



Key Words in Art and Design

EYFS

In EYFS, we expect children to understand and use the following words or their associated meanings:

Head, eyes, nose, mouth, ear, hand, finger, elbow, leg, knee, foot, toe, arm, hair, face, back.

Human, animal, carnivore, herbivore, omnivore, fish, bird.

Tree, leaf, leaves, flower, stem, seed, petals, trunk, fruit, branch, roots, bulb.

Material, wood, glass, paper, hard, soft, metal, wood, rock, plastic, fabric, smooth, shiny, rough, loud, quiet.

Season, Autumn, Winter, Spring, Summer, day, night, dark, light, Earth, Moon, Sun, star, planet, space.

Year 1

**Autumn 1
Monochromatic:
Drawing**

**Autumn 2
Digital Art:
Graphic Design**

**Spring 1
Textiles: Sewing**

**Spring 2
Sculpture: Clay**

**Summer 1
Collage: Paper
Art**

**Summer 2
Chromatic:
Painting**

graphite
line
shape
tone
doodle

pixels
fill
grid
custom
zoom

template
design
model
stencil
decorate

2 dimensional
3 dimensional
sculpt
texture
pottery

tear
assemble
clippings
overlap
layer

shape
line
primary colours
abstract
realistic

Year 2	Autumn 1 Chromatic: Painting	Autumn 2 Monochromatic: Drawing	Spring 1 Digital Art: Graphic Design	Spring 2 Textiles: Sewing	Summer 1 Sculpture: Clay	Summer 2 Collage: Paper Art
	abstract primary colours complementary colours inspire evaluate	inspiration primary colours complementary colours elements process	pixels fill text PNG GIF	decorate fabric running stitch template thread	2 dimensional 3 dimensional inspiration influenced ceramic	overlap layer assemble evaluate texture
Year 3	Autumn 1 Collage: Paper Art	Autumn 2 Chromatic: Painting	Spring 1 Monochromatic: Drawing	Spring 2 Digital Art: Graphic Design	Summer 1 Textiles: Sewing	Summer 2 Sculpture: Clay
	overlap layer abstract texture structure	chromatic illustration realism observational medium	observational texture process portrait still life	GIF zoom rotation flip symmetry	template running stitch applique embellish accurate	influence texture relief score slip
Year 4	Autumn 1 Sculpture: Clay	Autumn 2 Collage: Photo collage	Spring 1 Chromatic: Painting	Spring 2 Monochromatic: Drawing	Summer 1 Digital Art: Graphic Design	Summer 2 Textiles: Sewing
	inspiration functionality relief score slip	texture inspiration medium evaluate landscape	evaluate primary colours secondary colours impressionism pointillism	landscape perspective atmosphere horizon vanishing point	fill text arrange masking transparency	template applique mock up design criteria fastening

Year 5	Autumn 1 Textiles: Sewing	Autumn 2 Sculpture: Clay	Spring 1 Collage: Paper Art	Spring 2 Chromatic: Painting	Summer 1 Monochromatic: Drawing	Summer 2 Digital Art: Graphic Design
	template design criteria annotate blanket stitch appendage	composition manipulate stoneware earthenware kneading	abstract assemble texture influence montage	portrait texture proportion miniaturist commission	abstract perspective graphite monochromatic hyperrealism	dimensions navigation hyperlink graphic design duplicate
Year 6	Autumn 1: Digital Art	Autumn 1 Textiles: Sewing	Spring 1 Sculpture: Clay	Spring 1 Collage: Paper Art	Spring 2 Chromatic: Painting	Summer 1 Monochromatic: Drawing
	transparency graphic design graphics gradient accuracy	design criteria annotate applique accuracy target customer	score slip kneading kiln malleable	process influence silhouette advocacy montage	influence inspiration protest art slogan activist	graphite realistic observational proportion geometric