

Holmesdale Infant School: Art Curriculum Overview and Knowledge and Skills Progression Map

Art	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2		
Nursery Art	=	design: Exploring and	erials : Continuous provi	<u>ision</u>				
	30-50 months							
	and then begin to use these shapes to							
	represent objects / Beginning to be interested in and describe the texture of things							
Reception	40-60 months							
Art	 Explores what happens when they mix colours / Experiments to create different textures. / Understands that different media can be combined to create new effects. / Manipulates materials to achieve a planned effect. 							
	ELG:							
	Children sing songs, make music and dance, and experiment with ways of changing them. They safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools							
and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and								
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Creative areas in each classroom and outside

- Glue, tape dispensers, scissors, pencils, felt, tips, chalk
- Range of paper and card of different colours and textures
- Mixed media including cloth, lollipop sticks, straws, ribbon, wool, bottle tops, recycled materials

• Easel in outside provision - children independently colour mix

YEAR 1 Art Bold red – main focus for Art that term Colour mixing – independent Mixed Media Teddy bear collage Robot collage Printing Hand and finger Christmas cards	Mixed Media African Kente weaving Andy Goldsworthy – natural materials Drawing Firework Art – independent / chalk, Observational drawing: fruit Moudling Clay fruit	Drawing Observational drawings of buildings - Reigate Priory	Printing Mother's Day cards Painting Colour mixing — Castle and the sun — Paul Klee pastels and 2D shapes Moulding Look at sculptures of kings and queens (look at artists)	Painting Monet's water Lily Cherry blossom pictures Drawing Fathers' Day Cards	Moulding Make a clay pot Look at William Morris artist/ design and incorporate into clay pots Printing Take One Picture w/s focus Printing With fruit
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YEAR 2	Drawing	Drawing / Painting	Mixed Media	Textiles	Printing	Moulding/Sculpture	
Art	Portrait detectives	Observational drawings	Weaving	Something for time	Polystyrene printing	Clay animals	
AIL		of bike –	Fire of London	travelling?	blocks with rollers		
	Portraits from photo	pencils/charcoal			and paint - fruits		
Bold red –	of job they want to do	•			·	Mixed Media : collage	
main focus for	(head photo on	Painting	Painting	Mixed Media	Drawing : pastels	background for salt dough	
Art that term	paper)	Icarus - colour mixing	The Thames	Mother's Day cards	Cezanne	animals	
		(painting)	silhouette of		observational		
	Create a picture for	3,	London		drawings of fruit		
	their class animal	Mixed Media					
	using chalks, pastels	Christmas cards /			Father's Day Cards		
	or crayons	calendars – paper					
		strips, tissue paper					
		scrunching					
		Moulding					
		Christmas salt dough					
		decorations					



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Holmesdale Infant School Skills Progression

Subject area: Art

Key Skills: Art Tools and Drawing, Painting; Moulding; Mixed Media; Form; Printing; Pattern, Line and Shape; Evaluating

Art Skill	Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	
Drawing (Pencil, charcoal, chalk, pastels, paint, stencils, cutting, gluing) shading	- Enjoys making marks, signs and symbols on a variety of types of paper - Will use a variety of tools and media offered Will work expressively and spontaneously using marks, lines and curves - Give meaning to the marks they make - Begin to hold and handle the tools the correct way and safely - independently select the tool required	- Can hold and handle tools in the correct way and safely Can independently select which drawing tools to use, such as pencils and crayons and use them with some dexterity and control Can use a variety of different art tools on one task eg pencil, chalk, cutting and gluing Can create simple representations of events, people or objects, using their own ideas from memory or imagination - Can draw from observation - Can use different degrees of pressure-light and hard when using a tool (shading)	- Consolidate fine motor through use of different pencils and tools -Use different amounts of pressure independently -begin to discuss the different effects created by different toolsIndependently selecting and using a variety of different art tools on one task e.g pencil, chalk, cutting and gluing -Apply colour using range of tools, crayon, chalk, pastel -Begin to scale drawings correctly -Observe and begin to draw anatomy (faces,limbs) -begin to use shading techniques using different tools.	- Shows increasing pencil control - Explores tone using different grades of pencil, pastel and chalk - Will experiment and investigate - Produces growing range of patterns and textures - Can make drawings from observation adding light / dark tone, colour and features - develop - sketch to make quick records - share their ideas, experiences and imagination - Begin to revisit their work and develop / improve	



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Painting (Watercolour, colour wheels ink, dye) Paints used	-can represent their own ideasselect different colours - Explores mixing primary colours to make orange, purple and green - explores painting with poster paint - independently mixes own colours with power paints - Can use other tools such as sponges to apply paint -Can select and use different brushes to explore and make marks of different thickness and using poster and powder paints	-Experimenting with and using primary colours - knows and can identify primary colours-red, blue, yellow and can mix primary colours to make orange, purple and green -Use a range of tools to apply paint for a desired effect such as sponges -can represent their own ideas.	Can investigate, experiment, mix and apply colour to express ideas and convey mood -Create texture using colour and different thickness of paint - uses different sixes of brushes to create desired	 Mix a range of colours (secondary) Make different shades of colours using white Darken colours without using black Explore the relationship between colour and mood Use paintbrush to create wide range of marks Can use colour and painting skills and apply surface techniques to create or suggest a place time or season Share different techniques and ideas Begin to revisit their work and develop / improve
Moulding Playdough, plastecine, Clay, plaster, found objects	Poster / powder paints - Can handle and manipulate rigid and malleable materials such as playdough, clay, plastecine card and found objects (natural and man made) to represent something -can represent their own ideas. Sensory experiences	Poster / powder paints - Can handle and manipulate rigid and malleable materials such as playdough, clay, plastecine card and found objects (natural and man made) to represent something With increasing control -can represent their own ideas. - Make Diwali Clay pots Simple weaving	Water colour, poster -Handling and manipulating clay collages -representing their own ideas through design. Can model in malleable / plastic materials and control form to assemble basic shapes or forms -Can feel recognise and control surface experimenting with basic tools on rigid / pliable materials - use clay to construct a simple functional form such as a pot or coil pot smoothing and joining clay with care / using one piece of clay Can respond to sculptures and craft artists to help them adapt and make their own work	Water colour, poster -Can model in malleable / plastic materials and control form to assemble basic shapes or forms -Can feel recognise and control surface experimenting with basic tools on rigid / pliable materials -use clay to construct a simple functional form such as a pot or coil pot or animals smoothing and joining clay with care / using one piece of clay Clay leaves from one piece of clay Can respond to sculptures and craft artists to help them adapt and make their own work





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Evaluating Following a set of instructions Differences and Similarities Famous Artists	-Draw on experiences and reflect this in their drawing.	- Communicate what they think and feel about their own work -Discuss the effect of different media on different colours e.g glitter and a dark background (Bonfire Night- rocket pictures) Discussion-linking the significance of our art to a special event (mother's day).	Describe what they think and feel about their work Evaluate what they like and feel about other artists work	Evaluating differences and similarities Begin to look at work of other artists ie Andy Goldsworthy