



# Curriculum overview

**Art**

*Charlestown  
2022-23*

	Autumn Formal Elements of Art	Spring Craftspeople & Artists	Summer Sculpture
Nursery	<b>Colour</b> Children will explore and use a range of colours to paint and print.	<b>Collage</b> Children will explore their own ideas to stick and make a collage.	<b>Patterns</b> Children will use natural materials to create natural patterns on the ground in the style of Goldsworthy.
Reception	<b>Self Portrait</b> Children will explore shape and proportions to draw self-portraits.	<b>Snails!</b> Children will work independently and collaboratively to create artwork inspired by the work of Henri Matisse.	<b>Terrific Transport</b> Children will work collaboratively to create 3D models, before adding extra details with a range of materials.
Year One	<b>Shape, Line and Colour</b> Children will explore mark marking and colour mixing to experiment with lines and 2D shapes to draw.	<b>Landscapes</b> Children will use different types of paint to explore textures to create different landscapes.	<b>A drawing in the air!</b> Children will learn about form through the making of sculptures, inspired by the work of Alexander Calder.
Year Two	<b>Patterns &amp; Tone</b> Children will explore different natural and man-made materials to explore and create different textures and tones.	<b>Map it out!</b> Children will explore how maps can be compared to a piece of artwork, making handmade felt to form a collaborative piece of art.	<b>Spider!</b> Children will use sculpture to develop ideas of form and space, inspired by the work of Louise Bourgeois.

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Year Three	<b><i>Shape and Shading</i></b> Children will develop their drawing skills by applying tonal shading through a range of media.	<b><i>Clarice Cliff</i></b> Children will explore art deco styles through the works of Clarice Cliff, developing their painting expertise.	<b><i>Have you ever observed glass?</i></b> Children will develop their ability to describe 3D form in a range of materials, inspired by the work of Dale Chihuly.
Year Four	<b><i>Texture &amp; Pattern - printing</i></b> Children will explore geometric shapes and repeated patterns to print and create using a range of materials.	<b><i>Vincent Van Gogh</i></b> Children will explore the post-impressionism movement to experiment with different brush strokes to create an original piece of art.	<b><i>Giant Pizza.</i></b> Children will develop their ability to model form in 3D using a range of materials to express textures, inspired by the work of Claes Oldenburg.
Year Five	<b><i>Still Life</i></b> Children will learn and apply new drawing techniques to develop their observational drawing skills.	<b><i>Carolee Clark</i></b> Children will explore advanced colour mixing and pattern to create an original piece of art inspired by Carolee Clark.	<b><i>Carving.</i></b> Children will carve soap to create a sculpture inspired by Henry Moore and Barbara Hepworth.
Year Six	<b><i>Architecture</i></b> Children will further develop their observational drawing skills to draw plans and elevations with perspective.	<b><i>Painting and mixed media</i></b> Children will experience a range of art appreciation activities to explore a range of artists before creating a piece of art from their sketchbook ideas.	<b><i>Underwater Texture</i></b> Children will use the work of Heather Knight to inspire them to create a textured clay sculpture.