





### Art Overview written by Michelle Mytton, Subject Leader

### **Curriculum Intent**

At Elton CE Primary school, Art is an important part of our broad and balanced curriculum. We offer an exciting art and design education where the aim is to equip children with the knowledge and skills to inspire and challenge them. Our curriculum allows children to have the confidence to explore, experiment and experience with their own creative works of art, craft and design. Through evaluation of their work, children are able to develop critical thinking and a deeper understanding of art and design. They are also enabled to explore the impact of art craft and design throughout history and from a range of cultures. Ideas and responses generated though class discussions are recorded in a "floor book" and kept as a record to be enjoyed, shared and revisited.

We follow the national curriculum aims for art and design to ensure that all pupils:

- 1. produce creative work, exploring their ideas and recording their experiences
- 2. become proficient in drawing, painting, sculpture and other art, craft and design techniques
- 3. evaluate and analyse creative works using the language of art, craft and design
- 4. know about great artists, craft makers and designers, and understand the historical and cultural development and impact of their art forms.

### **Curriculum Implementation**

Children are taught Art as a discrete subject under the Big Question banner, so that it links in to a wider range of subjects. It is also integrated across other areas of the curriculum. Elton's Big Question long term plan, allows children to explore a range of disciplines and media including painting, drawing, textiles, collage and sculpture. The children learn about the work of famous local, national and international artists to further enhance their learning.

### **Early Years Foundation Stage**

Children are encouraged to explore and use a range of media and materials and develop skills through teacher directed activities. Children develop their understanding of materials in order to manipulate and create different effects. They are taught how to use tools and techniques with greater control and confidence. They are shown how to work with purpose, express their own ideas and how to evaluate their work. Children in the Early Years are assessed within Expressive Arts and Design and their progress is tracked termly. Age-related expectation levels are reported to parents at the end of the reception year. **Key Stage 1** 

Children will experience the following at our school:

- 1. use a range of materials creatively to design and make products
- 2. draw, paint and sculpt, to develop and share their ideas, experiences and imagination
- 3. work collaboratively with others to create group work
- 4. begin to use a sketch book for teacher lead drawing sessions
- 5. experience a wide range of art and design techniques when using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space

6. appreciate 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.

#### Key stage 2

Children are taught to develop their techniques, including their control and use of materials, with creativity, experimentation and an increasing awareness of different kinds of art, craft and design. Children are taught to:

- 1. record their observations in sketch books and to use them to review and revisit ideas
- 2. improve their mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing, painting and sculpture with a range of materials [for example, pencil, charcoal, paint, clay]
- 3. reflect on the work of great artists, architects and designers in history, and how the work makes them feel and to share their ideas with others

### **Curriculum Impact**

Children at Elton CE Primary School have sketchbooks which they take with them as they move through the school from Year 1. This enables the children and staff to see the progress children have made, both with their drawing skills and ideas generation. Floor books are also taken through school with each class providing children's personal reflections and individual responses to artwork, artists and art movements. Formative assessment takes place throughout the school year and teachers use this information to inform future lessons, ensuring that children are supported and challenged appropriately. Further information is gathered through verbal feedback, and staff discuss achievement, improvements, and knowledge and skills which form next steps.

### **Extracurricular opportunities**

- Throughout the year, children are allowed to showcase their artwork as part of our "Homework Matters".
- They also have access to arts and crafts-based clubs which are run by teachers at various points of the year, and craft and design activities in Elton Enrich on a weekly basis, where they might be introduced to a new artistic technique (felting, quilling etc.)
- The school is organising an "art gallery" this year to replace the displays in the hall every child will have a piece of artwork on display.
- Pupils have independently organised an arts stall and produced their own artwork (cartoon drawings, keyrings, jewellery and origami) to sell in order to raise funds for the school.

