Subject: Art,	Craft and	Design: Re	epresenting	the Rainforest

#### Year: 4 - Summer Term 1

## **National Curriculum objectives**

- to improve their mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing, painting and sculpture with a range of materials
- learn about great artists, architects and designers in history
- to create sketch books to record their observations and use them to review and revisit ideas

## To begin this unit, the children should have already learnt:

#### Line/Detail + Observation);

Show increased control over lines. Encourage children to look carefully, to observe and include more detail (YR2)

Use experience of line to practise close observation to add detail to drawing (YR3) (Texture/Pattern):

Show increased control creating different marks to form patterns and different textures to create effects, for example dots, lines, shapes, hatching. (YR3) (Shading);

Experiment with the potential of various pencils to shade and create light and dark. (YR3) (Perspective);

An attempt to show some 3D qualities to an object. (YR3)

(Recording/Self Governing/Evaluation);.

Self-reflect on created pieces of art (YR3)

### (Colour Mixing/Knowledge);

Colour Wheel: primary to secondary colours mixing, contrasting colour. (YR2)

Tertiary colours. Tones of colour adding light and dark. (YR3)

## (Application of paint);

Paint applied with greater variety of brushes to try and copy effects including washes. (YR3) (Construction/Form);

Develop understanding of different adhesives + methods of construction (YR3)

# The learning in this unit will prepare the children to learn these things in the future:

Year 5 Progression of Skills.

## (Line/Detail + Observation);

Continue to practise observation while drawing to form increasingly detailed, accurate drawings.

#### (Texture/Pattern):

Interpret the texture of a surface and make own decision how to represent this, use pattern for a purpose.

#### (Shading);

Show the effect of light on objects and people from different directions with increasing skill using tone, shade and shadow.

#### (Perspective);

Use scale and proportion to begin to add perspective to drawing.

## (Recording/Self Governing/Evaluation);

Use initial sketches as a way of recording ideas, planning work, record work in a clear sequence in sketchbooks, reflecting on own work.

## (Colour Mixing/Knowledge);

To continue experiment colour matching to real objects

Experimenting with intensity of colour to create depth.

To begin to add to colour for effect or to add emotion.

## (Application of paint);

Paint applied in a series of layers and techniques to achieve a planned effect.

## (Construction/Form);

Use range of equipment and materials e.g., recycled, natural and manmade materials to create.

## **Key Enquiry Question**

Can you create a detailed picture of a rainforest using depth and shade?

## The Big Idea:

Create detailed pictures of jungles, practising drawing, layering, shading and colour decision making. Compare representations of jungles (Western/indigenous art).

To achieve ARE, pupils will need to be secure in the following knowledge:

### By the end of this unit, children will know:

How to select and use relevant resources and references to develop their ideas. Use a sketchbook, and drawing, purposefully to improve understanding, inform ideas and plan for an outcome.

Investigate the nature and qualities of different materials and processes systematically. Apply the technical skills they are learning to improve the quality of their work. (Drawing animals, paint and collage jungle scenes).

Regularly reflect upon their own work and use comparisons with the work of others (pupils and artists) to identify how to improve.

Know about and describe some of the key ideas, techniques and working practises of a variety of artists, craftspeople (Henri Rousseau / Nixiwaka Yawanawá) that they have studies. Know about, and be able to demonstrate, how tools they have chosen to work with, should be used effectively and with safety.

#### (NSEAD Assessment framework)

## By the end of this unit, children will be able to do:

#### **Drawing Skills:**

(Line/Detail + Observation);

Continue to practise close observation to add detail and texture to form accurate drawings. (Texture/Pattern):

Explore environmental and manmade patterns and textures for example tessellation for desired effects.

(Shading);

Identify and draw the effect of light including tone and shadow.

(Perspective);

Begin to look at scale and proportion in drawing

(Recording/Self Governing/Evaluation);

Use sketches as a way of recording ideas, planning other work, record work in a clear sequence in sketchbooks.

#### **Colour Skills:**

(Colour Mixing/Knowledge);

Beginning to experiment colour matching, Self-lead colour mixing

Experimenting with intensity of colour.

(Application of paint);

Paint applied taking greater care. Using a greater variety of brushes or applicators to achieve a planned effect.

## (Construction/Form);

Use range of equipment and materials e.g., recycled, natural and manmade materials with increasing confidence.

#### Vocabulary:

Line: pencil, crayon, thick, thin, soft, broad, narrow, fine, pattern, line, shape, detail, bold, sketching,

Texture: pattern texture, proportion, emotion, expression, smooth, rough, wrinkly, bumpy, hatching, cross hatching, media marks, pencil, techniques, stippling, blending, rubbing, shading, pressure, movement.

Shape: form, grades, forms, shapes, proportion, 3D, parallel, vertical, horizontal, straight, curved.

Tone: variations, tone, grade, depth.

Colour wheel, primary, secondary colours, mix, tints, tones, shades, experiment, effects, textural effects, blocking, washes, layering, brush, texture, evaluate, compare, review, reflect.

Henri Rousseau, John Dyer + Nixiwaka Yawanawá, Yawanawa tribe, Brazil, Rainforest, Indigenous, vegetation, native species.

#### Artists:

Henri Rousseau (1844-1910) – Jungle paintings (note: Rousseau never travelled)







John Dyer (1967-) English born – lived with Yawanawa tribe, Brazil and local artist Nixiwaka Yawanawá (some procreate/digital examples);

https://www.lastchancetopaint.com/art-spirit-of-the-rainforest https://johndyergallery.com/collections/nixiwaka-yawanawa

#### Media:

Pencil

Pen

Cravon

Paint

Collage