

CYCLE B			
Year 1/2 Art Curriculum			
Autumn  Cubism Self-Portraits  Focus: drawing, collage, use of shape and work of other artists	Spring 'Colour Chaos' Focus: learning about colour (paint, felt tips and pastels) and work of other artists.	Summer  'Fabricate'  Focus: textile art, weaving, wax resist dyeing, use of pattern and work of other artists.	
<ul> <li>Children will know by the end of this unit:</li> <li>To make larger scale drawing from observation and imagination.</li> <li>To experiment with different drawing techniques such as shading, thick and thin lines.</li> <li>To learn about the work of famous artist Pablo Picasso, abstract portraits and Cubism.</li> <li>To learn and practise the skill of collaging using a variety of media, e.g. paper, magazines, newspaper, fabric etc.</li> <li>To cut, make and combine abstract shapes to create a collage portrait in a Picasso cubist style.</li> <li>To refine work as they go to ensure precision.</li> <li>To begin to be able to talk about the materials, techniques and processes they have used, using appropriate vocabulary.</li> <li>With support, to begin to learn how to peer assess and self-evaluate their work.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Children will know by the end of this unit: <ul> <li>To decide if colours are warm or cool.</li> <li>To explore the effect of colour on mood/feelings.</li> <li>To understand what primary, secondary and tertiary colours are.</li> <li>To explore colour mixing and create their own colour wheel.</li> <li>To mix tints.</li> <li>To explore painting with a variety of unusual objects and to explore the different patterns and textures each object creates.</li> <li>To begin to explore different brush techniques when painting.</li> <li>To investigate the work of abstract artist Piet Mondrian and his use of shape and colour in his art work.</li> <li>To experiment with the use of felt tips, pastels and paint to create a piece of abstract art using shape in the style of Piet Mondrian.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Children will know by the end of this unit: <ul> <li>About different techniques for textile art.</li> <li>The different materials used for weaving and the technique it involves.</li> <li>Products from around the world that are created by weaving.</li> <li>They will investigate the work of textile artist Gunta Stolz and the decorative art of Gustav Klimt.</li> <li>To develop paper weaving skills and create a decorative under the sea placemat and handmade heart bags.</li> <li>To explore the use of traditional batik in Indonesia and around the world.</li> <li>To design, make and evaluate their own batik coasters using wax resist sticks and dye.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	



Autumn  Mosaics  Focus: use of colour, shape and pattern, work of other artists and history of art.	To compare the work of Mondrian with that of other abstract artists such as Wassily Kandinsky.  Year 3/4 Art Curriculum  Spring  Landscapes  Focus: drawing, painting (watercolours) and work of other artists.	Summer  Natural Sculptures  Focus: collage, shape, pattern and work of other artists.
<ul> <li>Children will know by the end of this unit: <ul> <li>About the key characteristics of mosaic art.</li> <li>To explore the use of shape and colour in mosaics.</li> <li>To investigate the use of different materials to mosaic with.</li> <li>To experiment with different mosaic techniques.</li> <li>To investigate the art work of artist Antoni Gaudi.</li> <li>To create a mosaic using Gaudi's work as inspiration.</li> <li>To research Roman Mosaics and their significance during Roman Britain.</li> <li>To use what has been learnt about mosaics to work as a group to plan, create and evaluate a Roman Mosaic</li> <li>To evaluate, analyse and assess their creative work using appropriate vocabulary.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Children will know by the end of this unit: <ul> <li>How to make larger scale drawing from observation and imagination.</li> <li>To create sketchbooks to record their observations.</li> <li>To experiment with showing line, tone and texture with different hardness of pencils.</li> <li>To use shading to show light and shadow effects.</li> <li>To select colours and materials to create effect, giving reasons for their choices.</li> <li>To refine work as they go to ensure precision.</li> <li>To research the work and life of artist Henry Rousseau</li> <li>To use Rousseau's work as inspiration to create a watercolour landscape portrait in the same style.</li> <li>To develop their use of different painting techniques and to discuss their effect.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Children will know by the end of this unit:  To use their imagination and creative skills to help them sort and arrange natural materials to create different images as natural sculptures.  To consider the effect of colour, shape and repeated patterns on sculptures.  About the life and artwork of artist Andy Goldsworthy.  To use Goldsworthy's work as inspiration to plan and create their own natural sculptures.  To learn and practise a variety of techniques, e.g. overlapping, tessellation, mosaic and montage.  To evaluate and assess their sculptures using appropriate vocabulary.



