Art Progression – Alton Park Junior School

Intent:

By the end of year 6, pupils at Alton Park Junior School will:

Aspiration – be inspired to use different media when creating art and will have gained knowledge of well-known artists who may inspire them to create art.

Learning – be able to talk about art using the appropriate subject vocabulary, create and critique artists' work and their own, and explore and work using a range of methods, techniques, media and materials.

Tenacity – be resilient learners and 'try their best' when creating artwork. 'Every artist is different'.

Opportunity – be able to use their art skill in other subjects. All children will have the opportunity to create artwork using different media and materials.

Nurture – be considerate towards others views of art and be reflective about their own artwork.

Units for all year groups: Autumn Term - Drawing Spring Term - Painting and mixed media Summer Term - Sculpture and 3D

	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6			
	Making Skills (including formal elements)							
Methods, techniques, media and materials Learn to:	Demonstrate increased control with a greater range of media. Make choices about which materials and techniques to use to create an effect. Use hands and tools with confidence when cutting, shaping and joining paper, card and malleable materials. Develop observational skills to look closely and aim to reflect some of the formal elements of art (colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space) in their work.	Confidently use a range of materials and tools, selecting and using these appropriately with more independence. Develop direct observation, for example by using tonal shading and starting to apply an understanding of shape to communicate form and proportion.	Demonstrate greater skill and control when drawing and depict forms, such as show an awareness of proportion and being able to create 3D effects. Apply observational skills, showing a greater awareness of composition and demonstrating the beginning of an individual style.	Work with a range of media with control in different ways to achieve effects including experimenting with the techniques used by other artists. Combine a wider range of media e.g. photography and digital art effects. Create in a more sustained way, revisiting artwork over time and applying their understanding of tone, texture, line, colour and form.	Create expressively in their own personal style and in response to their choice of stimulus, showing the ability to develop artwork independently. Combine materials and techniques appropriately to fit with ideas. Work in a sustained way over several sessions to complete a piece, including working collaboratively on a larger scale and incorporating the formal elements of art.			
Colour Learn that:	Different amounts of paint and water can be used to mix hues of secondary colours. Colours can be mixed to match real life objects or to create things from your imagination.	Using light and dark colours next to each other creates contrast. Paint colours can be mixed using natural substances, and that prehistoric people used these paints.	Adding black to a colour creates shade. Adding white to a colour creates tint.	Artists use colour to create an atmosphere or to represent feelings in an artwork, for example by using warm and cool colours.	A 'monochromatic' artwork uses tints and shades of just one colour. Colour can be symbolic and have meaning that vary according to your culture or background, e.g. red for danger or for celebration.			
Form Learn that:	That composition means how things are arranged on the page. Pieces of clay can be joined using the scratch and slip technique. A clay surface can be decorated by pressing into or by joining pieces on.	3D forms are either organic (natural) or geometric (mathematical shapes, like a cube). Organic forms can be abstract.	Using lighter and darker tints and shades of a colour can create a 3D effect. Simple 3D forms can be made by creating layers, by folding and rolling materials.	An art installation is often a room or environment in which the viewer experiences the art all around them. The size and scale of 3D artwork changes the effect of the piece.	The surface texture created by different materials can help suggest from in 2D artwork.			

Shape Learn that:	Collage material can be shaped to represent shapes in an image. Shapes can be organic (natural) and irregular Patterns can be made using shapes.	Negative shapes show the space between objects. Artists can focus on shapes when making abstract art.	How to use basic shapes to form more complex shapes and patterns.	Shapes can be used to place the key elements in a composition.	How an understanding of shape and space can support creating effective composition.
Line Learn that:	Lines can be used to fill shapes to make outlines and to add detail or pattern.	Using different tools or using the same tool in different ways can create different types of lines.	Lines can be lighter, darker, thicker or thinner and that this can add expression or movement to a drawing.	Lines can be used by artists to control what the viewer looks at within a composition, e.g. by using diagonal lines to draw your eye into the centre of a drawing.	How line is used beyond drawing and can be applied to other art forms.
Pattern Learn that:	Drawing techniques such as hatching, scribbling, stippling and blending can make patterns Patterns can be used to add detail to artwork.	Patterns can be man-made (like printed wallpaper) or natural (like a giraffe's skin) Surface rubbings can be used to add or make patterns.	Patterns can be irregular, and change in ways you wouldn't expect. The starting point for a repeating pattern is called a motif and a motif can be arranged in different ways to make varied patterns.	Artists create patterns to add expressive detail to art work, for example Chila Kumari Singh Burman using small everyday objects to add detail to sculptures.	Pattern can be created in many different ways, e.g. in the rhythm of brushstrokes in a painting (Van Gogh) or in repeated shapes within a composition.
Texture Learn that:	Collage materials can be chosen to represent real-life textures. Collage material can be overlapped and overlaid to add texture. Drawing techniques such as hatching, scribbling, stippling and blending can create surface texture. Painting tools can create varied textures in paintings.	Texture in an artwork can be real (what the surface actually feels like) or a surface can be made to appear textured.	How to use texture more purposely to achieve a specific effect or to replicate a natural surface.	How to create texture on different materials.	Applying thick layers of paint to a surface is called impasto, and is used by artists such as Claude Monet to describe texture.
Tone Learn that:	Different amounts of paint and water can be used to mix hues of secondary colours.	tone in art means light and dark. Shading helps make drawn objects look realistic. Come basic rules for shading when drawing, e.g. shade in one direction, blending tones smoothly and with no gaps.	That using lighter and darker tints and shade of colour can create a 3D effect. Tone can be used to create contrast in an artwork.	Tone can help show the foreground and background in an artwork.	Chiaroscuro means 'light and dark' and is a term used to describe high-contrast images.

