All Souls' Catholic PRIMARY SCHOOL

Art & Design Curriculum Overview 2026-27

	EYFS	Year 1		Year 2		Year 3		Year 4		Year 5		Year 6	
Autumn		**Drawing and Sketching: Spirals**	**CPD**	**Drawing: Explore & Draw**	**CPD**	**Drawing: Gestural drawing with charcoal**	**CPD**	**Drawing and Sketching: Storytelling**	**CPD**	**Typography & Maps**	**CPD**	**2D Drawing to 3D making**	**CPD**
		Using drawing, collage and mark-making to explore spirals. Introducing sketchbooks. ARTIST LINK - Molly Haslund	https://www.accessart.org.uk/introducing-the-spirals-pathway-zoom-recording/	Introducing the idea that artists can be collectors & explorers as they develop drawing and composition skills. ARTST LINK - Rosie James, Alice Fox	https://www.accessart.org.uk/session-recording-drawing-figures/	Making loose, gestural drawings with charcoal, and exploring drama and performance. ARTST LINK - Heather Hansen, Laura McKendry, Edgar Degas	https://www.accessart.org.uk/session-recording-exploring-charcoal/	Explore how artists create sequenced drawings to share and tell stories. Create accordion books or comic strips to retell poetry or prose through drawing. ARTIST LINK - Laura Carlin, Shaun Tan	https://www.accessart.org.uk/accessart-session-recording-sketchbook-share/	Exploring how we can create typography through drawing and design, and use our skills to create personal and highly visual maps. ARTIST LINK- Louise Fili, Grayson Perry, Paula Scher, Chris Kenny	Coming soon (12.09.23)	Explore how 2D drawings can be transformed to 3D objects. Work towards a sculptural outcome or a graphic design outcome. ARTIST LINK- Lubaina Himid, Claire Harrup	https://www.accessart.org.uk/session-recording-2d-drawing-to-3d-making/
Spring		**Collage: Flora & Fauna**	**CPD**	**Paint: Mono-printing**	**CPD**	**Colour: Working with shape and colour**	**CPD**	**Still Life**	**CPD**	**Mixed media: City and landscapes**	**CPD**	**Drawing/Digital: Exploring identity**	**CPD**
		Explore how artists make art inspired by flora and fauna. Make collages of MiniBeasts and display as a shared artwork. ARTIST LINK - : Eric Carle, Joseph Redoute and Jan Van Kessel		Exploring the World Through Mono Print Using a simple mono print technique to develop drawing skills, encourage experimentation and ownership. ARTST LINK - Xgaoc'o X'are, Leonardo Di Vinci		Working with Shape and Colour "Painting with Scissors": Collage and stencil in response to looking at artwork ARTST LINK - Henri Matisse, Claire Willberg		Exploring Still Life Explore artists working with the genre of still life, contemporary and more traditional. Create your own still life inspired artwork. ARTIST LINK - Paul Cezanne, Peter Claesz, Melchior d' Hondecoeter, Jan Davidsz, Jacob Vosmaer, Hilary Pecis, Nicole Dyer, Baas Meeuws, Hirasho Sato	https://www.accessart.org.uk/session-recording-still-life-pathway/	Mixed Media Land & City Scapes Explore how artists use a variety of media to capture spirit of the place. ARTIST LINK- Vanessa Gardiner, Shoreditch Sketcher, Kittie Jones		Discover how artists use layers and juxtaposition to create artwork which explores identity. Make your own layered portrait. ARTIST LINK- Njideka Akunyili Crosby, Yinka Shonibare, Thandiwe Muriu, Mike Barrett	
Summer		3D form – Making Birds	**CPD**	**3D Form: Stick Transformation Project**	**CPD**	**Animation: Making animated drawings**	**CPD**	**3D form - The art of display**	**CPD**	**Architecture: Dream big or small?**	**CPD**	**Colour: Brave Colour**	**CPD**
		Sculptural project beginning with making drawings from observation, exploring media, and transforming the drawings from 2d to 3d to make a bird ARTIST LINK – Andrea Butler	https://www.accessart.org.uk/session-recording-making-birds-pathway/	Forest School Links Explore how you can transform a familiar object into new and fun forms. ARTST LINK - Chris Kenny	https://www.accessart.org.uk/session-recording-sculpture-structure-inventiveness-and-determination-pathway/	Explore how to create simple moving drawings by making paper "puppets" and animate them using tablets (Computing link.) ARTIST LINK - Lauren Child, Steve Kirby, Andrew Fox, Lucinda Schreiber	https://www.accessart.org.uk/session-recording-shadow-puppets/	Explore how the way we display our work can affect the way it is seen. ARTIST LINK - Anthony Gormley, Yinka Shonibare, Thomas J Price	https://www.accessart.org.uk/session-recording-sculpture-structure-inventiveness-and-determination-	Explore the responsibilities architects have to design us a better world. Make your own architectural model. ARTIST LINK- : Shoreditch Sketcher	Coming soon (09.11.23)	Exploring how artists use light, form and colour to create immersive environments. ARTIST LINK- Olafur Eliasson, Yinka Ilori, Morag Myerscough, Liz West	