

The Laurels Primary School – Progression of Skills – Art and Design

	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	End of KS expectations	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	End of KS expectations
Drawing (pencil, charcoal, inks, chalk, pastels, ICT software)		* Explore the use of line, shape and colour * Use a variety of tools, including pencils, crayons, pastels, felt tips, charcoal, ballpoints, chalk and other dry media	* Experiment with the visual elements of line, shape, pattern and colour * Work out ideas for drawings in a sketchbook * Draw for a sustained period of time using real objects, including single and grouped objects * Layer different media e.g. crayons, pastels, felt tips, charcoal and ballpoint	Pupils should be taught: - 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 - 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.	* Experiment with different grades of pencil and other implements * Use their sketchbook to observe, collect and record visual information from different sources * Use different media to achieve variations in line, texture, tone, colour, shape and pattern * Draw independently for a sustained period of time	* Explore relationships between line and tone, pattern and shape, line and texture and make informed choices in drawing, including use of paper and media * Use research to inspire drawings from memory and imagination * Alter and refine drawings and describe changes, based on close observation, using appropriate vocabulary * Make informed choices in drawing including use of paper and media * Collect images and information independently in a sketchbook	* Research and use a variety of source material for their work * Explore the potential properties of the visual elements of line, tone, pattern, texture, colour and shape * Work in a sustained and independent way from observation, experience and imagination * Use a sketchbook to develop ideas	* Manipulate and experiment with the elements of art: line, tone, pattern, texture, form, space, colour and shape. * Identify artists who have worked in a similar way to their own work * Demonstrate a wide variety of ways to make different marks with dry and wet media * Develop ideas using different or mixed media, using a sketchbook * Manipulate and experiment with the elements of art: line, tone, pattern, texture, form, space, colour and shape	Pupils should be taught: - to develop their techniques, including their control and their use of materials, with creativity, experimentation and an increasing awareness of different kinds of art, craft and design.
Colour & Pattern (painting, ink, dye, textiles, pencils, crayon, pastels)		* Explore a variety of tools and techniques including the use of different brush sizes and types * Use different brush sizes and types * Recognise pattern in the environment * Build a repeating pattern	* Experiment with a variety of tools and techniques, including mixing a range of secondary colours, shades and tones * Work on a range of scales e.g. large brush on large paper etc. * Design patterns of increasing complexity and repetition.		* Experiment with different effects and textures e.g. blocking in colour, colour washes, thickened paint etc. * Work confidently on a range of scales e.g. thin brush on small picture etc. * Mix a variety of colours and know which primary colours make secondary colours	* Show increasing independence and creativity with the painting process, demonstrating a willingness to experiment and take risks * Make and match colours with increasing accuracy * Use more specific colour language e.g. tint, tone, shade, hue. * Plan and create different effects and textures with paint	* Work on preliminary studies to test media and materials Investigate, explore and record information to generate imaginative ideas * Demonstrate a secure knowledge about primary and secondary, warm and cold, complementary and contrasting colours * Create imaginative work from a variety of sources	* Carry out preliminary studies, test media and materials and mix appropriate colours * Work from a variety of sources, including some researched independently * Choose appropriate paint, paper and implements to adapt and extend their work * Create shades and tints using black and white. Work from a variety of sources, including some researched independently * Show an awareness of how paintings are created	- to create sketch books to record their observations and use them to review and revisit ideas - to improve their mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing, painting and sculpture with a range of materials - about great
Texture (textiles, clay, sand, plaster, stone)		* Investigate using a wide variety of media, including card, fabric, plastic, tissue, magazines, crepe paper etc. * Use a variety of techniques e.g. weaving, fabric crayons, sewing	* Explore texture using a variety of media * Use a variety of techniques e.g. tie-dyeing, wax or oil resist, mosaic		* Experiment with a range of media e.g. overlapping, layering etc. * Use a variety of techniques e.g. quilting, weaving, embroidery, appliqué and develop skills in stitching, cutting and joining	* Experiment with paste resist * Match the correct tool to the material * Choose collage or textiles as a means of extending work already	* Join fabrics in different ways, including stitching * Use a range of media to create collage	* Show awareness of the potential of the uses of materials * Use different techniques, colours and textures when designing and making pieces of work	artists, architects and designers in history
Form (3D work, clay, dough, boxes, wire, paper, sculpture)		* Explore sculpture with a range of malleable media e.g. clay * Manipulate clay in a variety of ways e.g. rolling, kneading and shaping	* Experiment with, construct and join recycled, natural and man-made materials more confidently * Manipulate clay for a variety of purposes e.g. thumb pots, simple coil pots and models		* Research, plan, design and make models * Work with a degree of independence * Construct a simple clay base for extending and modelling other shapes * Make a simple papier mache object	achieved. * Through observation, talk about their own and others' work, understanding that it has been sculpted, modelled or constructed * Show an understanding of shape, space and form * Plan, design, make and adapt models using a variety of materials * Talk about their work, understanding that it has been sculpted, modelled or constructed	* Use recycled, natural and man-made materials to create sculpture * Plan a sculpture through drawing and other preparatory work	* Explore further the use of clay e.g. slabs, coils, slips, etc. * Create sculpture and constructions with increasing independence	
Printing (found materials, fruit/veg, wood blocks, press print, lino, string)		* Make marks in print with a variety of objects, including natural and made objects	* Investigate and design patterns of increasing complexity and repetition * Use a variety of techniques e.g. fabric printing, rubbings * Print using a variety of materials, objects and techniques.			* Explore pattern and shape, creating designs for printing * Observe and discuss the processes used to produce a simple print * Print using a variety of materials, objects and techniques including layering.	* Research, create and refine a print using a variety of techniques * Explore resist printing including marbling and silkscreen * Select broadly the kinds of material to print with in order to achieve the desired effect	* Become familiar with new techniques e.g. the use of poly-blocks, relief, mono and resist printing * Choose the printing method appropriate to task * Build up layers and colours/textures * Organise their work in terms of pattern, repetition, symmetry or random printing styles	* Describe varied techniques * Show confidence in printing on paper and fabric
Ideas (generating, responding, changing, observing, exploring, compare, investigate		* Respond to ideas * Make changes to their own work	* Explore ideas * Observe and comment on differences in their own and others' work * Observe the work of a range of artists, craft makers and designers, describing the differences and similarities between different practices and		* Find out about artists, architects and designers * Plan, refine and alter their work as necessary * Design and create images and artefacts in response to their personal ideas	* Find out about artists, architects and designers * Design and create images and artefacts for clearly defined purposes	random printing styles * Compare and comment on ideas, methods and approaches used in their own and others' work, beginning to relate these to intention, in order to adapt and improve outcomes * Design and create images and artefacts in response to personal ideas and for clearly defined purposes by selecting and	* Investigate, explore and record information about famous artists showing appreciation of aesthetic qualities * Analyse and comment on ideas and methods	

and artist	disciplines, and making links to		developing techniques and using a	
studies)	their own work		range of materials	