

Vocabulary

Drawing

EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Drawing, texture, lines, straight, curved	Landscapes, patterns, horizontal, vertical, diagonal	Surfaces, experience, feelings, shadows, sketch	Observation, positive, negative, accurate, background, foreground, middle ground	Scale, proportion, shading, accurate, value of a colour	Direction, light, flat, composition, contrasting, dramatic, faint	Perspective, flowing, textural, abstract, realistic, stylised, composition, hatching

Colour

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Colour names, mixing	Primary colours, tools, secondary colours, mixing	Tone, darken, scale, warm, cold, neutral	Colour wheel, techniques, dotting, scratching, splashing, harmonious	Tint, tone, shade, mood, contrasting, gradient, complimentary	Hue, tint, tone, shade, mood, purpose, highlight, graduated	Feelings, blended, range, gradient, monochrome, natural, subtle, contrasting

Texture

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Texture, material, smooth, rough	Collage, weaving, bumpy, soft, hard	Overlapping, overlaying, applique, simple, symmetry	Batik, geometric, design, asymmetric, tessellation	Mood, fabric, pattern, motif, man-made, natural	Embellish, visual texture, illusion, irregular, intricate	Technique, tactile, emotive, intentional, uniform, focus

Form

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Constructing, model, destroying, shape	Pinch, simple joins, 3D, regular shape	Natural, man-made, malleable, rigid, pattern	Shape, form, model, construct, adhesives, solid, proportion	Sculpture, perspective, surface, texture, unique, tactile	Shape, form, model, join, media, sculptor, distorted	Linear, clean, fragmented, abstract, realistic

Printing

EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Rubbing, printing, objects	Patterns, impressed image, relief printing	Form, simple, stamped, symmetrical, irregular	Monoprint, overlapping, continuous, intricate, structured	Environmental, modify, adapt, natural, plain, complicated	Combine, faint, bold, tapered, geometric, random	Delicate, powerful, symbolic, tessellation, symmetry, asymmetric

Pattern

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Repeating pattern, symmetry	Pattern, simple, complex	Natural, man-made, regular, irregular	Environment, surfaces, motif, repeated design, simple, complex	Tessellation, simple, complicated, cross hatch, zig-zag	Abstract, purpose, intricate, overlapped, geometric, uniform	Abstract, angular, controlled, intentional, unique, stylised