

Spring – Art Year 1 Knowledge organiser

I'm learning to ...

- Develops drawing skills
- Introduces pastel as a medium
- Develops hand eye coordination
- Explores drawing as a physical activity
- Explores colour and colour mixing in an intuitive way
- Explores collage
- Explores link between drawing & making
- Can be used to explore individual and group work

Prior knowledge

Using charcoal, graphite, wax crayons, coloured pens, and ink as a range of medium.



New vocabulary

Natural	Chalk	Lighter	Darker	Mark making	Charcoal	Dense	Pressure
Collecting		Wax crayon		Observation		Resistant	
Drawing	Materials	Spirals		Squiggle	Oil pastels		blind drawing

New Knowledge

Introduce pastels and how to use them.

Study the artist Kandinsky

Blind draw feathers

Create a sculpture



Key skills

- Explore mark making to start to build mark-making vocabulary e.g. [drawing feathers](#)
- Become familiar with 2 or more drawing exercises repeated over time to build skill.
- Explore pattern, line, shape and texture.
- Explore, discover and invent ways for 2d to transform into 3d sculpture. This might be through creating drawings or prints on paper which are then folded, through collage which becomes relief, through 2d shapes which are cut out and constructed with.