



Art and Design Vocabulary



	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
General	• Observe • Experience • Investigate • historical periods • Collaborate • Scale • Compare • Adapt • Annotate	• Purpose • starting point • great artists • artistic styles • Technique • art history • classical • memory • ICT • art movement • method • approach • Opinion • Aesthetic • art elements • balance	• depth • distance • shadow • genre • functionality	• starting point • marks • Lines • Perspective • Edit • Effect • filter • Adapts • View

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Drawing	• Pencil grade • Shade- light, medium and dark • Tone • Texture • Strokes • Relative scale • Hatching • Parallel lines • Comparison • Grip • Scale	• Figures • Form • Movement • Position • Cross hatching • stippling • shadow • still life • frame • boundary • contour lines • Pencil Pressure • Gradient • guidelines • precision	• Mood • Feeling • smudge • blend/finger blending • abstract • hard and soft lines • composition • distance • direction • Appearance • Depth • Focal point • Tessellation • Optical illusion • Stimulus	• Perspective • Aerial perspective • Vanishing point • Experiment • Foreground • Highlights
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Painting	• Metallic colours • Gold, bronze, silver • Shade • Techniques • Dotting • scratching • Splashing • Colour wash • Background screen • Blended • Bright • Thickened paint • Acrylic • Palette • Spectrum • Pigment	• Watercolour • Tint • Tone • Shade • Reflection • Abstract • Bold • Background • Foreground • Wash • Translucent • Opaque • Transparent • Colour match • Vivid • Dabbing paint •	• Shade • Blue- Turquoise, navy, sky blue, • Red- ruby, crimson, maroon, burgundy • Yellow- mustard, marigold, peach • Complementary colours • Contrasting colours • Hue • Pose • Territory colours • pastel colours • Paler • intensity • Mood • Texture • Purpose • Analogous colours • Harmonious colours	• Green- mint, lime, Emerald • Orange- Bronze, tiger, honey, • Purple- violet, lilac, mauve, plum, indigo • neutral colours • beige, taupe, grey, cream, brown, black and white • Pointillism • Strokes • Dots • atmosphere • light effects. • Hue • Tint • Tone • Mood • Emotions • Warm and cool colours • Modern • Abstract
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3D and Sculpture	• Score • Slip • Attach • Pressure • Flat • Curve • Form • Impress	• Sculpt • Carve • Mouldable • Fetting knife • Trim • Shape • Form • Pierce • Decorate • Spread • Shave • Slice • Scrape • Shave	• Slab • Slip • Coil • Blend • Proportion • Composition • Perspective • Mod-roc • Coil • Embellish • Wetting	• Pliable • Flexible • Hollow • Solid • Realistic
Printing and patterning	• Imprint • Mould • Stencil • Complex pattern • Scoring	• Manipulate • Repeat • Mosaic • Canvas	• Mono printing • Overlap • Etching • Engraving • Indentation • Pressure • Calligraphy	• Overprint • Lino printing • Symmetrical • Repetition
Collage	• Tearing • Overlapping • Layering • Reposition • Rotate • Resize • Depth • Background	• Tearing • Overlapping • Layering • Reposition • Rotate • Resize • Depth • Background	• Painted • Printed • Drawn	• Origami