Leyland St James' CE Primary School – Art and Design Curriculum Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Seedlings	Line and Mark Making To begin to explore different materials	Observational Drawings in Nature To explore what happens when mixing colours	Textures on a journey To explore how to join materials together	Art Inspired by People Who Help Us To demonstrate increasing confidence to explore tools and materials	Art Inspired by Our Gardens To independently describe and explore colour and shape.	Art inspired by recycling To discuss their creations.
Blossoms	Line and Mark Making To begin to manipulate and explore textures and materials	Observational Drawings in Nature To discuss the noticeable change when colour mixing.	Textures in a Bear Hunt To explain their reason for their chosen material.	Art Inspired by People Who Help Us To create imaginative art work.	Art Inspired by Our Gardens To talk and evaluate what they are making.	Art inspired by recycling To create with a variety of media to explore shape.
Orchard	Patterns in art	Shapes in Art	Hot and cold colour	Art inspired by our living world	Art inspired by road and train markings.	Art inspired by patterns and printing.
Year 1		Drawing: exploring line and shape		Painting and Mixed Media: colour splash		Sculpture and 3D: paper play
Year 2	Painting and Mixed Media: life in colour		Sculpture and 3D: clay houses		Craft and Design: map it out	
Year 3		Drawing: developing drawing skills		Sculpture and 3D: abstract shape and space		Craft and Design: ancient Egyptian scrolls
Year 4	Drawing: exploring tone, texture and proportion		Painting and Mixed Media: light and dark		Craft and Design: fabric of nature	

Year 5	Drawing: depth, emotion and movement		Sculpture and 3D: interactive instalment		Painting and mixed media: Portraits	
Year 6	Drawing: expressing ideas		Craft and Design: photo opportunity		Sculpture and 3D: making memories	