

Carden Primary School curriculum overview for Art and Design

Art will be taught both discretely and linked to the year group topic. Here at Carden we have identified the key subject skills for Art that we believe are essential for children to experience and re-visit several times between years 1 and 6. These skills for Art are: Using a sketchbook to explore ideas and skills, drawing, painting, print making, 3D work and mixed media (including textiles, collage and digital media).

The tables below outline the topics/artists that will be taught/studied in Art for each year group in each term.

AUTUMN TERM					
Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Picasso and portraits (Poetry link)	Kandinsky Exploring colour, collage, line and tone	Still Life Cezanne and others Draw/pastels/chalk/paint/3D	Roman Legacy e.g. buildings, mosaics, statues, aqueducts etc Sketching, painting, papier-mâché modelling	Digital Art Linked to ICT topic 'we are artists'	Andy Warhol Drawing and painting

SPRING TERM					
Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Textiles and weaving	Texture – clay tiles and rubbings (Pavilion)	Op Art Bridget Riley etc Draw/colour/shape/mark making/pattern	Matisse Sketching, collage, ICT, painting, printing	Van Gogh Collage work linked to growing sunflowers in science life cycles	Textiles Linked to poetry in Literacy

SUMMER TERM					
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Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Masks, clay and other materials	Van Gogh – Starry night Line and tone/using a view finder	Egyptian pattern Markmaking/tone/pattern Draw/print/collage/mixed media/paint/clay/textiles	Frida Kahlo Aztec masks Painting, sketching, printing, sculpture	Greek temples 3D work	Islamic Art Printing