# Nevill Road Infant School Art Curriculum 

## National Curriculum Subject Content

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| ESSENTIAL OBJECTIVES | ESSENTIAL OPPORTUNITIES |
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Children at the expected level of development will:

- Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function;
- Share their creations, explaining the process they have used
- Make use of props and materials when role-playing characters in narratives and stories.
- Begin to show accuracy and care when drawing


## KEY STAGE 1

## ESSENTIAL OBJECTIVES

- To produce creative work, exploring ideas and recording experiences.
- To become proficient in drawing, painting, sculpture and other art, craft and design techniques.
- To evaluate and analyse creative works.
- To know about great artists, craft makers and designers and understand the historical and cultural development.


## ESSENTIAL OPPORTUNITIES

- To use a range of materials creatively to design and make products.
- To use drawing, painting and sculpture to develop and share their ideas, experiences and imagination.
- To develop a wide range of art and design techniques in using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space.
- To learn about the work of a range of artists, craft makers and designers, describing the differences and similarities between different practices and disciplines, and making links to their own work.

| $\begin{gathered} \text { EYFS } \\ \text { BREADTH } \\ \text { OF STUDY } \end{gathered}$ |  | KS1 BREADTH OF STUDY | Y1 | Y2 |
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| Three and Four Year Olds | Physical Development <br> Can I use large-muscle movements to wave flags and streamers, paint and make marks? <br> Can I choose the right resources to carry out my own plan? <br> Can I use one-handed tools and equipment, for example, making snips in paper with scissors? | DRAWING | Can I explore the use of line, shape and colour? <br> Can I record and explore ideas from first hand observation, experience and imagination? <br> Can I use a variety of tools incl. pencils, crayons, rubbers, pastels, felt tips, | Can I refine my use of a variety of tools incl. pencils, crayons, rubbers, pastels, felt tips, charcoal, ball points, chalk and other dry media? <br> Can I explore and begin to refine the use of line, shape and colour? |



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|  | Can I use a comfortable grip with good control when holding pens and pencils? <br> Expressive Arts and Design <br> Can I explore different materials freely, in order to develop my ideas about how to use them and what to make? <br> Can I develop my own ideas and then decide which materials to use to express them? <br> Can I join different materials and explore different textures? <br> Can I create closed shapes with continuous lines, and begin to use these shapes to represent objects? <br> Can I draw with increasing complexity and detail, such as representing a face with a circle and including details? <br> Can I use drawing to represent ideas like movement or loud noises? <br> Can I show different emotions in my drawings and paintings, like happiness, sadness, fear, etc.? <br> Can I explore colour and colour mixing? |  | charcoal, ball points, chalk and other dry media? <br> Can I layer different media e.g. crayons, pastels, felt tips, charcoal and ballpoint? <br> Can I draw from the figure and real objects, including single and grouped objects? <br> Can I experiment with the visual elements; line, shape, pattern and colour? | Can I layer different media e.g. crayons, pastels, felt tips, charcoal and ballpoint? <br> Can I draw for a sustained period of time from the figure and real objects, including single and grouped objects? <br> Can I experiment and refine visual elements; line, shape, pattern and colour? |
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| Reception | Physical Development <br> Can I develop my small motor skills so that I can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently? |  | Can I mix secondary colours using different types of paint? <br> Can I use a variety of tools and techniques including the use of different brush sizes and types? | Can I mix a range of secondary colours, shades and tones? <br> Can I use a variety of tools and techniques including the use of different brush sizes and types? |

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Can I use my core muscle strength to achieve a good posture when sitting at a table or sitting on the floor?

Can I develop overall body-strength, balance, coordination and agility?

## Expressive Arts and Design

Can I explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express my ideas and feelings?

Can I return to and build on my previous learning, refining ideas and developing my ability to represent them?

