

Art Curriculum overview 2025 - 2026

	Autumn – Art Drawing	Spring – Art Colour and surface	Summer – Art Working in 3 dimensions
Year 1	Spirals	Exploring Water colour	Making Birds
Year 2	Explore and Draw	Expressive Painting	Stick transformation project
Year 3	Gestural drawing with charcoal	Cloth, thread, paint!	Telling stories through drawing and making
Year 4	Story telling through drawing	Exploring still life	Sculpture, structure, inventiveness and determination.
Year 5	Typography and Maps	Mixed media, land and city scape	Fashion Design (3D)
Year 6	2D drawing to 3D making	Activism	Shadow Puppets
Art NC Links & Key Concepts KS1	♣ 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 imagination ♣ to develop a wide range of art and design techniques in using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space ♣ 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.		
Art NC Links & Key Concepts KS2	to create sketch books to record their observations and use them to review and revisit ideas ♣ 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] ♣ about great artists, architects and designers in history.		