Year 5/6 Art Curriculum		
Autumn Space Art Focus: different paint, pastel and chalk abstract techniques to create the background and work of other artists.  Children will know by the end of this unit:	Spring Pencil Sketches Focus: drawing and work of other artists.  Children will know by the end of this unit:	Summer Pop Art Focus: use of contrasting colours and comparing the work of different pop artists.  Children will know by the end of this unit:
<ul> <li>Different paint, pastel and chalk abstract techniques to create visually different effects.</li> <li>To improve their mastery of art and design techniques, including using a range of different materials.</li> <li>To alter and modify work.</li> <li>To use a variety of techniques to add effects e.g. shadows and reflection</li> <li>To be able to select block colours for different backgrounds and discuss their effect.</li> <li>To use a variety of tools and select the most appropriate.</li> <li>To research, compare and review the work of artist Peter Thorpe.</li> <li>To use Thorpe's art work as inspiration for creating a piece of Space Art in the same style.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>To experiment with showing line, tone and texture with different hardness of pencils.</li> <li>To show an awareness of space when drawing.</li> <li>To show awareness of objects having a third dimension by using shading for effect.</li> <li>To use a variety of source material for their work.</li> <li>To work in a sustained and independent way</li> <li>To manipulate and experiment with the elements of art: line, tone, pattern, texture, form, space, colour and shape.</li> <li>To use a variety of techniques to add effects, e.g. shadows, reflection, hatching and cross-hatching</li> <li>To depict movement and perspective in drawings</li> <li>To use key vocabulary to demonstrate knowledge and understanding in this strand: line, texture, pattern, form, shape, tone, smudge, blend, mark, hard, soft, light, heavy, mural, fresco, portrait, graffiti.</li> <li>To research and compare the art work of Leonardo da Vinci and to use this as inspiration for creating own artwork in the same style.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>What Pop Art is.</li> <li>The history of Pop Art.</li> <li>Specific features of Pop Art.</li> <li>The difference between hot and cold colours and the impact colour can have on emotions and feelings.</li> <li>To explore contrasting colours.</li> <li>To experiment with different Pop Art techniques such as the thickness of lines as an outline and the use of dots.</li> <li>The identify Pop Artists who have a similar technique and to discuss and share ideas.</li> <li>To compare the work of Andy Warhol and Roy Litchenstein.</li> <li>To share facts about notable artists and their work.</li> <li>To use Litchenstein's artwork as an inspiration for creating own Pop Art in the same style.</li> <li>To be expressive and analytical to adapt, extend and justify own work.</li> </ul>



CYCLE A				
	Year 1/2 Art Curriculum			
Autumn Pencil Portraits Focus: pencil, portraits, work of other artists.	Spring Abstract Collages Focus: Use of colour and pattern, work of other artists.	Summer Focus: sculpture, clay, African art, colour and pattern, work of other artists.		
<ul> <li>Children will know by the end of this unit:</li> <li>The work of the disabled Polish artist Mariusz Kedzierski.</li> <li>The impact his disabilities have on his artwork.</li> <li>To explore the different techniques he uses and their effectiveness.</li> <li>To begin to develop their different pencil skills for drawing including different thicknesses of line, use of shading and shadow using different thickness of pencil.</li> <li>To develop their use of shape whilst drawing.</li> <li>To use Mariusz as an inspiration for creating their own piece of artwork in the same style.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Children will know by the end of this unit:</li> <li>The work of African American artist Alma Thomas.</li> <li>The difference between 'warm' and 'cold' colours,</li> <li>Be able to effectively select colours to express their mood and feelings.</li> <li>With support. To being to be able to feedback to the class their thoughts, reasons and choices for a piece of art.</li> <li>To be able to identify and use shape in their work.</li> <li>To be able to use repeating patterns.</li> <li>To learn and practise a variety of collaging techniques, e.g. overlapping, tessellation, mosaic and montage.</li> <li>To create a piece of art work in the style of Alma Thomas.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Children will know by the end of this unit:</li> <li>The work of South African artist Esther Mahlangu.</li> <li>To design and create clay pots wit repeating patterns in the style of Esther Mahlangu.</li> <li>Join clay adequately and construct a simple base for extending and modelling other shapes. Y3 used more than one colour to layer in a print.</li> <li>To carefully consider their use of, shape, pattern and colour.</li> <li>Mix colours from primary colours To make and match colours with increasing accuracy. To use more specific colour language e.g. tint, tone, shade, hue.</li> <li>To develop use of self and peer assessment.</li> </ul>		
	Year 3/4 Art Curriculum			
Autumn	Spring	Summer		
The Iron Man	Story Quilt	Street Art		
Focus: pencil, chalk portraits, work of other artists, Giacometti Iron Man sculptures		Focus: pencil, felt tips, oil pastels, graffiti, work of other artists		



