisions about what to try out next	imagination
Making Skills (including formal elements)	Use a range of drawing materials, art application techniques, mixed-media scraps and modelling materials to create child-led art with no set outcome. Cut, thread, join and manipulate materials safely, focussing on process over outcome. Begin to develop observational skills (for example, by using mirrors to include the main features of faces).	 ELG: Expressive Arts and design: Creating with materials Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function. ELG: Physical development: Fine motor skills: Hold a pencil effectively in preparation for fluent writing – using the tripod grip in almost all cases; Use a range of small tools, including scissors, paint brushes and cutlery; Begin to show accuracy and care when drawing. 	Develop some control when using a wide range of tools to draw, paint and create crafts and sculptures. Make choices about which materials to use to create an effect. Explore and analyse a wider variety of ways to join and fix materials in place. Develop observational skills to look closely and reflect surface texture.	Further demonstrate increased control with a greater range of media. Make choices about which materials and techniques to use to create an effect. Use hands and tools with confidence when cutting, shaping and joining paper, card and malleable materials. Develop observational skills to look closely and aim to reflect some of the formal elements of art (colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space) in their work.	 To use a range of materials creatively to design and make products. To develop a wide range of art and design techniques in using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space

Knowledge of Artists	Enjoy looking at and talking about art. Recognise that artists create varying types of art and use lots of different types of materials. Recognise that artists can be inspired by many things.	ELG: Speaking Participate in small group, class and one-to-one discussions, offering their own ideas, using recently introduced vocabulary. 	Understand how artists choose materials based on their properties in order to achieve certain effects.	Talk about art they have seen using some appropriate subject vocabulary. Create work from a brief, understanding that artists are sometimes commissioned to create art. Create and critique both figurative and abstract art, recognising some of the techniques used. Apply their own understanding of art materials learnt from artist work to begin purposefully choosing materials for a specific effect.	 About the work of a range of artists, craft makers and designers, describing the differences and similarities between different practices and disciplines, and making links to their own work.
Evaluating and Analysing	Talk about their artwork, stating what they feel they did well. Say if they like an artwork or not and begin to form opinions by explaining why.	 ELG: Expressive Arts and design: Creating with materials Share their creations, explaining the process they have used. 	Describe and compare features of their own and others' artwork. Evaluate art with an understanding of how art can be varied and made in different ways and by different people.	Explain their ideas and opinions about their own and others' artwork, beginning to recognise the stories and messages within and showing an understanding of why they may have made it. Begin to talk about how they could improve their own work. Talk about how art is made	

	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	National curriculum Pupils should be taught:
Generating Ideas	•	ate ideas from a range of stimuli, using research valuation of techniques to develop their ideas and nore purposefully for an outcome.	Develop ideas more independently from their own research. Explore and record their plans, ideas and evaluations to develop their ideas towards an outcome.	Draw upon their experience of creative work and their research to develop their own starting points for creative outcomes.	 To create sketch books to record their observations and use them to review and revisit ideas
Sketchbooks	Use sketchbooks for a wider range of purposes, for example recording things using drawing and annotations, planning and taking next steps in a making process.	Use sketchbooks purposefully to improve understanding, develop ideas and plan for an outcome.	Confidently use sketchbooks for purposes including recording observations and research, testing materials and working towards an outcome more independently.	Using a systematic and independent approach, research, test and develop ideas and plans using sketchbooks.	
Making Skills (including formal elements)	Confidently use of a range of materials and tools, selecting and using these appropriately with more independence. Use hands and tools confidently to cut, shape and join materials for a purpose. Develop direct observation, for example by using tonal shading and starting to apply an understanding of shape to communicate form and proportion.	Demonstrate greater skill and control when drawing and painting to depict forms, such as showing an awareness of proportion and being able to create 3D effects. Use growing knowledge of different materials, combining media for effect. Use more complex techniques to shape and join materials, such as carving and modelling wire. Apply observational skills, showing a greater awareness of composition and demonstrating the beginnings of an individual style.	Work with a range of media with control in different ways to achieve different effects, including experimenting with the techniques used by other artists. Combine a wider range of media, eg photography and digital art effects. Create in a more sustained way, revisiting artwork over time and applying their understanding of tone, texture, line, colour and form.	Create expressively in their own personal style and in response to their choice of stimulus, showing the ability to develop artwork independently. Combine materials and techniques appropriately to fit with ideas. Work in a sustained way over several sessions to complete a piece, including working collaboratively on a larger scale and incorporating the formal elements of art.	 To improve their mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing, painting and sculpture with a range of materials [for example, pencil, charcoal, paint, clay] To develop their techniques, including their control and their use of materials, with creativity, experimentation and an increasing awareness of different kinds of art, craft and design.
Knowledge of Artists	Discuss how artists produced art in the past and understand the influence and impact of their methods and styles on art today, using their own experiences and historical evidence. Consider how to display art work, understanding how artists consider their viewer and the impact on them.	Use subject vocabulary confidently to describe and compare creative works. Understand how artists use art to convey messages through the choices they make. Work as a professional designer does, by collating ideas to generate a theme.	Research and discuss the ideas and approaches of artists across a variety of disciplines, being able to describe how the cultural and historical context may have influenced their creative work. Discuss how artists create work with the intent to create an impact on the viewer. Consider what choices can be made in their own work to impact their viewer.	Describe, interpret and evaluate the work, ideas and processes used by artists across a variety of disciplines, being able to describe how the cultural and historical context may have influenced their creative work. Recognise how artists use materials to respond to feelings and memory and choose materials, imagery, shape and form to create personal pieces . Understand how art forms such as photography and sculpture continually develop over time as artists seek to break new boundaries	 About great artists, architects and designers in history.
Evaluating and Analysing	Confidently explain their ideas and opinions about their own and others' artwork, with an understanding of the breadth of what art can be and that there are many ways to make art. Discuss and begin to interpret meaning and purpose of artwork, understanding how artists can use art to communicate. Begin to carry out a problem-solving process and make changes to improve their work.	Use more complex vocabulary when discussing their own and others' art. Discuss art considering how it can affect the lives of the viewers or users of the piece. Evaluate their work more regularly and independently during the planning and making process	Discuss the processes used by themselves and by other artists, and describe the particular outcome achieved. Consider how effectively pieces of art express emotion and encourage the viewer to question their own ideas Use their knowledge of tools, materials and processes to try alternative solutions and make improvements to their work.	Give reasoned evaluations of their own and others' work which takes account of context and intention. Discuss how art is sometimes used to communicate social, political, or environmental views. Explain how art can be created to cause reaction and impact and be able to consider why an artist chooses to use art in this way. Independently use their knowledge of tools, materials and processes to try alternative solutions and make improvements to their work	

