Key Stage 1: Year 1

Programmes of Study and Key Skills

Investigating and Making Art, Craft	Exploring Ideas	Evaluating and developing Ideas	Knowledge and Understanding
and Design			
*Use a range of materials creatively	*Use drawing, painting and	*Share their ideas.	*Develop a wide range of art and
to design and make products.	sculpture to develop their	*Describe what they think or feel	design techniques in using colour,
	imagination.	about their own work.	pattern, texture, line, shape, form
	*Draw and paint from imagination.	*Think of ways to improve their	and space.
		current work.	

Drawing	Painting	3D / Sculpture	Textiles / Collage
* Begin to explore the use of colour,	* Begin to explore the use of colour,	*Explore shape and form.	*Use a variety of techniques
pattern, texture, line and shape.	pattern, texture, line and shape.	*Explore sculpture with a range of	including weaving, finger knitting,
*Begin to control the marks made on	*Use a variety of tools and	malleable media including clay,	fabric crayons, sewing and Binca.
a variety of surfaces and papers.	techniques including the use of	dough and Model magic.	*Thread a needle, cut, glue and trim
*Experiment with a wide range of	different brush sizes and types.	*Manipulate clay in a variety of	material.
media including pencils, rubbers,	*Work on different scales.	ways, rolling, kneading and shaping.	*Use a variety of media including
crayons, pastels and chalks, felt tips,	*Mix and match colours to artefacts	*Experiment with, construct and join	photocopied material, fabric, plastic,
charcoal, ball point pens and other	and objects.	recycled, natural and manmade	tissue, printed materials, crepe
dry media.	*Mix secondary colours and shades	materials.	paper, sandpaper etc.
*Investigate texture by rubbing and	using different types of paint e.g.		*Create images from imagination,
copying.	poster paint and block water		experience or observation.
*Use line to represent objects seen,	colours.		
remembered or imagined.	*Create different textures e.g use		
*Observe and draw shapes.	sawdust.		
* Be spontaneously expressive, using	*Be spontaneously expressive with		
marks, lines and curves.	the paint.		

Key Stage 1: Year 2

Programmes of Study and Key Skills

Investigating and Making Art, Craft	Exploring Ideas	Evaluating and developing Ideas	Knowledge and Understanding
and Design			
*Use a range of materials creatively to design and make products.	*Explore ideas in drawing, painting and sculpture. *Begin to ask and answer questions about the starting points for their work, developing ideas.	*Describe their response to their own or others' work, commenting on the differences in others' work. *Suggest ways of improving and developing their own work.	*Learn about the work of a range of artists, craft makers and designers, describing the differences and similarities between different practices and disciplines, and make links to their own work. *Show knowledge and understanding of the different materials used in art and design.

Drawing	Painting	3D / Sculpture	Textiles / Collage
* Experiment with the use of colour,	* Experiment with the use of colour,	*Manipulate clay or other malleable	*Use a variety of techniques
pattern, texture, line and shape.	pattern, texture, line and shape.	materials for a variety of purposes	including weaving, French knitting,
*Draw for a sustained period of time	*Experiment with tools and	including thumb pots, simple coil	tie-dyeing, fabric crayons, wax or oil
from real object, including single and	techniques including layering, mixing	pots and models.	resist, applique and embroidery.
grouped objects.	media, scraping etc.	*Build a textured relief tile.	*Create textured collages from a
*Experiment with a wide range of	*Name different types of paint and	*Experiment with, and construct and	variety of media.
media including pencils, rubbers,	their properties.	join recycled, natural and manmade	*Make a simple mosaic.
crayons, pastels and chalks, felt tips,	*Work on a range of scales.	materials more confidently.	*Stitch, knot and use other
charcoal, ball point pens and other	*Mix and match colours using	*Understand the safety and basic	manipulative skills.
dry media.	artefacts and objects.	care of materials and tools.	
*Layer different media e.g. crayons,	*Mix a range of secondary colours,		
pastels, felt tips, charcoal and ball	shades and tones.		
point pens.	*Be spontaneously expressive with		

*Investigate tone by drawing light	the paint.		
and dark lines, patterns and shapes.			
*Use line to represent objects seen,			
remembered or imagined.			
*Draw shapes between objects –			
space.			
*Be spontaneously expressive,			
create new lines and shapes.			
Still Life: Jan van Os 1777/8 'Fruit	Colour: Henri Matisse 1908	Sculpture: Work using natural	
and flowers in a terracotta vase'	'Harmony in red'	materials by Andy Goldsworthy.	
		Work using found materials by	
Space: work by Pablo Picasso	Line: Jackson Pollock 1949 'Number	Picasso.	
	Six' or 1950 'Lavender Mist'		

