



WOORE PRIMARY & NURSERY SCHOOL

Art & Design Intent

Art, craft and design is a practical, and creative subject. Through their active participation, children learn to explore their imagination, generate ideas, acquire skills and apply judgement. Our aim is to teach children to develop their knowledge and understanding as well as their skills. They will learn about the materials and techniques they use and about the world of art, craft and design. Children will also be made aware of and to appreciate the achievements of artists, designers and craftspeople from many different times and cultures.

Children will be encouraged to express their ideas, attitudes and values in art and design from a very early age. They will approach art and design through a range of curriculum areas and through various events and activities in the school calendar. However, the knowledge, skills and understanding that are necessary to make appropriate progress in the subject will be planned and developed systematically. Therefore, children will be taught the four main progress objectives- *Generating ideas, Making, Evaluating and Knowledge*, through discreet lessons in art and design.

Drawing is fundamental to learning and expression in all aspects of art, craft and design. It will be used to research, record and gather information from observation, memory and other visual sources. Drawing will also be an expression of creativity in its own right in addition to supporting the design and development process.

Pupils in KS2 will use a sketchbook to record their ideas and develop and explore processes and techniques.

Outlined in the progression sheets, children will explore a range of media within the six main art forms listed-*Digital Media, Painting, Printing, Textiles, 3D work and Collage*.

Over the three classes, a gradual progression in processes, skills and materials are listed to guide teachers in what is to be taught.

Curriculum Coverage/progression:

Class 1-EYFS and Year 1

Class 2-Year 2, Year 3, Year 4

Class 3- Year 4, Year 5, Year 6

Outcomes for each year group are outlined within the **Art and Design Assessment Criteria** documents to aid teachers in assessment.