



Parkside House School

Art and Design Curriculum Statement

Intent

Art, craft and design embody some of the highest forms of human creativity. Art and design should engage, inspire and challenge pupils, equipping them with the knowledge and skills to experiment, invent and create their own works of art, craft and design. As pupils progress, they should be able to think critically and develop a more rigorous understanding of art and design. They should also know how art and design both reflect and shape our history, and contribute to the culture, creativity and wealth of our nation and our world.

The art curriculum at Parkside House School is adaptable according to the individual pupil educational needs and interests without having to compromise the intent of the art curriculum.

Implication

The curriculum for art and design aims to ensure that all pupils:

- produce creative work, exploring their ideas and recording their experiences
- become proficient in drawing, painting, sculpture and other art, craft and design techniques
- evaluate and analyse creative works using the language of art, craft and design
- know about great artists, craft makers and designers, and understand the historical and cultural development of their art forms

Impact

Pupils should develop their creativity and ideas, and increase proficiency in their execution. They should develop a critical understanding of artists, architects and designers, expressing reasoned judgements that can inform their own work.

Pupils should be able to:

- to use a range of techniques to record their observations in sketchbooks, journals and other media as a basis for exploring their ideas
- to use a range of techniques and media, including painting
- to increase their proficiency in the handling of different materials
- to analyse and evaluate their own work, and that of others, in order to strengthen the visual impact or applications of their work
- about the history of art, craft, design and architecture, including periods, styles and major movements from ancient times up to the present day



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The art curriculum at Parkside House School is a working document that is adaptable and flexible to ensure the intent, implication and impact is suitable for every pupils individual educational needs. By allowing this flexibility, progression from Ks2 to KS5 is fluid and accumulative.