Key Stage 2: Year 3

Programmes of Study and Key Skills

Investigating and Making Art, Craft	Exploring Ideas	Evaluating and developing Ideas	Knowledge and Understanding
and Design			
*Develop their techniques, including their control and their use of materials, with creativity and experimentation.	*Create sketchbooks to record their observations and use them to review and revisit ideas. *Improve their mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing, painting and sculpture with a range of materials.	*Comment on the similarities and differences between their own and others' work and respond to the work of Artists. *Adapt and improve their own work.	*Develop and increasing awareness of different kinds of art, craft and design. * Develop knowledge and understanding of the visual and tactile elements of art and design: line, shape, pattern, texture, colour and tone, and how these are combined and organised for different purposes.

Drawing	Painting	Sculpture / 3D	Textiles / Collage	Sketchbooks
*Control a pencil with increasing	*Experiment with different	*Join clay adequately	*Use a variety of techniques	*Use a sketchbook
confidence.	effects and textures	and work reasonably	including printing, dyeing,	to collect and
*Draw for a sustained period of time at	including blocking in colour,	independently.	quilting, weaving,	record visual
their own level.	washes, thickened paint.	*Construct a simple clay	embroidery, paper and	information from
*Plan and refine their drawings.	*Work confidently on a	base for extending and	plastic trappings and	different sources.
*Draw confidently from observation; begin	range of scales.	modelling other shapes.	applique.	*Record
to look carefully at the shape and	*Mix a variety of colours and	*Cut and join wood	*Name the tools and	explorations and
proportions of the subject.	know which primary colours	safely and effectively.	materials they have used.	experimentations
*Draw from imagination expressing their	make secondary colours.	*Make a simple papier	*Develop skills in stitching,	with different
feelings.	*Use a developed colour	mache object.	cutting and joining.	media.
*Experiment with different grades of	vocabulary.	*Plan, design and make	*Experiment with a range of	*Use a sketchbook
pencil (HB and 6B) and other implements.	*Be spontaneously	models.	media e.g. overlapping,	to plan and

*Use different media such as pencils,	expressive with the paint.	layering etc.	develop their ideas.
rubbers, crayons, pastels and chalks, felt			
tips, charcoal, ball point pens and paint to			
achieve variations in line, form, tone,			
colour, shape and pattern including			
producing a range of patterns and			
textures.			
*Explore shading using pastels and chalk			
and begin to infill shapes using coloured			
pencils producing a range of tones.			
Pattern: Gustav Klimt 1907/8 'The Kiss'	Colour: Wassily Kandinsky		
	1925 'Yellow-Red-Blue' or '		
Expression: Edvard Munch 1893 'The	1913 Squares with		
Scream'	concentric circles'		

Key Stage 2: Year 4

Programmes of Study and Key Skills

Investigating and Making Art, Craft	Exploring Ideas	Evaluating and developing Ideas	Knowledge and Understanding
and Design			
* Develop their techniques, including	*Create sketchbooks to record their	*Adapt and improve their work to	* Develop knowledge and
their control and their use of	observations and use them to review	realise their own intentions.	understanding about great artists,
materials, with creativity and	and revisit ideas.	*Respond to the work of Artists and	architects and designers in history.
experimentation.	*Explore ideas; collect visual and	start to work in the style of an Artist.	*Understand the role and function
* Design and make images and	other information, including		of art, craft and design in different
artefacts for different purposes.	drawings from first hand observation		times and cultures.
	to help them develop work.		