### Key to understanding this document: Black = National Curriculum objectives Red = Knowledge/Skills to be taught Green = Resources to be used

Area of Learning	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
To produce	Exploring and	Explain what they	Experiment with	To create sketch	To create sketch	To create sketch	To create sketch
creative work,	using media and	and others have	tools and surfaces	books to record	books to record	books to record	books to record
exploring their	materials –	done.	<ul> <li>– oil pastels,</li> </ul>	their observation	their observation	their observation	their observation
ideas and	children develop		chalks, pencil,	and use them to			
recording their	their own ideas	What feelings does	colouring pencils -	review and revisit	review and revisit	review and revisit	review and revisit
experiences.	through selecting	it bring?	on the playground,	ideas.	ideas.	ideas.	ideas.
	and using		fabrics, pastel				
KS1 pupils should	materials and	What might they	paper and wood	Compare their	Compare ideas,	Compare ideas,	Compare ideas,
be taught to use a	working on	change?	(look at texture	work to others,	methods and	methods and	methods and
range of materials	processes that		and pattern)	methods,	approaches used	approaches used	approaches used
creatively to	interest them.	Use a sketchbook		techniques,	by themselves and	by themselves and	by themselves and
design and make	Through their	to collect ideas.	Draw lines from	colours etc.	others.	others.	others.
products.	explorations, they		observations				
	find out and make	Ask and answer		Adapt their work	Discuss how they	Discuss how they	Discuss how they
	decisions about	questions about	Draw the gaps	after discussion.	feel about their	feel about their	feel about their
	how media and	starting points,	(draw shapes in		own and others	own and others	own and others
	materials can be	artists etc.	between objects)	Use a sketchbook	work.	work.	work.
	combined and			to collect ideas,			
	changed.			develop ideas and	What might they	What might they	What might they
				annotate.	change? Adapt	change? Adapt	change? Describe
	Being imaginative				work accordingly.	work accordingly.	how they may
	– children talk			Record from			change their work
	about the ideas			observations and	Use a sketchbook	Use a sketchbook	and why. Adapt
	and processes,			their own	to record	to record	work accordingly.
	which have led			imagination.	observations and	observations and	Then discuss how
	them to made				other visual	other visual	they could change
	designs, images or				information from	information from	it further.
	products. They				different sources.	different sources.	

can talk about features of their own and others' work, recognising the differences between them and the strengths of others.		Annotate ideas. Question, discuss and make observations about starting points/artists and artworks. What can they magpie for their own work?	Annotate ideas. Question, discuss and make observations about starting points/artists and artworks. What can they magpie for their own work?	Use a sketchbook to record close observations and other visual information from different sources. Annotate ideas. Question, discuss and make observations about starting points/artists and artworks. What can they magpie for their own work?
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foreground, middle ground and background.
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COLOUR KS1 pupils should be taught to use painting to develp their ideas, experiences and imagination.	Experiment with painting and colour mixing using powder paints, poster paints and water colours. Experiment with	Using poster paints, crayon, chalk, pencils, felt tips etc Name colours Experiment with	Describe colours Make as many tints as possible using white poster paint Darken colours	Use specific colour language – primary colour, secondary colour,tertiary colours, hue, shades (black added), tints(white added).	Colour mix to match tints, tones and shades in existing works. Mix and use, tints, tones and shades and apply to work.	Identify and work with complementary and contrasting colours using different media – paint, pastels etc	Mix and match colours to create light, thinking about direction of light and its effect on images Use different
KS1 pupils should be taught todevelop a wide range of art and design techniques in using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space. KS2 Pupils should be taught to improve their mastery of art and design techniques, including painting with a range of materials.	crayons, chalks and oil pastels.	colours Mix primary colours to make secondary colours Apply colour with different tools – brushes, rollers, fingers etc Create repeating patterns	using black poster paint to create shades. Collect, sort and match colours to create an image Use colour on a large scale – dye fabric for backgrounds	Experiment with paint and pastels. Mix colours and know which are primary, secondary and tertiary colours. Make colour wheels. Experiment with effects and textures – dotting, scratching, splashing.	Use paints and chalk pastels. Compare watercolour and acrylic tints, tones and shades.	Mix and match colours to create atmosphere Use a variety of tools to create texture	media to create tints, tones, shade and mood – ink, paint, pastels oil and chalk Identify how colour can portray emotion and use this in their own artwork

