

Art



We value the place of art and design in the curriculum as an important and enjoyable way of giving children the knowledge and skills to experiment, invent and create their own works of art, craft and design. All children are encouraged to be creative and experiment with ideas, materials, tools and techniques. Children will also start to learn about a range of artists, craft makers and designers in history. They will then progress to thinking critically through gaining an understanding of art and design, reflecting on how it shapes our history and contributes to culture and creativity. Artwork is used and displayed widely throughout the whole school in order to foster an appreciation of different forms, traditions and cultures.

Art and design are predominantly taught as a medium through which ideas can be explored through a theme/topic. However, the school also run termly lunchtime or afterschool clubs such as Art club whereby children learn and develop specific skills.

