

Art & DT at Weetwood 2024- 2025

	<u>Autumn</u>	Spring	<u>Summer</u>
EYFS learning in Art: 3 and 4 year olds	Physical Development Use large-muscle movements to wave flags and streamers, paint and make marks. Use one-handed tools and equipment, for example, making snips in paper with scissors. Use a comfortable grip with good control when holding pens and pencils. Expressive Art and Design Explore different materials freely, in order to develop their ideas about how to use them and what to make. Develop their own ideas and then decide which materials to use to express them. Join different materials and explore different textures. Create closed shapes with continuous lines, and begin to use these shapes to represent objects. Draw with increasing complexity and detail, such as representing a face with a circle and including details. Use drawing to represent ideas like movement or loud noises. Show different emotions in their drawings and paintings, like happiness, sadness, fear, etc.		
EYFS learning in Art: Reception EYFS	 Use their core muscle strength to Develop overall body-strength, b Expressive Arts and Design Explore, use and refine a variety of artion of their previous of the core collaboratively, sharing ideas, rephysical Development 	so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and concentration achieve a good posture when sitting at a table or sitting on the alance, coordination and agility. Stic effects to express their ideas and feelings. Earning, refining ideas and developing their ability to represence sources and skills.	nt them.
learning in Art: Early learning goal at the		ration for fluent writing - using the tripod grip in almost all casing scissors, paintbrushes and cutlery. when drawing.	ses.

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Learning in DT:
Overview
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Expressive Arts and Design

- Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function.
- Share their creations, explaining the process they have used.

In Reception, Children will focus on exploring the skills needed for DT throughout school, this will be done through explorative play. Both EYFS classrooms have a 'Creative Area' where the children can experiment with many resources such as clay, glue, material, junk modelling and other decorative resources. Children will explore creative skills such as gluing, decorating, cutting and moulding, beginning to practice the skills that are needed to begin DT lessons in Key Stage One and Key Stage Two. Reception and Nursery explore food throughout the year, especially when focusing on Harvest and healthy eating and also to support the learning of different events such as Chinese new year and Diwali.

In Reception, We are working on embedding the four areas of DT in adult led focus lessons. This will embed the knowledge of the four areas of DT to prepare the children for Key Stage One.

<u>Investigate</u>- Children will begin to investigate what they plan on making, researching what exists by looking online and at existing products first hand.

<u>Design</u>- Children will begin to design what they want to make, thinking creatively about their desired outcome and making their own choices in regards to resources/colour/size ect..

<u>Make</u>- Children will have a chance to make their product, independently or with support of an adult if needed.

<u>Evaluate-</u> Children will discuss their finished product, focusing on what went well and what they would change if they were to do it again, comparing it to their design specification.

Recent projects include making Potions. The children investigated existing potions by researching the internet and looking at relevant books, they then thought about the purpose of their product- Who is it for? What will it do?

The children designed their product by drawing and listing the ingredients. In small groups, the children made their potions using their design plan. Finally, they evaluated their potions- Was it the same as your design? What worked well? What would you change next time?

EYFS learning ir DT: 3 and 4 year olds

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

• Select and use activities and resources, with help when needed. This helps them to achieve a goal they have chosen or one which is suggested to them.

Expressive Arts and Design

- Make imaginative and complex 'small worlds' with blocks and construction kits, such as a city with different buildings and a park.
- Explore different materials freely, in order to develop their ideas about how to use them and what to make.
- Develop their own ideas and then decide which materials to use to express them.
- Create closed shapes with continuous lines, and begin to use these shapes to represent objects.

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EYFS	Physical Development				
learning in	 Progress towards a more fluent style of moving, with developing control and grace. 				
DT:	 Develop their small motor skills so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently. 				
Reception	 Use their core muscle strength to achieve a good posture when sitting at a table or sitting on the floor. 				
	Expressive Arts and Design				
	Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings.				
	Return to and build on their previous learning, refining ideas and developing their ability to represent them.				
	 Create collaboratively, sharing id 				
EYFS		Physical Development			
learning in	Fine motor skills:				
DT:	Use a range of small tools, include	ding scissors, paintbrushes and cutlery.			
Early		Expressive Arts and Design			
Learning	Creating With Materials:				
Goals at	• Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function.				
the end of	 Share their creations, explaining the process they have used. 				
Reception	Share their creations, explaining the process they have used.				
Year 1	<u>Painting</u>	<u>Textiles</u>	<u>Printing</u>		
Art	-Children will mix primary colours to	Children will learn a weaving technique to create a pattern.	-Children will press, roll, rub and stamp		
	make secondary colours.	Join materials using glue and sort materials depending on	to make prints.		
	-Add white and black to colours to	colour and texture.	-They will make repeating patterns and		
	make tints and tones.		replicate prints from their natural		
	Use different brushes for a specific		environment.		
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Year 1	<u>Mechanisms</u>	<u>Structures</u>	<u>Food</u>		
DT	Children will investigate simple slider	Children will investigate freestanding structures.	Children will look at the different food		
	and lever mechanisms.	They will design, make and evaluate a chair for a story book	groups and the food in those groups.		
	They will design, make and evaluate a	character.	They will design, make and evaluate a		
	greetings card with a sliding		healthy fruit salad		
	mechanisms.		,		

Year 2 Art	Collage Children will combine materials using cutting, tearing and gluing techniques. Sort materials to create texture and use natural materials to create a nature collage.	Children will learn to draw lines of different thickness. Use colouring pencils to create shades and tones. Use dots and lines to add texture.	Sculpture Children will work with clay to learn techniques such as rolling, moulding and carving. Use paper and card to combine shapes and create sculptures.
Year 2 DT	Children will investigate the food groups needed for a healthy, balanced diet. They will design, make and evaluate a fruit kebab for a Mr Man of their choice.	Mechanisms Children will investigate wheels and axles. They will design, make and evaluate a moving vehicle for an alien to escape in. Aliens Love Underparts Chire Freedman & Ben Cert	Textiles Children will learn how to thread a needle and complete a simple running stitch. They will design, make and evaluate a bendy bag.
Year 3 Art	<u>Painting</u>	<u>Drawing</u>	Printing

Children will mix colours effectively, to create mood. They will paint a water colour background, and then experiment with different paintbrushes to add texture, patterns and lines to their artwork.

