



Year 2 - Spring - Art and Design Knowledge Organiser

What I already know...

Year 1 look at houses through the creative eye, their journey began through a view finder– they looked at patterns and shapes. Year 1 created a collaborative mural. They used different pencil techniques too.

What I will learn...

- To learn about the artist Tan Zi Xi and her 'Plastic Ocean' sculpture.
- To use observational skills and sketch recyclable objects.
- Sketching line, shape, hatching, feathering, scumbling and stippling.
- To design a recycled sculpture in the style of Tan Zi Xi's 'Plastic Ocean'.
- To build a recycled sculpture in the style of Tan Zi Xi's 'Plastic Ocean'.
- To use collage and add texture to a sculpture.



Key Vocabulary

Sculpture	To manipulate clay for a variety of purposes, e.g thumb pots, simple coil pots and models. To Produce a relief sculpture.
Collage	To experiment with, construct and join recycled, natural and man made materials more confidently.
Printing	To use a variety of materials, objects and techniques, e.g rubbings.
Exploring and developing ideas:	To record and explore ideas from first hand observation, experience and imagination. To be able to talk about the starting points for their work and the processes they have used.
Evaluate and develop work:	To review what they and others have done and say what they think and feel about it. Identify what they might change in their current work or develop in their



Making a difference at The Merton

This unit links heavily to our Waste Warriors topic of learning the children deepen their understanding of how waste is impacting our local environment and globally. Using the waste they find in their local area and community the children will reuse this to create their own piece of artwork inspired by Tan Zi Xi Plastic Ocean. We also learn why it is important not to litter and how this not only impacts our own local environment but the environment of plants and animals too.

Making a difference at home

- How can you keep your local environment litter free? Could you tidy up the area by litter picking? Remember to keep your hands clean and be careful what you pick up.
- Could you recycle plastic containers and reuse these for your lunch box? What else could you reuse?