



At Elburton Primary School we value Art and Design as an important part of the children's entitlement to a broad and balanced curriculum. Art and Design provides the children with the opportunities to develop and extend skills and an opportunity to express their individual interests, thoughts and ideas. Teaching in the Early Years Foundation Stage is underpinned by the Characteristics of Effective Learning. Design and Technology is an inspiring, rigorous and practical subject, requiring creativity, resourcefulness, and imagination. Children learn to take risks, be reflective, innovative, enterprising and resilient. Art, craft and design embody some of the highest forms of human creativity. A high-quality art and design education should engage, inspire and challenge pupils, equipping them with the knowledge and skills to experiment, invent and create their own works of art, craft and design. As pupils progress, they should be able to think critically and develop a more rigorous understanding of art and design. They should also know how art and design both reflect and shape our history, and contribute to the culture, creativity and wealth of our nation. Pupils explore and use a variety of media, materials and tools readily within the environment. We call this our 'continuous provision'. Staff plan the learning environment carefully to enable children to apply and extend their understanding in a wide variety of meaningful contexts. We call this our 'enhanced provision'. A combination of child initiated and adult directed activities give pupils the opportunities to learn to:

• Use different media and materials to express their own ideas

• Use what they have learnt about media and materials in original ways, thinking about form, function and purpose • Make plans and construct with a purpose in mind using a variety of resources

• Develop skills to use simple tools and techniques appropriately, effectively and safely

• Select appropriate resources for a product and adapt their work where necessary

• Cook and prepare food adhering to good health and hygiene routines

	Learning Experiences	Key Vocabulary and what children need to know	Outcomes
Nursery 2 Year Old Provision	Drawing and Painting Introduce tools for mark making inside and outside of the setting and on a large scale, felt pens, crayons, chalks, paint	Colour names, paint, brush, vocab for texture: rough,	Start to make marks intentionally. Explore paint, using fingers and other parts of their bodies as well as brushes and other tools.





	brushes with paint and water. Using hands and feet to mark	smooth, mix,	Express ideas and feelings through making marks, and
	make/paint.	water, mark,	sometimes give a meaning to the marks they make.
	<ul> <li>Notice patterns with a strong contrast and start to make intentional marks – sometimes giving meaning to them.</li> <li>Printing</li> <li>Printing with hands, feet and cut vegetables or natural objects: leaves, cones etc.</li> <li>Explore paint using my fingers and hands.</li> <li>Explore the marks made by rolling objects in paint such as marbles and small world cars. 3D Experiences</li> </ul>		Manipulate and play with different materials. Use their imagination as they consider what they can do with different materials. Beginning to use representation to communicate, e.g. drawing a line and saying 'That's me.'
	Plasticine, play dough, clay, adult supervised tearing, folding and gluing.		
	Explore dough squeezing, patting, stretching and rolling it.		
	Make simple models that express ideas using construction toys.		
	Collage		
	Various materials for collage, textured papers, scrap paper etc and use different senses to explore the texture.		
Preschool	<b>Drawing and Painting</b> Introduce tools for mark making inside and outside of the setting and on a large scale, felt pens, crayons, chalks, paint brushes with paint and water.	Colour names, vocab for texture: rough, smooth, mix, water, glue, cut, stick,	Captures experiences and responses with a range of media, such as music, dance and paint and other materials or words. Explores colour and how colours can be changed.





	Mixing primary colours. Using hands and feet to mark	collage, paint,	Understands that they can use lines to enclose a space,
	make/paint.	idea	and then begin to use these shapes to represent objects.
	make/ paint.	emotions,	and then begin to use these shapes to represent objects.
	Printing	line, build,	Beginning to be interested in and describe the texture of
	r mung	made, shapes	things.
	Printing with hands, feet and cut vegetables or natural objects:	made, shapes	timgs.
	leaves, cones etc.		Uses various construction materials.
	Making patterns.		Beginning to construct, stacking blocks vertically and
			horizontally, making enclosures and creating spaces.
	3D Experiences		
			Realises tools can be used for a purpose.
	3D experiences: plasticine, play dough, clay, adult		
	supervised/led cutting, sticking, tearing, folding and gluing.		Join different materials and explore different textures.
	Collage		Create closed shapes with continuous lines and begin to
			use these shapes to represent objects.
	Various materials for collage, textured papers, scrap paper etc.		······································
	Using made and natural materials: leaves etc.		Draw with increasing complexity and detail, such as
	Ŭ		representing a face with a circle and including details.
	Using different types of glue, PVA, glue sticks, flour & water mix.		
			Use drawing to represent ideas like movement or loud
	Collaboration on large scale collages Revisit and refine skills e.g.		noises.
	cutting, sticking, mixing colours		
			Show different emotions in their drawings and paintings,
			like happiness, sadness, fear etc
			Explore colour and colour-mixing
Reception	Drawing and Painting	Colour names,	Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to
		vocab for	express their ideas and feelings.
	Introduce tools for mark making inside and outside of the	texture:	
	setting and on a large scale and small scale, felt pens, crayons,	rough,	Return to and build on their previous learning, refining
	chalks, paint brushes with paint and water.	smooth, mix,	ideas and developing their ability to represent them.
1	•	water, glue,	





		collage, paint,	
	Use thick and thin brushes including small implements: cotton	thick, thin,	Early Learning Goal:
	buds and fingertips.	wet, dry,	
1		pattern,	Children use what they have learnt about media and
	Name the primary colours and explore how to mix colours to create new colours.	repeat, hard,	materials in original ways, thinking about uses and
	create new colours.	soft, light,	purposes.
	Refine drawing skills so that they can represent objects with	dark, model,	They represent their own ideas, thoughts and feelings
	increasing skill.	painting, artist,	through design and technology, art, music, dance, role
		sculpture,	play and stories.
	Explore drawing on different surfaces and on different types of	sculptor,	
	paper.	portrait, self-	Children sing songs, make music and dance, and
		portrait,	experiment with ways of changing them.
	Printing:	landscape,	
		artist	They safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools
	Printing with blocks, cut vegetables or natural objects: leaves,		and techniques, experimenting with
	cones etc.		
	Making repeating patterns including colour patterns.		
	Opportunities to choose and mix colours independently.		
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	Take rubbings from objects such as leaves.		
	Refine printing skills to create works that show greater control.		
	3D		
	Experiences (Sculpture) 3D experiences (Sculpture): plasticine,		
	play dough, clay, adult supervised/led cutting, sticking, tearing,		
	folding and gluing.		
	Papier Mache-small /large scale models Making Tables Saw,		
	hammer, Create different textures in dough/clay.		





Refine ability to create forms using dough or clay – representing objects with increasing skill.         Exploring with a wide range of 'junk modelling' and natural materials, making simple forms.         Apply simple decorations to a sculpture. Collage and Textiles         Various materials for collage, textured papers, scrap paper etc.         Using made and natural materials: leaves etc.         Collaboration on large scale collages.         Weaving materials.         Thread to create a representation of an object (e.g. a caterpillar)         Refine ability to create collages with increasing skill.         Introduce the children to work of artists Jackson Pollock, Kandinski, Van Gogh Form ideas and use various media based on the work of artists.         Revisit and refine skills e.g. cutting, sticking, mixing colours.			
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