

Working together to be the best that we can be.

Enrichment Curriculum Art and Design:

Example Progression of Skills for Textiles



Art Progression of Skill – Textiles/Collage

Media – collage, weaving, threads, fibres, fabrics, surfaces, wood, clay

Foundation Stage

- Handling, manipulating and enjoying using materials.
- Simple collages, using paper, pasta, beans and larger tactile things.
- Selects, sorts, tears and glues items down.







- Simple paper and/or material weaving using a card loom.
- Mix colours and paint strips of paper to weave with.
- Add objects to the weaving buttons, twigs, dried flowers.
- Explore colour in weaving. Build on skills of using various materials to make collages using some smaller items.
- Use texture to provide information e.g manmade/natural materials.
- Sorts according to specific qualities for example warm, cold, soft, shiny.
- **Discuss how textiles create things.**





- Build on year 1.
- Develop skills of overlapping and overlaying to create effects.
- Use large eyed needles, different thickness of thread and different sized running stitches to work with. Simple applique work attaching material shapes to fabric with running stitches.
- Start to explore other simple stitches backstitch, crossstitch.



Use various collage materials to make a specific picture.







- Build on all previous experiences.
- Use smaller eyed needles and finer threads.
- Use colour to express an idea in weaving seasons, moods or create a picture.
- Awareness of the nature of materials and surfaces – fragile, tough, durable.







- Use a wider variety of stitches to 'draw' with and develop pattern and texture – zig zag stitch, chain stitch, seeding.
- Start to place more emphasis on observation and design of textural art.
- Use initial sketches to aid work.
- Continue experimenting with creating mood, feeling, movement and areas of interest.
- Look at fabrics from other countries and discuss.
- Compare with own and discuss different types of fabric.



- Interpret stories, music, poems and use environment and townscapes as stimuli.
- Select and use materials to achieve a specific outcome.

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- Embellish work, using a variety of techniques, including drawing, painting and printing on top of textural work.
- Consider methods of making fabric.
- Look at other work of artists using textiles.



- Develops experience in embellishing, pooling together experiences in texture to complete a piece – applique, drawing, sticking, cutting, paint, weaving, layering.
- Applies knowledge of different techniques to express feelings.
- Use found and constructed materials.
- Work collaboratively on a larger scale.

