Y5 & 6 ART CURRICULUM



Year A

AUTUMN: "OFF WITH HER HEAD!"	SPRING: "MAYAN MYSTERY"	SUMMER: "FABULOUS FAIRGROUNDS"
ART SKILLS / TECHNIQUES	ART SKILLS / TECHNIQUES	ART SKILLS / TECHNIQUES
FOCUS: Royal Art (Heraldry & Portraits)	FOCUS: Mayan Traditions & Landscapes	FOCUS: People in Action & Optical Illusions (art of the fairground)
Outcome: Royal portraits (collage / pop art)	Outcome: Derain inspired landscape	Outcome: Flip-book (moving picture) Drawing in perspective
Embellishes collage work using a variety of techniques including drawing, painting and printing. Y6 EXT: Designs a piece of artwork, using knowledge of techniques, for a specific outcome. Develops and applies knowledge of embellishing techniques as a form of expression. Compare examples of family coats of arms / shields Design own shield using symbols to represent themselves Compare royal portraits through time; discuss composition, colour and texture. Note change over time. Work in pairs to create Royal portrait (collage) Collect and choose suitable materials Find out about pop-art and work of Lichtenstein Discus use of shape and colour Create modern royal portrait in similar style	Investigates symbols, shapes, form and composition. Y6 EXT: Confidently use a range of techniques and effects to represent things seen, remembered or imagined. • Compare Mayan writing symbols and Egyptian hieroglyphics – recreate free-hand and with grid • Explore Mayan weaving and recap techniques • Make weaving frame and design weaving • Compare British landscape artists • Paint traditional landscape using feint sketch and water colour • Explore use of colour in landscapes of Derain • Create landscape in style of Derain	Selects appropriate media and techniques to achieve a specific outcome. Y6 EXT: Drawings are accurate and detailed; creating form, texture and tone effectively. • Explore fairground lettering and different font types • Create name label in fairground font • Compare merry-go-round horse designs; create group design • Find out about work of Muybridge (moving pictures) • Sketch freeze frames of sequence of movements • Make flip-book of fairground sequence • Look at different optical illusions – discuss • Learn to draw perspective
VOCABULARY: Heraldry / family / coat of arms / shield Colour / pattern / symbolism Media / pencil / pastel / paint / collage Portrait / composition / colour / texture / royal / regal Style / technique / change Fabric / materials / yarn / ribbon / beads / sequins / tassles Pop art / cartoon / super hero / stylised / shape / colour Bold / outline / primary / grid layout / free-flow ARTIST FOCUS	VOCABULARY: Maya / writing symbols / stylised / image / colour / shape Free sketch / grid method Weaving / weaving frame / loom / over / under / through Material / yarn / ribbon Landscape / light / reflection / distance / depth Style / technique / sketch / over painting / water colour Bright / colourful / composition / foreground / middle ground / background / relative size ARTIST FOCUS	VOCABULARY: Lettering / font / fairground / style Merry-go-round / carousal / traditional / design / floral Moving pictures / movement / animation / freeze frame / slow motion / flip book / sequence Optical illusion / perspective ARTIST FOCUS
Traditional artists – especially royal portraits over time Lichtenstein ('superhero' art – complete contrast to traditional royal portraits)	Derain (colourful landscapes)	Muybridge (moving images) Escher (optical illusions)

Year B

AUTUMN: "EUREKA!"	SPRING: "FOOD, GLORIOUS FOOD!"	SUMMER: "AMAZING AFRICA"
ART SKILLS / TECHNIQUES	ART SKILLS / TECHNIQUES	ART SKILLS / TECHNIQUES
FOCUS: Roman / Greek Containers (clay work)	FOCUS: Still Life (food)	FOCUS: <u>African Patterns</u> (textiles & printing)
Representing stories / myths (textiles)	(different media – pencil, charcoal, paints)	Outcome African fabric print
Outcome: Clay container	Outcome: Still life – traditional & abstract	Outcome: African fabric print
Textile panel / wall hanging With support, looks at work from a variety of genres and cultures to develop own response and opinions. Y6 EXT: Makes imaginative use of the knowledge they have of tools, techniques & materials to express own ideas & feelings.	Investigates shapes, form and composition. Y6 EXT: Confidently use a range of techniques and effects to represent things seen.	Recreates images/ scenes through relief printing using card/polystyrene. Explain why they have chosen a specific media, style or technique. Y6 EXT: Designs prints for fabric. Experiments with approaches used by other artists. Explain the impact of their choices (e.g. media, style, technique) on their final outcome.
 Explore containers and evaluate use and materials Compare containers from different time periods studied Develop clay skills to make simple container Look at story-telling in art – ceramics, wall art, tapestry and compare to cartoon strips Design and plan a historical textile panel Practice key skills – paint / printing / layering / texture / detail Consider relative size & proportion and use of pattern 	 Compare and sort collection of visually 'interesting' objects; identify contrasts Make compositions, thinking about shape Explore use of line / colour / tone / texture using range of media Look at still life art-work (realistic) of food Paint realistic still life composition Explore colour families and use to create abstract still life Look at Andy Warhol soup cans and explore how to create similar style of still life 	 Explore African fabric patterns; identify type of pattern Explore paper shape patterns and impact of colour combinations (e.g. contrasting / tonal) Could extend to make cushion cover using fabric Look at landscapes of Paul Klee and identify features Compare urban and rural landscapes; link to African landscapes Create a Klee inspired cubist water-colour
VOCABULARY: Container / use / purpose / function Material / method / technique / style Base / handle / spout / lid Clay / coil / spiral / smooth / strengthen / slip / emboss Tapestry / story-telling / embroidery / stitching	VOCABULARY: Visual / interesting / compare / sort / contrast Curved / straight / bright / dull / patterned / plain / texture / smooth / light / shadow Composition / realistic / still life / abstract Pencil / chalk / charcoal Colour families / colour mixing / colour wash / reproduce	VOCABULARY: Fabric / patterns / print / inspiration / symbol Rotation / reflection / transformation / repeating Techniques / stencil / block-print Contrast / tone Cubism / cubist / geometric shapes / symbols / signs Colour palette / environment / urban / rural
INDEPENDENT ART EXPLORATION	ARTIST FOCUS (see above)	INDEPENDENT / GROUP ART
Roman mosaics – group activity Greek theatre masks – to act with Greek figures – human form – people in action	Cezanne (still life) Warhol (modern still-life: soup cans)	AFRICA: traditional and modern African art; sunrise and sunset – silhouettes EGYPT: Hieroglyphics; Canopic jar; life-size mummies