Drawing	Painting	Sculpture / 3D	Textiles / Collage	Sketchbooks
*Draw for a sustained period of time at	*Show increasing	*Make informed choices	*Match the tool to the	*Collect images and
their own level.	independence and	about the 3D technique	material.	information
*Alter and refine drawings and describe	creativity with the painting	chosen.	*Use combining skills more	independently in a
changes using artistic vocabulary.	process.	*Show an understanding	readily.	sketchbook using a
*Make informed choices in drawing	*Work confidently on a	of shape, space and form.	*Choose collage or textiles	range of sources.
including the paper and media to use.	range of scales.	*Plan, design, make and	as a means of extending	*Use a sketchbook
*Use research to inspire drawings from	*Choose paints and	adapt models.	work already achieved.	to record
memory and imagination; express feelings	implements appropriate to	*Talk about their work,	*Refine and alter ideas and	explorations and
through drawing.	their task.	understanding that it has	explain choices using an art	experimentations
*Draw confidently from observation;	*Use different thicknesses	been sculpted, modelled	vocabulary.	with different media.
develop knowledge of the proportions and	of paintbrushes and paint	or constructed.	*Collect visual information	*Use a sketchbook
layout of the human face and draw more	to achieve variations in	*Use a variety of	from a variety of sources	for planning and
complicated still life.	line, form, tone, colour,	materials.	describing with vocabulary	developing ideas,
*Start to use simple perspective.	shape and pattern.		the visual and tactile	including fantasy
*Use a range of grades of pencil (HB, 6B	*Plan and create different		elements.	ideas from their

and 6H) and other media including pastels	effects and textures and	*Experiment with paste	imagination.
and chalk to explore the relationships	paint according to what	resist.	
between line and tone, pattern and shape,	they need for the task.		
line and texture.	*Make and match colours		
*Use different media such as pencils,	with increasing accuracy.		
crayons, pastels and chalks, different	*Use more specific colour		
thicknesses of charcoal to achieve	language e.g. tint, tone,		
variations in line, form, tone, colour, shape	shade, hue.		
and pattern and produce a range of			
patterns and textures used in their			
drawings.			
*Explore ways in which a rubber may be			
used to develop tone in pencil and			
charcoal drawings.			
*Select different techniques for different			
purposes e.g. shading or hatching.			
*Begin to show awareness of objects			
having a third dimension by solidifying			
shapes with colour.			
Shape and Proportion of the human face:	Use of brush strokes:		
Lucas Cranach the Elder 1509 'John	Vincent van Gogh 1888		
Friedrich the magnanimous at the age of	'Sunflowers' or 1889 'The		
six'	starry night'		
Vigee-Lebrun 1782 'Self-portrait in a straw			
hat'	Shen Quan 1747 'Cat'		
Andy Warhol 1967 'Marilyn'			

Key Stage 2: Year 5

Programmes of Study and Key Skills

Investigating and Making Art, Craft	Exploring Ideas	Evaluating and developing Ideas	Knowledge and Understanding
and Design			
* Develop their techniques, including	*Create sketchbooks to record their	*Recognise and discuss different	* Develop knowledge and
their control and their use of	observations and use them to review	approaches to their own and other	understanding about great artists,
materials, with creativity and	and revisit ideas.	people's work.	architects and designers in history.
experimentation.	*Explore ideas; collect visual and	*Consider how work might be	*Be familiar with artists from
* Communicate ideas and meanings,	other information, including	developed in the future, evaluating	different times.
and make images and artefacts,	drawings from first hand observation	and discussing in depth.	
combining and organising visual and	to help them develop work.	*Start to work in the style of	
tactile qualities to suit their	*Generate work showing a personal	different Artists.	
intentions.	response to experiences.		
	*Use music, stories and artefacts to		
	develop ideas for work.		

Drawing	Painting	Sculpture / 3D	Textiles / Collage	Sketchbooks
*Explore the potential properties of the	*Explore the potential	*Describe the different	*Join fabrics in different	*Use a sketchbook
visual elements line, tone, pattern, form,	properties of the visual	qualities involved in	ways, including stitching.	to plan and develop
colour and shape.	elements line, tone,	modelling, sculpture and	*Use different grades and	ideas.
*Work in a sustained and independent	pattern, form, colour and	construction.	uses of threads and	*Use a sketchbook
way from observation, experience and	shape.	*Use recycled, natural	needles.	to collect source
imagination.	*Create imaginative work	and man-made materials	*Extend their work within a	material and
*Use a variety of source material for their	from a variety of sources.	to create a sculpture.	specified technique.	research required
work.	*Work on preliminary	*Plan a sculpture through	*Use a range of media to	information.
*Draw familiar things from different	studies to test media and	drawing and preparatory	create collage.	*Start to develop
viewpoints.	materials.	work.	*Experiment with using	their own style using
*Show knowledge of the correct	*Demonstrate a secure		Batik safely.	explorations and

