



Art & Design

If you were to walk into an Art & Design lesson at Hawkhurst you would see:

- Mindful vocabulary related to the specific artistic areas being taught e.g.
 "portrait, self-portrait, line drawing, detail, landscape, cityscape, building, pastels, drawings, line, bold, size, space" when learning about drawing in KS1.
- Use of a variety of resources and opportunity for creativity.
- Children articulating their viewpoints and opinions in response to artwork and techniques.
- Reference to the school's values to help children make connections with their learning.
- All children being encouraged to experience and progress their knowledge and skills within each artistic technique.
- Hands-on and practical learning experiences to engage learners.
- Experience with a variety of different art mediums.

In our Art & Design curriculum you will see that we value inclusion and diversity:

Each year group is required to teach a variety of artists from different ethnic backgrounds as well as artists of different enders.

British Values and Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural Learning (SMSC) in Art & Design:

Spiritual – Children have time to investigate and discover, with hands on learning, describing how sources of inspiration and influence make a difference to themselves and others, shaping their own creativity.

Moral – Through teaching and learning within Art, children begin to consider that the shared resources they use and make will affect the safety, comfort and wellbeing of people who use them around the school.

Social (inc British Values) – Children are taught and encouraged to appreciate artists and others artistic efforts. This supports the British Values of 'respect' and 'tolerance'.

Cultural – Diversity is celebrated through exploring a variety of artists. This aids understanding and acceptance of a diversity across different times or cultures.