

Year 1 – Term 1

What makes me, me?

ART



National Curriculum Links:

Develop a wide range of art and design techniques in using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space.

Learn about the work of a range of artists, craft makers and designers, describing the differences and similarities between different practices and disciplines, and making links to their own work.

Essential Prior Learning:

Children will have had their portrait taken and looked at the photograph. Most children will have used a phone or iPad to take a photograph. During the term, they will have their school portrait photograph taken by the professional photographer at school.

Progression in Skill:

Hold and use a camera to select and capture with clear intention.

Use the zoom setting (or move closer) to focus on the subject.

What is art?

What is the purpose of this art? What did the artist intend? What does it mean to us?

How is art made?

What are the different practices linked to art?

Begin to describe artwork –

- What can we see in the artwork?
- What colours has the artist used?

Long-term Memory Knowledge:

Portraits can capture feelings – looking at someone's facial expression can tell you how they feel.

Rehahn believed that the key to a successful photograph is respect. This might mean asking permission to take someone's photograph before doing so or agreeing to delete it if they are not happy with it.

Key Vocabulary:

portrait photography	a photograph of a person
zoom	use the camera to make something appear bigger or smaller in the photo
capture	to take a photograph
subject	the main object/thing in the photograph
focus	making the subject clear to see

Progression in Resources:

Cardboard viewfinder frame
iPad

Relevance

Now	Children continue to develop their knowledge of how to use a camera to take pictures; they are happier with their outcomes and begin to consider what actions they could take to improve them further.
Future	Cameras are used effectively to capture images of people, places and experiences that are meaningful and which convey the mood intended.
Aspiration	A career in photography is considered – maybe as a photojournalist, for weddings or events, as part of scientific research or for travel. Photography may be something to dedicate leisure time to – possibly exploring different types of camera or how film was developed in the past.