Killigrew Primary and Nursery Skills Progression



	Early Years	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	Use large-muscle movements to	Experiment	Begin to	Developing	Developing	Work in a	Draw for a
	wave flags and streamers, paint	with a variety	control the	techniques to	techniques to	sustained and	sustained
	and make marks.	of media.	types of marks	create intricate	create intricate	independent	period of time
	Choose the right resources to		made with a	patterns/ marks	patterns using	way to create a	over a number
	carry out their own plan.	Begin to	range of media.	with a variety	different	detailed	of sessions
Drawing	• Use a comfortable grip with	control the		of media.	grades of pencil	drawing.	working on one
	good control when holding pens	types of marks	Control the		and other	Develop a key	piece.
(pencils,	and pencils	made with a	types of marks	Demonstrate	implements/me	element of	
rubbers,	Explore different materials	range of media.	made with a	experience in	dia to create	their work: line,	Develop their
chalks,	freely, in order to develop their		range of media.	different	lines, marks	tone, pattern,	own style of
pastels, felt	ideas about how to use them and	Draw on		grades of pencil	and develop	texture.	drawing
pen,	what to make.	different	Draw on	and other	tone,		through: line,
charcoal,	• Develop their own ideas and	surfaces.	different	implements to	understanding	Use different	tone, pattern,
inks, ICT	then decide which materials to		surfaces with a	draw different	why they best	techniques for	texture.
software)	use to express them.	Start to record	range of media.	forms and	suit.	different	
soltware	Create closed shapes with	simple media		shapes.		purposes i.e.	Use
	continuous lines, and begin to	explorations in	Use a		Draw for a	shading,	sketchbooks to
	use these shapes to represent	a sketch book.	sketchbook to	Use a	sustained	hatching within	collect, record
	objects.		plan and	sketchbook to	period of time	their own work.	and plan for
	• Draw with increasing complexity	Develop a	develop simple	record media	at an		future works.
	and detail, such as representing a	range of tone	ideas.	explorations	appropriate	Use	
	face with a circle and including	using a pencil	Continue to	and	level.	sketchbooks to	Adapt their
	details.	and use a	investigate	experimentat-		collect, record	work and
	• Use drawing to represent ideas	variety of	tone by	ions as well as	Use	and plan for	describe how
	like movement or loud noises.	drawing	drawing	planning and	sketchbooks to	future works.	they might
		techniques	light/dark lines,	collecting	collect and		develop it
		such as:	patterns and	source material	record visual		further.

