



Filey C E Nursery & Infants Academy

'Inspiring Confident Learners, Reflecting Christian Values'

We endeavour to uphold Christian teaching to:

"Shine as lights in the world and love as Jesus loves us" (Philippians 2:15, John 13.34)

Our school is a Church of England School rooted in 'Compassion, Community and Friendship'.

Art and Design at Filey

Intent

At Filey C of E Nursery and Infants Academy we aim to encourage creativity by providing opportunities for children to develop their ideas and express themselves in a variety of different mediums. Art and Design at Filey Infants aims to engage, inspire and challenge pupils and give them the knowledge and skills required to enable them to create their own works of art. We aim to provide children with the opportunity to express their individual interests, thoughts and ideas as well as responding to their own work and that of others. We also strive for our pupils to develop the confidence to explore and express their imaginations in a personal and creative way, preparing them for the future.

Implementation

Art is taught in a cross curricular way so pupils can gain and apply knowledge and skills in different contexts. Pupils are taught a broad range of skills across art disciplines. At Filey Infants we deliver a skills-based art curriculum, supported through the studying of key artists which allows children to express their creative imagination as well as providing them with opportunities to practise and develop the key skills of art, drawing, painting, printing, collage, textiles and 3D modelling. Lessons involve exploring and responding to existing pieces of art, developing their skills of drawing and painting and developing a range of skills before completing a final piece. Pupils are given constructive feedback with further opportunities to develop their artwork and to further improve their work.

Impact

Outcomes in the children's art books, classroom displays and the art gallery in the art corridor will evidence the children's creativity and development of Art and Design skills and will reflect a 'research, design, make and evaluate' approach. At Filey Infants and Nursery we aim for children to become creative learners who have begun to develop knowledge about artists from around the world. We strive for there to be an emphasis placed on individuality and ensure children are given the freedom to explore art using their imaginations whilst also embedding the key art and design skills needed to allow them to produce inventive pieces of art.

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