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		different tones in an artwork								
		and can include hatching,								
		cross hatching, scribbling and								
		stippling.								
	Knowledge of artists									
Meanings,	Talk about art they have seen	Discuss how artists produced	Use subject vocabulary	Research and discuss the	Describe, interpret and evaluate					
interpretations,	using some appropriate	art in the past and understand	confidently to describe	ideas and approaches of artists	the work, ideas and processes					
materials and	subject vocabulary.	the influence and impact of	and compare creative	across a variety of disciplines,	used by artists across a variety of					
processes.	'	their methods and styles on	works.	being able to describe how the	disciplines, being able to describe					
processes.	Create work from a brief,	art today, using their own		cultural and historical context	how the cultural and historical					
1	understanding that artists are	experiences and historical	Understand how artists	may have influenced their	context may have influenced their					
Learn to:	sometimes commissioned to	evidence.	use art to convey	creative work.	creative work.					
	create art.		messages through the							
		Understand the limitations of	choices they make.	Discuss how artists create	Recognise how artists use					
	Create and critique both	tools and materials and be		work with the intent to create	materials to respond to feelings					
	figurative and abstract art,	able to experiment within	Work as a professional	an impact on the viewer.	and memory and choose					
	recognising some of the	more than one medium and	designer does, by		materials, imagery, shape and					
	techniques used.	with tools to create textural	collating ideas to	Consider what choices can be	form to create personal pieces.					
	1	effects.	generate a theme.	made in their own work to	l					
	Apply their own understanding			impact their viewer.	Understand how art forms such					
	of art materials learnt from	Consider how to display art			as photography and sculpture					
	artist work to begin	work, understanding how			continually develop over time as					
	purposefully choosing	artists consider their viewer			artists seek to break new					
	materials for a	and the impact on them.			boundaries.					
	specific effect.	Evaluating	g and analysing							
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What is art?	Explain their ideas and	Confidently explain their ideas	Use more complex	Discuss the processes used by	Give reasoned evaluations of					
	opinions about their own and others'	and opinions about their own and others' artwork, with an	vocabulary	themselves and by other artists, and describe the	their own and others' work which takes account of context and					
Why do people		understanding of the breadth	when discussing their own and	I	intention.					
make art?	artwork, beginning to recognise the stories and	of	others' art.	particular outcome achieved.	intention.					
	messages within	what art can be and that there	Others art.	Consider how effectively pieces	Discuss how art is sometimes					
How do people	in and showing an	are many ways to make art.	Discuss art considering	of art express emotion and	used to communicate social,					
talk about art?	understanding of why they	are many ways to make art.	how it can affect the lives	encourage the viewer to	political, or environmental views.					
	may have made it.	Discuss and begin to interpret	of the viewers or users of	question their own ideas.	political, of crivitorificitial views.					
Learn to:	may have made it.	meaning and purpose of	the piece.	question alon own locas.	Explain how art can be created to					
	Begin to talk about how they	artwork, understanding how		Use their knowledge of tools,	cause reaction and impact and be					
	could improve their own work.	artists can use art to	Evaluate their work more	materials and processes to try	able to consider why an artist					
	Talk about how art is made.	communicate.	regularly and	alternative solutions and make	chooses to use art in this way.					
			independently during the	improvements to their work.						
		Begin to carry out a	planning and making		Independently use their					
		problem-solving process and	process.		knowledge of tools, materials and					
		make changes to improve	•		processes to try alternative					
		their work.			solutions and make					
					improvements to their work.					