Year 2 - Art

Knowledge, Skills and Understanding 2018/19

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 for differences and similarities.

Evaluating and developing work

- Review what they and others 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.

Drawing

- Experiment with a variety of media; pencils, rubbers, crayons, pastels, felt tips, charcoal, ballpoints,
- Control the types of marks made with a range of media.
- Name, match and draw lines/ marks from observations.
- Invent new lines.
- Draw on different surfaces with a range of media.
- Observe and draw shapes from observations.
- Draw shapes in between objects.
- Invent new shapes.
- Investigate tone by drawing light/ dark lines, light/ dark pattern, light/ dark shapes.
- Investigate textures by describing, naming, rubbing, copying.

Textiles

- Match and sort fabrics and threads for colour, texture, length, size and shape.
- Change and modify threads and fabric, 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.
- Apply colour with printing, dipping, fabric crayons.
- Create and use dyes i.e. onion skins, tea, coffee.
- Create fabrics by weaving materials i.e. grass through twigs.

Painting

- Use a variety of tools and techniques including different brush sizes and types.
- Mix and match colours to artefacts and objects.
- Work on different scales.
- Experiment with tools and techniques e.g. layering, mixing media, scraping through.
- Name different types of paint and their properties.
- Identify primary and secondary colours by name.
- Mix primary shades and tones.
- Mix secondary colours.
- Create textured paint by adding sand, plaster.

Collage

- Create images from a variety of media e.g. photocopied material, fabric, crepe paper, magazines etc.
- Arrange and glue materials to different backgrounds.
- Sort and group materials for different purposes e.g. colour, texture
- Fold, crumple, tear and overlap papers.
- Work on different scales.
- Collect, sort, name and match colours appropriate for an image.
- Create and arrange shapes appropriately.
- Create, select and use textured paper for an image.

