## By Brook Valley School

## Progression in Art Skills

## Upper Key Stage 2

Exploring and Developing Ideas

- Develop techniques; including control and use of materials with creativity, experimentation and an increasing awareness of different kinds of art, craft and design
- Improve mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing, painting and sculpture with a range of materials (for example pencil, charcoal, paint, clay)
- Learn about roles and purposes of artists, architects, designers and crafts people from different times and cultures
- Select and record from first hand observation, experience and imagination and explore ideas for different purposes
- Question and make thoughtful observations about starting points and select ideas to use in their work


## Evaluating and developing work

- Create sketch books to record observations and use them to review and revisit ideas
- Compare ideas, methods and approaches to their own and others' work and say what they think and feel about it
- Adapt work according to their views and describe how they might develop it further
- Annotate work in sketch books


## Drawing

Work from a variety of sources including observation, photographs and digital images
Work in a sustained and independent way to create detailed drawing Develop close observation skills
use view finders
Use a sketchbook to collect and develop ideas
Identify artists who have worked in similar ways to their own work

Lines, marks, tone, form and texture-
Use dry media to make different marks, lines, patterns and shapes within drawing
Experiment with wet media to make different marks, lines, patterns, textures and shapes
Explore colour mixing and blending techniques with coloured pencils Use different techniques for different purposes e.g. shading, hatching within own work
Start to develop their own style using tonal contrast and mixed media

| Digital Media | Painting |  |
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| $\bullet \quad$Record, collect and store <br> images using digital cameras | $\bullet$Develop a painting from <br> drawing | $\bullet$ |

- Carry out preliminary studies, trying out different media, materials and mixing appropriate colours
- Create imaginative work from a variety of sources e.g. Observational drawing, themes, poetry and music

Colour-

- Mix and match colours to create atmosphere and light effects
- Be able to identify primary secondary, complimentary and contrasting colours
- Work with complimentary colours


## Perspective and composition-

Begin to use simple perspective in their work using a single focal point and horizon
Begin to develop an awareness of composition, scale and proportion in their paintings e.g. Foreground, middle ground and background Show an awareness of how paintings are created
3-D Collage

- Add collage to a painted, printed or drawn background
- Use a range of media to create collages
- Use different techniques, colours and textures when designing and making pieces of work
- Use collage as a means of extending work from initial ideas


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| Drawing |  |  |  |  |
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| Experiment with ways in which surface detail can be added to drawings <br> Use sketch books to collect and record visual information from different sources Draw for a sustained period of time at an appropriate level | Line and Marks- <br> Make marks and lines with a wide range of drawing implements e.g. charcoal, pencil, crayon, chalk pastels, pens etc... Experiment with different grades of pencil and other implements to create lines and marks | Form and shape- <br> Experiment with different grades of pencil and other implements to draw different forms and shapes <br> Begin to show an awareness of objects having a third dimension | Tone- <br> Experiment with different grades of pencil and other implements to achieve variations in tone Apply tone in a drawing in a simple way | Texture- <br> Create textures with a wide range of drawing implements Apply a simple use of pattern and texture in drawing |


| Digital Media |
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| - $\quad$Record and collect images <br> using digital cameras and <br> video recorders |

- Present recorded visual images using software e.g. Photostory, photoshop
- Use a graphics package to create images and effects with lines by controlling the brush tool with increased precision
- Changing the type of brush to an appropriate style e.g. charcoal
- Create shapes by making sections to cut, duplicate and repeat
- Experiment with colours and textures by making appropriate choice of special effects and simple filters to manipulate images for a particular purpose
- Experiment with different effects and textures including block colour, washes, thickened paint creating textural effects
- Work on a range of scales e.g. Thin brushes on small picture etc...
- Create different effects and textures with paint according to what they need for the task


## Colour-

- Mix colours and know which primary colours make secondary colours
- Use more specific colour language
- Mix and use tints and shades
- Create printing blocks using a relief or impressed method
- Create repeating patterns
- Print with two colour overlays
- Use a variety of techniques, e.g. Printing, dyeing, weaving and stitching to create different textual effects
- Match the tool to the material
- Develop skills in stitching, cutting and joining
- Experiment with paste resist
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Plan, design and make models from observation or imagination

- Join clay adequately and construct a simple base for extending and modeling other shapes
- Create surface patterns and textures in a malleable material
- Use paper mache to create a simple 3d object
- Experiment with a range of collage techniques such as tearing, overlapping and layering to create images and represent textures
- Use collage as a means of collecting ideas and information and building a visual vocabulary


## Progression in Art Skills

## Key Stage 1

## Exploring and Developing Ideas

- Record and explore ideas from first hand observations
- Ask and answer questions about the starting points for their work
- Develop their ideas- try things out, change their minds
- Explore the work of artists, craftspeople and designers from different times and cultures
- Use a range of materials creatively to design and make products
- Use drawing, sculpture and painting to develop ideas
- Develop a wide range of art and design techniques using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space
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Experiment with a variety of media;
pencils, rubbers, crayons, pastels, felt tips, charcoal, ballpoints, chalk
Control the types of marks made with a range of media

| $\underline{\text { Lines and Marks- }}$ | $\frac{\text { Shape- }}{\text { Name, match and draw lines/marks from }} \quad$ Observe and draw shapes from |
| :---: | :---: | observations

Invent new lines
Draw on different surfaces with a range

## Evaluating and developing work

- Share ideas, experiences and imagination
- Explore the work of artists, craftspeople and designers from different times and cultures, making links to own work
- Review what they have done and say what they think and feel about it
- Identify what they might change in their current work or develop in future work

| Digital Media |
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| Explore ideas using digital | sources e.g. Internet, CDROMs

- Record visual information using digital cameras and recorders
- Use a simple graphics package to create images and effects with lines by changing the size of brushes in response to ideas
- Use eraser, shape and fill tools
- Use basic selecting and cropping tools
- Use a variety of tools and techniques including different brush sizes and types
- Mix and match colours to artifacts and objects
- Work on different scales
- Experiment with tools and techniques eg. Layering, mixing media, scrapping through
- Name different types of paint and their properties


## Colour-

- Identify primary colours by name
- Mix primary shades and tones

Texture-

- Create textured paint by adding sand, plaster
- Print with a range of hard and soft materials e.g. Corks, pen barrels, sponge
- Make simple marks on rollers and printing palettes
- Take simple prints e.g. Mono-print
- Roll printing ink over found objects to create patterns e.g. Plastic mesh, stencils
- Build repeating patterns and recognise patterns in the environment
- Create simple printing blocks with press print
- Design more repetitive patterns


## Colour-

- Experiment with overlapping motifs and colours


## Texture-

- Make rubbings to collect textures and patterns

Match and sort fabrics and threads for colour, texture, length, size and shape

- Change and modify threads and fabrics, knotting, fraying, fringing, pulling threads, twisting, plaiting
- Cut and shape fabric using scissors/snips
- Apply shapes with glue or by stitching
- Apply decoration using beads, buttons, feathers etc...
- Create cords and plaits for decoration


## Colour-

- Apply colour with printing, dipping, fabric crayons
- Create and use dyes e.g. onion skins, tea, coffee

Texture-

- Create fabrics by weaving materials e.g. grass through twigs, carrier bags through a bike wheel