Children will use different pencil grades to sketch lightly. They will add light and shadow to their drawings and learn techniques such as hatching and cross hatching to add texture.



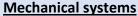
Children will make their own printing blocks using string. They will create patterns observed in their natural environment and use 2 or more layers of colour to print.



Year 3 DT

Food

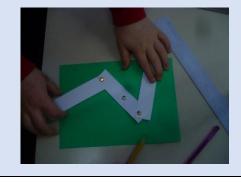
Children will learn about the different food groups and understand what they need to have a healthy, balanced diet. They will design, make and evaluate a healthy snack using more than one food group



Children will learn about lever and linkage systems. They will investigate objects that use this mechanical system and then they will design, make and evaluate a moving picture.

Textiles

Children will use the running and overstitch to design, make and evaluate a 2D shape into a 3D product. They will create a template before they sew.





Year 4 Art

Collage

Children will learn about, and look at collage artwork. They will explore different collage techniques such as mosaic, tessellation and montage.

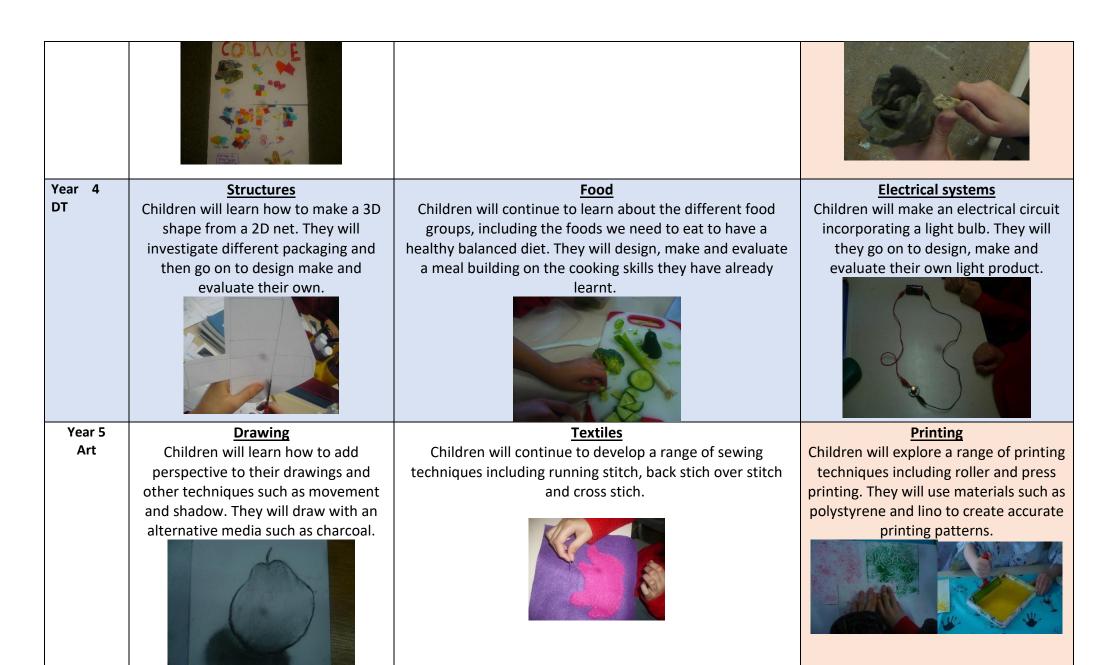
Textiles

Children will shape and stitch materials using back and cross stitch sewing techniques.



Sculpture

Children will use clay to create and combine shapes. They will learn how to add detail and texture using clay tools.



ear 5	<u>Structures</u>	<u>Food</u>	Electrical systems
DT	Children will design, make and	Children will investigate the seasonality of foods. They will	Children will create an electrical system
	evaluate a freestanding, frame	look at where food comes from, then design, make and	to make light, movement and noise.
	structure. They will develop joining	evaluate their own bread.	They will incorporate a push to make
	techniques and investigate ways to		switch, then design, make and evaluate
	strengthen their structure.		a product using these features.
ear 6	<u>Painting</u>	<u>Sculpture</u>	<u>Collage</u>
Art	Children will explore watercolour	The children will learn about figurative and abstract	Children will use ceramic mosaic
	paints and pencils. They will create a	sculpture. They will use materials such as clay and mod roc	materials to create their artwork. They
	landscape using watercolours and	to create their artwork.	will also explore other collage
	acrylic paint incorporating brush		techniques.
	techniques leant in		
	previously.		
ear 6	<u>Textiles</u>	<u>Food</u>	Mechanical systems
DT	Children will design, make and	Children will cook using a heat source. They will develop	Children will explore how gears and
	evaluate a textile piece using applique	basic cooking skills and design, make and evaluate a healthy	cams work. They will design, make and
	to combine different fabric shapes.	meal.	evaluate a product incorporating a gear or cam system to make movement.





