



St. Michael Catholic Primary School and Nursery
Subject Overview
Subject: Art, Music and Design Technology 2026 - 2027



Year 1					
Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Marvellous Medway		God's Endangered World		Events that Shaped our world	
Art Drawing and Collage Self- portraits and portraits using a variety of media and tools Inspired by Jean Michel Basquiat Music: My favourite things- Keeping the pulse	Art DT Food technology Fruit smoothies Music: Snail and Mouse- Tempo	Art Printing Use a variety of media to create a repeated pattern Inspired by Althea McNish Music: Seaside- Dynamics	Art DT Creating a moving mechanism using wheels and axles. Making structures n 2d and 3d Inspired by James Starley Music: Fairytale- Sound patterns	Art Weaving Weaving using fabrics Inspired by Ani Albers Music: Superheroes- Pitch	Art Painting Recording observations and experiences Inspired by Hilda af Klint Music: Under the sea- Musical symbols
Year 2					
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Art: Collage in Nature Creating using found natural resources and collage materials. Inspired by Andy Goldsworthy Music:	Art: Drawing Experimenting with tones using a variety of drawing media. Inspired by Leonardo De Vinci DT: Food technology	Art: Textiles Applying decorations to fabrics Inspired by Zandra Rhodes and Mary Quant Music:	DT: (Park design) Follow a design brief to create functional and appealing products Inspired by: Capability Brown Music:	Art: Printing Repeated relief and press printing Inspired by Andy Warhol Music:	Art: Painting Developing care and control over chosen media Inspire by Vincent Van Gogh Music: Reflection



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Hands, Feet and Heart Afro Pop and South African music	Music: Ho Ho Ho – Singing Raps and improvisations	I wanna play in a band Rock music	Zoo time Reggae	Friendship song Pop music	Classical music
Year 3					
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Art Painting Pointillism techniques using a variety of media Inspired by Yayoi Kusama Music Creating compositions Mountains	Art Textiles Adding detail to work using a variety of yarns and stitches Inspired by Kaffe Fassett DT – Food technology Music Vocal performance skills Singing solo and in an ensemble	Art Collage/Mixed media Developing Photomontage and collage techniques Inspired by Hannah Hoch Music Pentatonic melodies and composition Chinese New Year	Art Drawing Explore shading using different media Inspired by Banksy Music Emotive music Ballads	Art Printing Impressed techniques using printing blocks Inspired by Graham Clark Music Motifs and Rhythms Jazz	DT (Architecture) Creating cross sectional designs, computer aided designs and annotated sketches Inspired by Henry Clutton Music Traditional Instruments and Improvisation India
Year 4					
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Art: Drawing	Art: Collage/Mixed media	DT (Flight) Use wood joining and strengthening	Art: Painting Create different painteffects using a	Art: Sculpture Planning and developing clay	Art: Textiles/Printing



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Pencil techniques for real and imagined animals Inspired by Albrecht Durer and Gary Hodges . Music: Body and Tuned Percussions Rainforest	Creating mood, feeling, movement and areas of interest Inspired by Vassily Kadinsky DT: Food technology Music: Singing and performing	techniques with accuracy Inspired by Wright Brothers Music: Features of music Rock and Roll	variety of tools and techniques Inspired by Heaton Cooper and JWM Turner Music: Haiku, music and performance Hanaami festival	sculpture techniques Inspired by Barbara Hepworth Music: Changes in pitch and tempo Rivers	Creating effects using batik, tie dye and fabric paint Inspired by Ana Strumpf Music: Samba and carnival sounds South America
Year 5					
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Art: Sculpture Cardboard and recycled material Cardboard to clay Inspired by Darrel Wakelam Music: Developing pitch and control Songs of WW2	Art: Painting Colour mixing to express mood , foreground and background using comparisons. Inspired by Freda Kahlo & JS Lowry DT – Food technology Music: Singing and performing	Art: Drawing Improving pencil techniques through line, shade and toning Inspired by Cannaletto Music: A Cappella and Drumming South and West Africa	Art: Printing Design blocks to create layers and overlays Inspired by Katsushika Hokusai Music: Composition Holi Festival	DT: DT(Rope Bridge) Applying skills to build more complex 3d structures Inspired by Norman Foster Music: Creating Rhythm Looping and remixing	Art: Collage/Mixed media Observational figurative compositions Inspired by Moses Williams Music: Creating, composing and performing Musical Theatre
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Art: Painting Watercolour painting techniques 'The last chance to paint project. Inspired by John Dyer and Nixiwaka Yawanawá Music: Dynamics, pitch and texture Fingal's Cave	Art: Drawing/Photography Composition, scale, proportion and perspective in architecture. Inspired by Zaha Hadid and Edward Holl DT: Food Technology Music: Singing and Performing	Art: Sculpture Produce intricate patterns and textures in clay. Inspired by Ancient Mayan Art Music: Composition Film Music	Art: Collage and Mixed Media Use a variety of media to represent things seen or imagined. Inspired by Edward Tingatinga Music: Themes and Variation Pop Art	Art: Textiles/Printing Designing and creating intricate printing patterns inspired by William Morris Music: Structure and Style Baroque	DT: Create a functional design with moving parts inspired by Gutenberg Music: Creating and composing Leaver's Song