•	Show different emotions in their	hatching,	shapes using a	for future	information	Start to	Have
	drawings and paintings like	scribbling,	pencil.	works.	from different	develop their	opportunities
	happiness, sadness, fear, etc.	stippling, and	Name, match		sources as well	own style using	to develop
•	Develop their small motor skills	blending to	and draw	Begin to show	as planning and	tonal contrast	further simple
	so that they can use a range of	create light/	lines/marks	an awareness	collecting	and mixed	perspective in
	tools competently, safely and	dark lines.	from	of objects	source material	media.	their work
	confidently.		observations.	having a third	for future		using a single
•	Explore, use and refine a variety	Investigate		dimension and	works.	Begin to	focal point and
	of artistic effects to express their	textures by	Continue to	perspective.		develop an	horizon.
	ideas and feelings.	describing,	investigate		Have	awareness of	
•	Return to and build on their	naming,	textures and	Create textures	opportunities	composition,	Develop an
	previous learning, refining ideas	rubbing,	produce an	and patterns	to develop	scale and	awareness of
	and developing their ability to	copying.	expanding	with a range of	further	proportion in	composition,
	represent them.		range of	drawing	drawings	their paintings.	scale and
•	Create collaboratively, sharing	Produce an	patterns.	implements.	featuring the		proportion in
	ideas, resources and skills.	expanding			third dimension	Use drawing	their paintings.
•	Hold a pencil effectively in	range of			and	techniques to	
	preparation for fluent writing –	patterns and			perspective.	work from a	
	using the tripod grip in almost all	textures.				variety of	
	cases.					sources	
•	Begin to show accuracy and care					including	
	when drawing.					observation,	
•	Safely use and explore a variety					photographs	
	of materials, tools and					and digital	
	techniques, experimenting with					images.	
	colour, design, texture, form and						
	function.					Develop close	
•	Share their creations, explaining					observation	
	the process they have used.					skills using a	
						variety of view finders.	
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Painting (water- colour, ready mixed, acrylic)	 Use large-muscle movements to wave flags and streamers,paint and make marks. Choose the right resources to carry out their own plan. Use a comfortable grip with good control when holding pens and pencils. Explore different materials freely, in order to develop their ideas about how to use them and what to make. Develop their own ideas and then decide which materials to use to express them. Create closed shapes with continuous lines, and begin to use these shapes to represent objects. Show different emotions in their drawings and paintings, like happiness, sadness, fear, etc. Explore colour and colour mixing. Develop their small motor skills so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings. (EAD Rec) 	background usin and other tools t backgrounds and Investigate mark thick brushes/ sp particular effects Investigate, expe apply colour for represent real lif convey mood Use colour and p apply surface tee	hake marks of esses and using at techniques. y paint to make a g wide brushes to express d context. to making using bonge brushes for seriment, mix and purposes to e, ideas and painting skills and	and cool colour of mixing paint to en- work. Represent things remembered or colour selecting and brushes. Use different typ specific purposes Explore the effect adding water, glo and use this in a Mix and use prin colours with the and white and of Create a painting	express a mood in a s observed, imagined, using appropriate paint oes of brushes for s ct on paint of ue, sand, sawdust painting. mary and secondary addition of black	variety of tools such as dots, so splashes, and a layers. Select from diff apply colour us	pplying paint in Ferent methods to ing a variety of iques to express on. t of light and and tone on

	 Return to and build on their previous learning, refining ideas and developing their ability to represent them. Create collaboratively, sharing ideas, resources and skills. Use a range of small tools, including scissors, paintbrushes and cutlery. Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function. Share their creations, explaining the process they have used. 						
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3D (3D work, clay, dough, boxes, wire, paper sculpture, mod roc)	 Choose the right resources to carry out their own plan. Use one-handed tools and equipment, for example, making snips in paper with scissors. Explore different materials freely, in order to develop their ideas about how to use them and what to make. Develop their own ideas and then decide which materials to use to express them. Develop their small motor skills so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently. 	Use a variety of r and manufacture sculpting, e.g. cla card. Use a variety of t rolling, cutting ar Use a variety of s lines and texture	d materials for y, straw and echniques, e.g. nd pinching. hapes, including	create recognis Use clay and otl materials and p techniques.	her malleable	Plan and design Use tools and ma carve, add shape and pattern. Develop cutting skills, e.g. using v slabs and slips. Use materials ot create a 3D sculp	aterials to e, add texture and joining wire, coils, her than clay to

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Textiles (weaving, sewing, fabric dye/paint, batik, threads, decorations)	 Choose the right resources to carry out their own plan. Use one-handed tools and equipment, for example, making snips in paper with scissors. Explore different materials freely, in order to develop their ideas about how to use them and what to make. Develop their own ideas and then decide which materials to use to express them. 	such as threads, raffia, paper strip fibres to make a product.	os and natural simple craft fibres, stitch, sew face decorate	Weave in a simple constructed texti Discriminate betw materials to selec constructed form Print on fabric usi block or tile, or as using a simple ste	le surfaces. veen fabric at and assemble a ing a monoprint s part of a group	environment thro colour matching understanding of colours.	and f seasonal ontrasting colours titching and ning, stapling,

