



PLUME ACADEMY - LEARNING OVERVIEW

Year	8
Subject	Art and Design

Prior Learning

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Curriculum Intent – What are the curriculum aims?

The Year 8 artist aims are to continue to produce creative work, exploring their ideas and recording their experiences. Students should become proficient in drawing, painting, sculpture and other art, craft, and design techniques. In their work they should learn to evaluate and analyse creative works using the language of art, craft, and design. Additionally, they should know about great artists, craft makers and designers, and understand the historical and cultural development of their art forms.

Curriculum Implementation – What my child will be learning?

Term 1	Half Term 1	Module 1; Book Illustration. Base line drawing assessment and skills in four illustration techniques.
	Half Term 2	Independent study Aboriginal symbolic art.
Term 2	Half Term 3	Module 2; Green man/woman. Base line drawing assessment of a face and practical techniques/skills with clay.
	Half Term 4	Independent study; A3 Illustrated story in mixed media.
Term 3	Half Term 5	Module 3; Aboriginal art. Base line drawing assessment Zoomorphic studies.
	Half Term 6	Independent study Clay green man/woman.



Curriculum Impact – How will progress be assessed?

Each term students will have a formative tracking sheet attached in the back of their sketchbooks. They will get each term a drawing baseline assessment, a skills level and learnability grade and then do a final independent study which will be levelled as a summative assessment taking on board all the work that module.

Super-Curricular Opportunities – Extending Learning

Useful study resources:	If a student is really passionate about this subject, they could:	As a parent/carer, I can assist my child in this subject by:
<p>BBC Bitesize: KS3 Art and Design - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z6f3cdm</p> <p>Firstsite Gallery Colchester – free downloadable art packs, guides to local exhibitions, workshops https://firstsite.uk</p> <p>Tate Kids - play free art games and fun quizzes, find art activities, read about artists and share your art https://www.tate.org.uk/kids</p> <p>Grayson's Art Club https://www.graysonartclub.com</p>	<p>Create a personal sketchbook (<i>drawings, pen + ink studies, explore pattern, shape, colour, materials, media, texture, surfaces, work from imagination and real life.</i></p> <p>Research art, craft, and design from different cultures.</p> <p>Try to watch art programmes (Sky arts, Grayson Perry Art Club, Channel 4 etc). Many channels can be watched live on YouTube.</p> <p>Research Andy Goldsworthy and recreate one or more of his sculptures which is great fun and will involve you working in the landscape. The best way to record what</p>	<p>Encourage your child in the core art skill of drawing.</p> <p>Provide opportunities to experience the cultural aspects of art and design locally and when on holiday.</p> <p>Visit arts and crafts workshops in your area.</p> <p>Provide opportunities to explore and understand the history of art, craft, design and architecture, including periods, styles and major movements from ancient times to the present day through gallery and museum visits and virtual tours online. Ask questions about the choices your child makes in their art. How did they come up with</p>



	you have done is take photos of the stages of building and photos of the stages of decay. You could work individually or as part of a group to make the sculpture... have fun.	the ideas? What were their intentions? Are there any ways they could have improved their outcome?
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Key Links:

BBC Bitesize: KS3 Art and Design - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z6f3cdm>

Firstsite Gallery Colchester – free downloadable art packs, guides to local exhibitions, workshops

<https://firstsite.uk>

Tate Kids - play free art games and fun quizzes, find art activities, read about artists and share your art <https://www.tate.org.uk/kids>

Grayson's Art Club <https://www.graysonsartclub.com>