



Heron Hill Primary School: Curriculum Overview

Art

At Heron Hill we believe that Art and Design is essential for developing children's creativity and imagination. From their first experiences with paint at Nursery to creating an Egyptian Collar in Year 6, we provide the opportunities for every child to create sketches, paintings, sculptures, collages, prints and textile pieces linked to the National Curriculum. We have a wide range of exciting equipment for the children to interact and experiment with, such as watercolour pencils, ink, clay, modrock, charcoal, pastels, felt and much more. Our talented, experienced staff consistently encourage their pupils to find out, study and evaluate the works of famous artists, craft makers, designers and their peers in order to further develop their own inventiveness.

Throughout their schooling our Art and Design curriculum is enriched with visits to art galleries and work with visiting local artists including Nicki Smith and Jamie Barnes. Heron Hill provides your children with numerous extra-curricular art competitions to enter during the year plus there is a Key Stage 2 Art and Craft Club, this gives groups of children the opportunity to earn a Trinity College London Discover Arts Award.