Can I create collaboratively, sharing ideas, resources and skills?
$\left.\begin{array}{|l|l|l|}\text { PAINTING } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Can I mix and match primary colours to } \\ \text { artefacts and objects? } \\ \text { Can I create different textures e.g. use of } \\ \text { sawdust? } \\ \text { Can I mix a range of secondary colours? } \\ \text { Can I experiment with tools and } \\ \text { techniques incl. layering etc.? } \\ \text { Can I name different types of paint and } \\ \text { their properties } \\ \text { Can I work on different scales e.g. large } \\ \text { brush on large paper etc.? } \\ \text { Can I mix and match colours using } \\ \text { artefacts and objects? }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Can I mix and match primary and } \\ \text { secondary colours to artefacts and } \\ \text { Can I mix secondary colours and shades } \\ \text { using different types of paint? } \\ \text { Can I create different textures e.g. use of } \\ \text { different paints and small scale objects } \\ \text { i.e. sand, glitter, salt, sugar? } \\ \text { Can I experiment with tools and } \\ \text { techniques incl. layering, mixing media, } \\ \text { scraping through etc.? }\end{array} \\ \text { Can I name different types of paint and } \\ \text { their properties } \\ \text { Can I work on a range scales and media } \\ \text { e.g. large brush on large wood etc.? }\end{array}\right\}$ Can I mix and match colours using $\left.\begin{array}{l}\text { artefacts and objects? }\end{array}\right\}$


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|  | Can I use a variety of techniques incl. carbon printing, relief, press and fabric printing and rubbings? <br> Can I design patterns of increasing complexity and repetition? <br> Can I print using a variety of materials, objects and techniques? |  |
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| TEXTILES |  | Can I create textured collages from a variety of media? <br> Can I use a variety of techniques incl. weaving, French knitting, tie-dyeing, fabric crayons and wax or oil resist, appliqué and embroidery? <br> Can I thread a needle, cut, glue and trim material? <br> Can I create images from imagination, experience or observation? <br> Can I use a wide variety of media incl. photocopied material, fabric, plastic, tissue, magazines, crepe paper etc.? <br> Can I create textured collages from a variety of media? <br> Can I make a simple mosaic? <br> Can I stitch, knot and use other manipulative skills? |
| SCULPTURE | Can I manipulate clay in a variety of ways e.g. rolling, kneading, and shaping? | Can I manipulate clay for a variety of purposes incl. thumb pots, simple coil pots and models? |



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|  | Can I experiment with, construct and join recycled, natural and man-made materials? <br> Can I explore shape and form? | Can I build a textured relief tile? <br> Can I understand the safety and basic care of materials and tools? <br> Can I experiment with, construct and join recycled, natural and man-made materials more confidently <br> Can I explore sculpture with a range of malleable media, especially clay? |
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| UNDERSTANDI NG OF ART | Can I record ideas from first hand observation, experience and imagination? <br> Can I answer questions about the starting points for my work and the processes I have used? <br> Can I develop my own ideas? <br> Can I explore the differences and similarities within the work of artists in different times and cultures? <br> Can I identify what I might change in my current work? <br> Can I annotate work in sketchbook? | Can I explore the differences and similarities within the work of artists, craftspeople and designers in different times and cultures? <br> Can I record, develop and explore ideas from first hand observation, experience and imagination? <br> Can I ask others and answer questions about the starting points for my work and the processes I have used? <br> Can I develop ideas using mood boards and collaboration? <br> Can I identify what I might change in my current work or develop in my future work? <br> Can I annotate work in sketchbook through the use of a narrative? |



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|  | EYFS | Y1 | Y2 |
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| DRAWING | Fine Motor Skills <br> Can I hold a pencil effectively in preparation for fluent writing - using the tripod grip in almost all cases? | Can I begin to explore the use of line, shape and colour? | Can I experiment and refine the visual elements; line, shape, pattern and colour? |
| PAINTING |  | Can I mix secondary colours using different types of paint? | Can I mix a range of secondary colours, shades and tones? |
| PRINTING | Can I use a range of small tools, including scissors, paintbrushes and cutlery? <br> Can I begin to show accuracy and care when drawing? | Can I make rubbings? <br> Can I use a variety of techniques incl. carbon printing, relief, press and fabric printing and rubbings? | X |
| TEXTILES |  | X | Can I use a variety of techniques incl. weaving, French knitting, tie-dyeing, fabric crayons and wax or oil resist, appliqué and embroidery? <br> Can I create textured collages from a variety of media? |
| SCULPTURE | Creating with Materials <br> Can I safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function? | Can I manipulate clay in a variety of ways e.g. rolling, kneading, and shaping? | Can I explore sculpture with a range of malleable media, especially clay? |
| UNDERSTANDING OF ART | Can I share my creations, explaining the process I have used? | Can I record ideas from first hand observation, experience and imagination? | Can I explore the differences and similarities within the work of artists, craftspeople and designers in different times and cultures? |

