



'Let your light shine as you grow'

Subject Leader Curriculum Intent, Implementation and Impact Overview	
Subjects: Art & DT	Subject Leader: Sam Pike

At St Mary's our intent for art and design & technology to teach a rich, creative and progressive curriculum using a wide range of resources, mediums and inspirations.

Intent	Implementation	Impact
<p>Here, at St Mary's Primary School, we value and are dedicated to the teaching of Art and Design Technology. We see this as a fundamental part of school life.</p> <p>We are committed to providing an 'arts rich curriculum' for our children. We believe that by developing this, we can contribute to the quality of our children's lives, both within and beyond school. We want our children to be amazed and thrilled by the world around them and be inspired to use these influences creatively.</p> <p>We see art and design as a means to support learning in a range of ways. The skills that are developed in these subjects can be transferred across the curriculum and thus aid learning.</p> <p>The planning and monitoring shows clear progression of skills in both art and design technology.</p>	<p>As a school and in accordance with the National Curriculum's expectations, we aim to ensure that all pupils:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • produce creative work, exploring their ideas and recording their experiences • become proficient in drawing, painting, sculpture and other art, craft and design techniques including: sketching, shading, creating tone, use of colour, model-making and finishes • learn, evaluate, analyse and be inspired by a wide range of great artists, craft makers and designers, and understand the historical and cultural development of their art forms and specific vocabulary • show clear progression of skills from EYFS up to year 6 in line with the skills progression document • evaluate and develop children's own work and support others in developing their work further <p>Class teachers are usually responsible for teaching art and design technology, although there will be times when professional artists/helpers will be involved in the teaching of the topic. We take every opportunity to develop links with outside agencies and experts, inviting artists and designers into the school to work with our children.</p> <p>Throughout the year key days (including topic days) will be in place in all year groups, where creativity and design is of high priority and focus.</p>	<p>Our children enjoy the self-expression that they experience in both art and design technology and can speak confidently about their learning and experiences.</p> <p>They are always keen to learn new skills and work hard to perfect those shown to them. They take peer evaluation well and thrive to develop their own skills. The children's art is very often cross-curricular helping them to express feelings and emotions in PSHE, as well as showing their knowledge and understanding in history, geography (topic) and science.</p> <p>Through their art and design, the children are able to reach out into the community, with our pupil's artwork proudly submitted to competitions and shared in the local newspapers.</p>