	ART Skills (Kapow) Reception						
EYFS (Reception)	DRAWING	PAINTING & MIXED MEDIA	SCULPTURE & 3D				
	Marvellous Marks	Paint My World	Creation Station				
Generating ideas	Talk about their ideas and explore different ways to record them.	Explore different ways to use paint and a range of media according to their interests and ideas.	Explore and play with clay and playdough to make child-led creations.				
Sketchbooks	Experiment with mark making in an exploratory way.	N/A	N/A				
Making skills (including Formal elements)	Use a range of drawing materials such as pencils, chalk, felt tips and wax crayons. Work on a range of materials of different textures (eg. playground, bark). Begin to develop observational skills by using mirrors to include the main features of faces in their drawings.	Explore paint including different application methods (fingers, splatter, natural materials, paintbrushes.) Use different forms of 'paint' such as mud and puddles, creating a range of artwork both abstract and figurative. Use mixed-media scraps to create child-led artwork with no specific outcome.	Push, pull and twist a range of modelling materials to affect the shape. Create child-led 3D forms from natural materials. Join materials in different ways e.g. using sticky tape to attach materials, making simple joins when modelling with playdough.				
Knowledge of artists	Enjoy looking at and talking about art.	Enjoy looking at and talking about art.	Enjoy looking at and talking about art.				
Evaluating and analysing	Talk about their artwork, stating what they feel they did well.	Talk about their artwork, stating what they feel they did well.	Talk about their artwork, stating what they feel they did well.				

		ART Ski	lls & Knowled	lge - Nursery			
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
NurserySelf Portrait Skills & Knowledge	l know how to m I know how to di	ake marks on paper raw a face					
	l can make marks		l can draw a circle			I can draw a simple face	
N	I know how to pa I know to use the	aint inside lines e right colour for my designs	e.g. green for grass			-	
Nursery Colour Skills & Knowledge	I can freely explore colour mixing	I can freely explore colour mixing	I can freely explore colour mixing	I can begin to design with appropriate primary colours and name them	I can begin to paint inside the lines	I can begin to design with appropriate primary colours	
Nursery Collage and Texture Skills & Knowledge	I know how to us I know how to te	se a glue stick and PVA glue e ar paper	efficiently.				
Texture Skins & Knowledge	I can tear paper to stick	I can use a pritt stick	I can use PVA glue		I can begin to make rubbings to explore texture	I can stick inside lines	
Nursery	I know how to print with my hands and simple tools I know how to create a simple (repeating) pattern						
Print Making skills & knowledge	I can use Fingers, hands to create a print		I can use sponges / rollers/natural materials to make a print			I can print to create/continue a pattern / repeating pattern	
Nursery	I know how to paint with control using a paintbrush – my painting is recognisable I am beginning to select appropriate primary colours						
Painting Skills & Knowledge	I can use hands and fingers	I can use fat brushes to paint with some control		I can begin to design with appropriate primary colours and name them	nd I can use thinner brushes, water pots to was and can begin to mix paint colours		
	I know how to draw a face I know how to draw a simple shape						
Nursery Drawing Skills	l can make marks on paper	I can hold and use drawing tools with some control to make marks I can draw a circle.				draw a face I some features to represent a face)	
Share their creations, explain	I of development ety of materials, ing the process	t will: tools and techniques, experir	nenting with colour, design, to s and stories.	exture, form and function;			
Assessment Can children talk about their Can children use tools accur							
Vocabulary names of objects; pencil, cha names of colours, light / dark	lk, paint ː , stick, rough, si	mooth, shiny, transparent, dra	aw, lines, circles, colour, mix,	primary, secondary, texture, form	n, sculpt, print, art, tech	niques	