



Curriculum Mapping 2025-2026: Art and D.T



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS Nursery	<p style="text-align: center;">All About Me</p> <p>Art</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Making marks using a variety of resources Hand and foot print art <p>DT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore objects, patterns and textures 	<p style="text-align: center;">Colour My World</p> <p>Art</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore colour and colour mixing Express ideas and feelings through mark-making Finger painting <p>DT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sensory bubble wrap colour printing 	<p style="text-align: center;">Our Planet, Our Home</p> <p>Art</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tissue paper safari Paper plate animal <p>DT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Build a tuff try animal habitat 	<p style="text-align: center;">Down at the Bottom of the Garden</p> <p>Art</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vegetable printing Nature printing <p>DT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore a variety of materials to develop ideas about how to use them, and what to make 	<p style="text-align: center;">Nursery Rhymes</p> <p>Art</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fruit and character collage <p>DT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make 'twinkle-twinkle' mobiles Paper shoe puppets – adding a flap 	<p style="text-align: center;">On the Move!</p> <p>Art</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Observational drawing – car Emotion drawing and painting <p>DT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create collaboratively on a large scale, to create a vehicle.
EYFS Reception	<p style="text-align: center;">We Are Superheroes Art - Drawing: Marvellous Marks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Investigate marks and patterns with different textures Observational drawings Self-Portraits – pencil and colour <p style="text-align: center;">DT – Cooking and Nutrition: Soup</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exploring fruit and vegetables Describe a pumpkin using the five senses Make pumpkin soup <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Introduction to creative continuous provision areas</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">We Are Investigators Art – Painting and Mixed Media: Paint My World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Respond to music through the medium of painting Create landscape collages inspired by the work of Megan Coyle Create a large piece of group artwork based around fireworks <p style="text-align: center;">DT – Structures: Junk Modelling</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn how to plan and select resources to make a rocket Create a rocket from junk modelling Share a finished model and talk about the processes in its creation 	<p style="text-align: center;">We Are Explorers Art – Sculpture and 3D: Creation Station</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore clay and its properties Design and create an animal structure using clay <p style="text-align: center;">DT – Seasonal: Threaded Snowflakes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use bead threading to make a snowflake decoration <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Enhancements introduced in continuous provision: Using different media and materials</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">We Are Curious Art – Craft and Design: Let's Get Crafty</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore techniques for joining paper and card Fold, cut and curl paper to make paper snakes Refine drawing and colouring skills to create a design for a tissue paper flower Use designs to create a tissue paper flower <p style="text-align: center;">DT – Seasonal: Rainbow Salad</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Design and create a rainbow salad 	<p style="text-align: center;">We Are Storytellers DT – Textiles: Bookmarks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop threading and weaving skills Design a bookmark Use threading skills to make a bookmark Reflect with children on how they have achieved their aims <p style="text-align: center;">Art – Seasonal: Mandala Sun Catchers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand the history of mandalas Use artistic ideas to create a nature mandala <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Enhancements introduced in continuous provision: Using different media and materials</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">We Are Voyagers DT – Structures: Boats</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand what waterproof means and test whether materials are waterproof Test and make predictions on which products will float or sink Design a boat Create a boat based on a design Evaluate and talk about finished piece <p style="text-align: center;">Art – Seasonal: Salt Painting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Experiment with painting using salt and colour mixing
Year One	<p style="text-align: center;">This Is Me! Art - Drawing: Make Your Mark</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drawing: Self-portrait introducing shading technique Painting: Night time pictures (colour mixing) 	<p style="text-align: center;">Our Home DT: Mechanisms - Making a Moving Storybook</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plan and design a moving picture <p style="text-align: center;">Focus Artist: Clarice Cliff – Plate Designs Painting and Mixed Media: Colour Splash Linked to designing and creating calendars</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Our Planet Art – Craft: Woven Wonders</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drawing: Memories of being creative Sculpture: Manipulating materials 	<p style="text-align: center;">China Art - Sculpture and 3D: Paper Play</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drawing: A Tree of Life – collaborative section Painting: Chinese dragons Sculpture: Origami spiders Focus Artist: Marco Balich 	<p style="text-align: center;">Once Upon a Story DT – Textiles: Puppets</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Creating a hand puppet. Develop technical skills of cutting, gluing, stapling and pinning 	<p style="text-align: center;">Journeys DT - Cooking and Nutrition: Smoothies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Food from Around the World – fruit and vegetables Smoothies <p style="text-align: center;">Focus Artist: Sudarsan Pattmaik Sand Art</p>
Year Two	<p style="text-align: center;">Incredible Me! Art – Drawing: Tell A Story</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drawing: Self-portraits (charcoal) Illustrations Painting: Friends using primary colours Focus Artist: Quentin Blake <p style="text-align: center;">DT – Cooking and Nutrition: A Balanced Diet</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Name food groups Design and create a nutritious wrap following a brief 	<p style="text-align: center;">Fantasy and Fire DT – Textiles: Pouches</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sew a running stitch Design, plan, create and decorate a pouch <p style="text-align: center;">Focus Artist: Romare Bearden - Collage Painting and Mixed Media: Life in Colour Linked to designing and creating calendars</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Christmas Card with slider and lever 	<p style="text-align: center;">Journey Around the World Art – Craft and Design: Map It Out</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Our Wild World! Art – Sculptures and 3D: Clay Jungle</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drawing: Wild Animals Sculpture: Pinch pots Tree tiles Focus Artist: Henri Rousseau – Jungle Art Bold jungle images 	<p style="text-align: center;">Turrets and Tiaras DT – Structures: Baby Bear's Chair</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Design a suitable chair Explore ways of making a strong structure 	<p style="text-align: center;">Waves and Wonder DT – Mechanisms: Fairground Wheel</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Design, decorate and evaluate a fairground wheel <p style="text-align: center;">Cooking and Nutrition: A Tasty Treat!</p>