SCULPTURE KS1 pupils should be taught to use sculpture to develop and share their ideas, experiences and imagination. KS2 Pupils should be taught to improve their mastery of art and design techniques, including sculpture with a range of materials.	Explore a range of malleable materials to make models or pictures using – playdough, plasticine, clay, saltdough, cooking materials.	Roll, carve, make marks on and knead malleable materials – dough, plasticine and use them to make objects for a purpose. Use patterns.	Explore sculpture of malleable materials and manipulate malleable materials for a purpose - mod rock and pipecleaner sculptures and clay pots	Shape, form and construct malleable and rigid materials. Construct a base for extending and modelling other shapes – paper mache – and use for a purpose.	Shape, form, model and construct malleable and rigid materials – clay tiles	Shape, form, model and construct from observation and imagination. Plan a wire sculpture through drawing and other preparatory work.	Shape, form, model and join using malleable and rigid materials – wire/junl modelling, paper, card and mod rock.
PRINTING KS1 pupils should be taught to develop a wide range of art/design techniques using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space. KS2 Pupils should be taught to improve their mastery of art/ design techniques, including drawing and painting with a range of materials.	Use sponges to make patterns or pictures. Print with food items. Finger painting. Use found materials man made/natural to print.	Create repeating patterns Observe and recognise patterns in the environment Develop impressed images using foods ie potatoes with shapes cut into them Relief prints using foam printing blocks Create patterns	Print with a wide range of objects, man made and natural. Discuss regular and irregular shapes. Experiment with over printing and colour	Experiment with mono printing. Colour mix by overlapping colour prints Create repeating patterns using relief ie leaves, string prints Create repeating patterns using impressed print – press print tiles Interpret manmade and environmental patterns	Print with two overlays using an impressed print – lino cut	Print with three overlays – using card, string and small lino tiles to create block prints	Screen printing

TEXTILES AND	Use fabric, wool or	Create fabrics by	Cut and shape	Dye fabric – tie	Use a wide variety	Identify how artists	Use fabrics to
COLLAGE	thread to make	weaving – use man	fabric using	dye/dip dye	of stitches	use textiles.	create a 3D
KS1 pupils should	models with	made and natural	scissors		(running, back,	Create work using	structure
be taught	recycled items.	materials ie grass		Stitch (running	blanket, over,	textiles, and	
todevelop a wide		through twigs,	Glue and stitch	stitch and over	cross stitch, chain	various stitching	Use a range of
range of art and	Use ribbons and	plastic through	together using	stitch), cut and join	stitch) to join	techniques and	mixed media to
design techniques	string to thread	fence, wool	large eye needles	fabric	materials and to	embroidery	create collages,
in using colour,	and make	around lolly sticks			create pattern and	stitches.	textiles, fabric, sew
pattern, texture,	patterns.	etc	Use simple	Use collage to	texture.		onto canvas, card
line, shape, form			applique	represent objects		Recreate designs	etc
and space.	Make collages	Introduce		as well as	Develop their own	from other times	
	using paper, tissue,	adhesives – pritt	Knot, fray, fringe,	imaginative work.	materials for	and cultures using	Add collage to a
KS2 Pupils should	crepe <mark>etc</mark>	and PVA	twist or plait		collage –	a variety of	printed or painted
be taught to			threads/fabrics		marbelling etc	materials.	background.
improve their	Use fabrics for role	Fold, crumple,			Embellish work		
mastery of art and	play/	tear, overlap and	Overlap and		using a variety of		
design techniques		sort different	overlay materials.		techniques and		
with a range of		materials.			materials.		
materials.			Show awareness of				
			contrasts in				
			textures and				
			colours.				

