Elements of our Art Curriculum

Knowledge and Understanding

(Factual)

Artists develop a knowledge and understanding of artists, craftspeople, architects, designers and also of their work.

Knowledge and understanding of a range of making skills, tools and techniques enable them to generate ideas for how to create their intended outcome

Substantive Art Knowledge

Specific Vocabulary

(The who, what, when, how of art)

(The language and terminology of art)

Making Skills

(Procedural)

Drawing

Painting

Design & Craft

Sculpture, Printmaking, Computers

Developing and Exploring Ideas

(Conceptual)

Evaluation

(Metacognition)

These elements do not stand as isolated parts; an artist's thinking and work is often a combination of all or a number of them.