proportions and layout of the human face	knowledge of primary and		experimentations
and figure.	secondary, warm and cold,		with different media.
*Begin to use simple perspective in their	complementary and		
work using a single focal point and a	contrasting colours.		
horizon.			
*Use a viewfinder to focus on small areas.			
*Use a range of grades of pencil (4H to			
6B), charcoal, fibre tip pen, pen and ink,			
graphite, crayon and ICT.			
*Use a range of dry media to make			
different marks, lines and shapes within a			
drawing e.g. pencils, crayons, pastels and			
chalks, different thicknesses of charcoal			
and ball point pens.			
*Use a range of materials to produce tone			
and shade, show experience in creating			
tonal contrast and select different			
techniques for different purposes eg			
shading or hatching.			
*Colour mix with colouring pencils to			
create a wide tonal range within their			
work.			
Different view points: Auguste Renoir		Sculpture: use sculptures	
1876 'Dance at the Moulin de la Galette'		made of recycled items	
Edgar Degas 1897 'Dancers in blue'		by artists such as	
		Katherine Harvey, Aurora	
Proportion and layout of the human face		Robson, David Edgar (all	
and figure: Leonardo da Vinci 1505 'Mona		contemporary)	
Lisa'			
Jan Vermeer 1665-75 'The girl with the			
pearl earing'			
Edgar Degas 1890 'Blue dancers'			

Key Stage 2: Year 6

Programmes of Study and Key Skills

Investigating and Making Art, Craft	Exploring Ideas	Evaluating and developing Ideas	Knowledge and Understanding
and Design			
* Develop their techniques, including their control and their use of materials, with creativity and experimentation.	*Create sketchbooks to record their observations and use them to review and revisit ideas. *Explore ideas; collect visual and other information, including drawings from first hand observation to help them develop work. *Keep notes in sketchbooks about how work might be developed further.	*Adapt and refine their work to reflect their own view of its purpose and meaning. *Identify and discuss the ways in which Artists have worked and use this to develop their own style.	* Develop knowledge and understanding about great artists, architects and designers in history. *Know about the role and purpose of artists, craftspeople and designers working in different times and cultures. *Discuss similarities and differences in the work of artists.

Drawing	Drawing Painting		Textiles / Collage	Sketchbooks
*Work in a sustained and independent	*Show awareness of how	*Develop skills in using	*Show awareness of the	*Develop ideas using
way to create a detailed drawing.	paintings are created.	clay including slabs,	potential of the uses of	different and mixed
*Identify artists who have worked in a	*Choose and use	coils, slips etc.	materials.	media using a
similar way in their own work.	appropriate paint, paper and	*Make a mould and use	*Use different techniques,	sketchbook.
*Select appropriate media and techniques	implements to adapt and	plaster safely.	colours and textiles when	*Use a sketchbook
to achieve a specific outcome.	extend their work.	*Create a sculpture and	designing and making	to plan and develop
*Show awareness of how pictures are	*Work from a variety of	constructions with	pieces of work.	ideas; collecting
created e.g. composition.	composition. sources including those		*Be expressive and	source material and
*Begin to develop an awareness of	researched independently.	independence.	analytical in order to adapt,	research required
composition, scale and proportion in their	*Carry out preliminary		extend and justify their	information.
pictures e.g. foreground, middle ground	studies, test media and		work.	*Use a sketchbook
and background.	materials and mix			to plan and develop

*Develop close observation skills using a	appropriate colours.		ideas from their own
viewfinder to focus on small areas.	*Create shades and tints		imagination.
*Manipulate and experiment with the	using black and white.		
elements of art; line, tone, pattern, form,			
colour, shape and space.			
*Use a full range of grades of pencil (6H to			
6B), charcoal, fibre tip pen, pen and ink,			
graphite, crayon and ICT.			
*Demonstrate a wide variety of ways to			
create marks, patterns and textures with			
combinations of wet and dry media.			
*Use different techniques for different			
purposes with confidence eg shading or			
hatching within their own work.			
*Show increasing attention to detail and			
skill in colour mixing, matching and			
blending techniques with colouring pencils			
to create a wide tonal range within their			
work.			
* Create tonal contrast and use tone to			
achieve depth.			
Composition: Thomas Gainsborough 1750		Alberto Giacometti	
'Mr and Mrs Andrews'		1949 'The square'	
Katsushika Hokusai 1829-33 'The Great			
Wave'			
J M W Turner 1839 'Fighting Temraire'			
Edward Hopper 1942 'Nighthawks'			
Using a viewfinder: Georgia O'Keeffe 1927			
'Oriental Poppies'			
Tone: Jan van Eyck 1434 'The Arnolfini			
Portrait'			