KS1 pupils shoulg	Eric Carle -	Term 1 – Digging	Term 1 –	Term 1 and 2 the	Terms 1 and 2 –	Terms 1 and 2 –	Terms 1 and 2 –
be taught about	illustrator	for Dinosuars	Marvellous Me	stone age topic	The Roman topic	Ancient Egypt	World War 2 topic
the work of a		topic	topic			topic	
range of artists,	Piet Mondrian			Kumi Yamashita	Michelangelo		Michael Foreman
craft makers and		Stomp, Dinosaur	Andy Warhol (pop	(Japanese artist	(sculptor, artist	Edward Saidi	(illustrator) and
designers,	Henri Matisse	Stomp inspired	artist) – portraits.	and sculptor)	and architect)	Tingatinga (African	Norman Wilkinson
describing the					Leonardo Di Vinci	painter)	(1878-1971) a
differences and	Jackson Pollock –	Wassily	Alberto Giacometti	Term 2 – David	Leonardo Di Vinci		prolific painter,
similarities	modern artist	Kandinsky		Walliams		T erm 3 and 4 –	illustrator, poster
between different		(Russian painter	Term 2 and 3 –	Tony Ross /	Terms 3 and 4 –	To Infinity and	artist, and wartime
practices and	Vincent Van Gogh	and abstract	Time Travel topic	Quentin Blake	Around the	Beyond topic	camoufleur.
disciplines, making	– impressionist	artist).		(illustrators)	World topic		
links to their own	artist		Amanojaku to			Clyde Bango (wire	Terms 3 and 4 –
work.		Term 2 –	Hesomagari	Term 3 - Greeks	M.C. Escher	sculptor artist	Extreme Earth and
	Michelle Reader –	Amazing Africa	(Textile bag artist)	Cecilia Levy (papier	(graphic artist)	Zimbawain) and/or	Mayans
KS2 - Pupils should	sculptor using	topic	T	Mache artist)		Clive Maddison	Study volcano
be taught about	recycled materials		Terms 4 and 5 –		Hokusai	(UK wire sculptor)	artwork by Andy
great ARTIST, ARCHITECT AND		Esther Mahlangu	Intrepid Explorers		(Japanese printer	Wirework	Warhol, Turner, Joseph Wright and
DESIGNER STUDIES		(African artist)	Henri Rouseaux		and artist)	Terms 5 and 6 –	Clarkson Frederic
DESIGNER STUDIES			Jeannie Baker			Vikings topic	Stanfield (pupils
		Term 3 and 4 –	(writer, artist and		Terms 5 and 6 –	vikings topic	can produce own
		Stories and	illustrator – Where		The Anglo Saxons	6 Styles of Norse	mixed media)
		Animation topic	the Forest Meets		Illuminated	Art; Oesberg,	mixed mediaj
			the Sea)		letters and other	Borre, Jellinge,	Terms 5 AND 6 –
		Barbara			work by Anglo-	Mammen,	Mayans and
		Hepworth	Term 6 – Mini-		Saxon artists	Ringerike and	ENTERPRISE
			beasts topic			Urnes	
		(English artist					Study historical
		and sculptor)	Andy Goldsworthy				artefacts,
		Nick Park	(environmental				sculptures,
		(animator)	artist				drawings and
							paintings.

	Term 5 – Memory Box topic					
	William Morris (textile designer)					
	Term 6 – The Sky's the Limit topic					
	Frank Stella (American painter, sculptor and printmaker)					
Key Vocabulary	Adhesive Carve Chalk Crayon Colours crumple dark dough environment fabric Felt tips fold Impressed print knead light	Applique Chalks clay Colouring contrast Dye Fabric Fray fringe Irregular knot Malleable Man made Mod rock natural Oil pastels	blending Charcoal collage Cross hatch Dip dye Dotting Dye Environmental Grades Hue Implements Impressed Manmade Mono print Natural	Acrylic Back stitch Chain stitch Chalk Clay Collage Construct Cross stitch Embellish Fineliners Form Fresco Implements Impressed print Malleable Marbelling	AtmosphereBlendingBlock printsCharcoalColoured pencilComplementaryConstructContrastingDigital marksDry mediaEmbroideryFociFormHorizonLino tilesMedia	Chalk Collage collage Composition Contrast Emotion Fabric Ink Ink Light Mixed media Mood Observation Paint Paint

natural overlap	over printing	Oil pastel	Model	Mixing	Pastels
pattern Pencil	overlap	Over stitch	Overlays	Model	Pattern texture
Poster paint	overlay	Overlapping	Pastels	Observation	Patterns
plasticine	pastel	Pressprint	Pattern	Oil pastels	Print
Primary colours	pencils	Primary	Pencils	Overlays	Proportion
Relief print	Pencils	Relief	Rigid	Pencil	Scale
Repeating rollers	plait	Repeating	Running stitch	Perspective	Screen print
Secondary colours	Regular	<b>Running stitch</b>	Shades	Sculpture	Shades
Shape	sculpture	Scratching	Shape	Shape	Textures
Tools Tone	shades	Secondary	Stitched	Textiles	Tints
Rubbings Roll	stitch	Shades	Texture	Texture	Tonal
weave	surfaces	Splashing	Third dimension	Tools	Tones
		Tertiary	Tints	Wire	Watercolour
	texture	Texture	Tones		Wet media
	tint	Tints	Wash		
	Tools	Tone	Watercolour		
	twist				