<ul> <li>Children will know by the end of this unit:</li> <li>To show an awareness of different shapes when creating a portrait.</li> <li>To begin to understand and depict spatial relationships between objects.</li> <li>To experiment with showing line, tone and texture with different hardness of pencils</li> <li>To use shading to show light and shadow effects.</li> <li>To show awareness of objects having a third dimension by introducing shade.</li> <li>To explore creating portraits with different mediums and comparing their effectiveness (pencil and chalk).</li> <li>To explore the work of the artist Alberto Giacometti.</li> <li>To create a pipe cleaner/ tin foil sculpture of the Iron Man.</li> <li>To use a variety of material to make and combine shapes to create recognisable forms.</li> <li>To practise joining techniques.</li> <li>To depict movement in a sculpture.</li> <li>To make improvements to work as they go along.</li> <li>To evaluate work, celebrate success and identify improvements that could be further made.</li> </ul>	Focus: mixed media, collage (fabric, paper), drawing, watercolours, pencil crayons, felt tips, work of other artists  Children will know by the end of this unit:  To explore the work of artist Faith Ringgold and to use her book Tar Beach as inspiration for their own work.  To plan, design and create a 'story quilt'  To draw from observation and to use their creative skills to draw from imagination.  To develop key skills and begin to show an awareness of shape, line, tone and texture when they draw.  To begin to demonstrate spatial awareness and carefully consider size and shape.  To be able to explain what they have drawn and give reasons for their choices.  To be able to demonstrate careful consideration when selecting colours to use.  To become more confident with mixing colours effectively and to be able to use key vocabulary: tint, shade, primary, secondary etc.  To choose collage materials to create 'quilt' border.  To experiment with different techniques for collaging such as tearing, overlapping and layering.  To refine work as they go to ensure precision.	Children will know by the end of this unit:  The history of Street Art.  What makes art work Street Art?  The different types of Street Art.  Whether Street Art is the same as graffiti?  To explore the work of the artist Jean-Michel Basquiat.  To be able to use block lettering, serifs contrasting colours and shadow.  To be able to demonstrate careful consideration when selecting colours to use.  To express their personality through their artwork.  To transform their names into graffiti tags.  To explore Street Art through different mediums and to discuss their effectiveness.  To make improvements to work as they go along.  To create their own Street Art in the style of Michel Basquiat.  To evaluate work, celebrate success and identify improvements that could be further made.
	Year 5/6 Art Curriculum	
<b>Autumn</b> Winter Landscapes	<b>Spring</b> Rubber Stamp Art	Summer Cityscape Art Focus: Pencil sketches and work of other artists.



Focus: watercolours, pencil crayons, work of disabled artists, make into Christmas cards.	Focus: portraits, design and make a rubber stamp, work of other artists.	
<ul> <li>Children will know by the end of this unit: <ul> <li>To experiment with showing line, tone and texture with different hardness of pencils</li> <li>To use shading to show light and shadow effects.</li> <li>To show awareness of objects having a third dimension by introducing shade.</li> <li>To draw familiar objects from a range of view-points.</li> <li>To use varied brush techniques to create shapes, textures, patterns and lines</li> <li>To mix colours effectively using the correct language, e.g. tint, shade, primary and secondary.</li> <li>To research the art work of disabled artist Peter Longstaff.</li> <li>To explore the different techniques that Longstaff uses to create his art work - painting with his feet.</li> <li>To use Longstaff's art work as inspiration to create artwork in the same style.</li> <li>To plan, design, create and evaluate a Winter Landscape piece of art to make into a Christmas card.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Children will know by the end of this unit:  About the life and art work of African American sculptor and graphic artist Elizabeth Catlett.  To use her art work as an inspiration to design and make their own rubber stamps to create a piece of art with.  To improve their mastery of art and design techniques with a range of materials.  To choose the printing method appropriate to task.  Build up layers and colours/textures.  To organise their work in terms of pattern, repetition, symmetry or random printing.  To choose inks and overlay design and create printing blocks/tiles.  To develop techniques in mono, block and relief printing.  To create and arrange accurate patterns.	<ul> <li>Children will know by the end of this unit: <ul> <li>About the life and art work of Stephen Wiltshire an autistic artist.</li> <li>To use his art work as an inspiration to create their own art in the same style.</li> <li>To manipulate and experiment with the elements of art: line, tone, pattern, texture, form, space, colour and shape.</li> <li>To use a variety of techniques to add effects, e.g. shadows, reflection, hatching and cross-hatching.</li> <li>To depict movement and perspective in drawings.</li> <li>To use a variety of tools and select the most appropriate.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>