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Collage (paper including paper with textures, card,tissue, fabric and tactile	 Choose the right resources to carry out their own plan. Explore different materials freely, in order to develop their ideas about how to use them and what to make. Develop their own ideas and then decide which materials to use to express them. 	Select with thought, differe materials, considering cont shape, surface and texture. Select, sort (according to sp qualities e.g. warm, cold, s smooth) and modify, by cur tearing with care before ad	nt Improve skills of over ent, overlaying to place o front and behind. Decific Experiment with creat hiny, feeling, movement and ting, interest using differe	rlapping and bjects in ating mood, nd areas of	Select and use cu adhesives with ca specific outcome	are to achieve a .ce using a variety cluding drawing,

embellishme	•	Join different materials and	other marks and	l colour to	Use the natural /	town	Select and use	found materials
nts)		explore different textures.	represent an ide	а.	environment as a	a stimulus for a	with art media	and adhesives to
,	•	, Develop their small motor skills	•		mixed media wor	rk to convey	assemble and r	epresent a surface
		so that they can use a range of	Use paste and a	dhesives to select	meaning.		or thing.	•
		tools competently, safely and	and place cut an				0	
		confidently.		o convey an idea.	Make a represen	tational textured		
	•	Explore, use and refine a variety			image.			
		of artistic effects to express						
		their ideas and feelings.						
	•	Return to and build on their						
		previous learning, refining ideas						
		and developing their ability to						
		represent them.						
	•	Create collaboratively, sharing						
		ideas, resources and skills.						
	•	Safely use and explore a variety						
		of materials, tools and						
		techniques, experimenting with						
		colour, design, texture, form and						
		function.						
	•	Share their creations, explaining						
		the process they have used.						
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Printing	•	Use large-muscle movements to	Apply ink to a sh	ape or surface to	Explore lines, ma	irks and tones	Make connection	ons between own
		wave flags and streamers, paint	experiment with		through monopr	0		rns in the natural
		and make marks.	improving the q	•	variety of papers	to create an	world.	
(found	•	Explore different materials	placement of th	e image.	image.			
materials,		freely, in order to develop their					0	es through relief
rubbings,		ideas about how to use them and		inting, controlling	Explores images		printing using c	
stencils,		what to make.	line and tone us	ing tools or		graph print using	making tools to	
sponges,	•	Develop their own ideas and	pressure.		e.g. corrugated c	ard, string,	shape, texture	
fruit/veg,		then decide which materials to			pressprint.		Recreate a scer	
wood		use to express them.					remembered, c	bserved or

blocks, press print, mono- print, string)	•	Develop their small motor skills so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently. Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings. Return to and build on their previous learning, refining ideas and developing their ability to represent them. Create collaboratively, sharing ideas, resources and skills. Use a range of small tools, including scissors, paintbrushes and cutlery. Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function. Share their creations, explaining the process they have used.	Take rubbings from texture to understand and inform their own texture printsRepeat a pattern, randomly placed or tiled in a grid with a range of blocks.Explore and create patterns and textures with an extended range of found materials - e.g. sponges, leaves, fruit, ink pads.Year 1		Explore colour m printing, using tw a roller and stenc	a roller and stencil or pressprint.		imagined, through collage relief 'collagraph' printing. Design prints for a practical purpose e.g. fabrics, book covers, wallpaper or wrapping paper.	
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Digital Media	•	Develop their small motor skills so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently. Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings. Create collaboratively, sharing ideas, resources and skills.	program, selecting tools to make lines, shapes and pour colours. Control the size of a mark and select colours, and use predefined		Use an art program to make an image corresponding to their work in other art media. Create a motif in lines and shapes, copy and paste to create a simple repeat pattern.		Use a digital carr	and pasted into o create a digital ramme to lesigns for a	

	•	Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function. Share their creations, explaining the process they have used.	capture, save and print.		Use a digital camera and combine a photo with drawing in a paint program.		Plan, take and digitally process photographs for a creative purpose, working as part of a group.		
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Artists (focussing on cultural diversity	•	Explore the work of an artist talking about what they like and don't like about the artwork. Use the art work for inspiration.	Describe the wor notable artists an Use inspiration fr notable artists to work and compar Express an opinic famous, notable a	d designers. om famous, create their own re. on on the work of	artists to replicat work. Reflect upon our a famous, notabl development of t Express an opinio	Use inspiration from famous artists to replicate a piece of		Year 5Year 6Give detailed observations about notable artists, artisans and designers work.Offer facts about notable artists, artisans and designers lives.Express an opinion on the work of famous, notable artists and refer to techniques and effects.	

Throughout all these areas, children should be given the opportunity to discuss and review their own and others work.