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| **Key Stage 1**  Pupils should be taught to use art to express their ideas and imagination. They should begin to explore different materials, techniques, and tools while learning about the work of a range of artists, craft makers, and designers.  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 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.   <https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/media/5a7ba810ed915d4147621ca0/PRIMARY_national_curriculum_-_Art_and_design.pdf> |

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| **Key Stage 1** Pupils will explore basic artistic techniques such as drawing, painting, and sculpture. They will experiment with materials and develop fine motor skills, building confidence and imagination in their creative work. | | | | | |
|  | **Fine art** | **Graphic communication** | **Textile design** | **Three-dimensional design** | **Photography** |
| Year 2 | Pupils will develop their drawing skills further, focusing on simple shapes and patterns. They will explore secondary colours, and create expressive paintings inspired by nature and their surroundings. | Pupils will build on these skills by designing simple illustrations or patterns for storybooks or decorative pieces. They will explore symmetry and balance in their designs. | Pupils will develop their skills further by experimenting with fabric painting or printing techniques. Projects may include creating patterns or simple decorative designs inspired by nature or cultural motifs. | Pupils will explore more structured 3D forms, such as building simple sculptures or imaginative objects using cardboard or papier-mâché. | Pupils will build on these skills by exploring themes like light, shadow, or texture in their photographs. They will create simple photo collages to express their ideas. |
| Year 1 | Pupils will explore basic drawing techniques using pencils, crayons, and markers. They will experiment with primary colours in painting and create simple compositions based on their experiences. | Pupils will be introduced to basic design concepts by creating simple posters or cards. They will explore the use of bold colours and basic layouts to share ideas visually. | Pupils will explore basic textile techniques such as simple stitching or collage using fabric scraps. They will create small decorative items such as fabric patterns or patchwork squares. | Pupils will create simple 3D models using playdough, clay, or recycled materials. Projects may include designing animals or small structures. | Pupils will be introduced to basic photography using tablets or cameras. They will capture images of objects or classmates and discuss what they see. |