Landau Learner Curriculum Overview

Subject: Art& Design Director of Learning: GM Year: 8

Curriculum organisation

Students are taught in mixed ability for the equivalent of two single lessons per fortnight. Topics are termly and Students are taught about a wide range of historical and contemporary contextual sources including artists, art movements and cultural influences. Skills spiralled throughout projects Where possible projects follow a chronology from one to the next, allowing us to go into greater depth with contextual connections.

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What topics will students be studying this year? Includes links to National Curriculum, Curriculum Intent and Prior Related Learning*					
Term 1: Making Faces	Term 2:Cubism	Term 3:Movement of the Figure	Term 4:Sealife	Term 5:Numbers	
Formal elements: Line, shape, space	Formal elements: Shape, Line,	Formal elements: Line, shape, space	Formal elements: Line, pattern,	Formal elements: Space, line,	
Media & techniques: Continuous line,	Texture, colour value	Media & techniques: Figure drawing,	tonal value,	composition,	
Minimal portraits, culture	Media & techniques: Drawing	creating movement, exploring the	Media & techniques: Drawing fish,	Media & techniques: low relief	
Contextual Sources: exploring abstract	more complex forms, exploring	use of space in a composition	mark making, collage, abstracting	Analytical comparison of artists using	
emotion in Weeping Woman , Kris	cubist techniques	Contextual Sources: Marcel	with pattern, monoprinting	no.5, practical work demonstrating	
Trappeniers, Julian Opie, Picasso,	Contextual Sources:	Duchamp, Keith Haring, Oscar Wilson	Contextual Sources:	influences of prior learning	
Mexican Day of the Dead	Cubism movement, Juan Gris,		J.Vincent Scarpace, Andreas Pries	Contextual Sources: Jasper Johns,	
	Pablo Picasso, Georges Braque			Robert Indiana, Charles Demuth	
Prior Learning: Year 7 Term 2: Line,	Prior Learning: follows on	Prior Learning: links to term 1& term	Prior Learning: builds on	Prior Learning: students apply media	
Term 5: African masks	directly from Year 8 Term 1	2 chronologically with art	understanding of line and tone from	and techniques acquired in earlier	
National Curriculum: students are	with Picasso Link. Also relates	movements.	year 7 Term 3, Term 4 and Term 5.	projects.	
taught to analyse and evaluate their	to Year 7 Term 1 and abstract	National Curriculum: students know	National Curriculum: students will	National Curriculum: students should be	
own work, and that of others, in order	art.	about great artists, and understand	use a range of techniques to record	taught to develop their creativity and	
to strengthen the visual impact or	National Curriculum: students	the historical and cultural	their observations	ideas, produce creative work and	
applications of their work	are taught about the history of	development of their art forms.	Curriculum Intent: opportunities to	increase proficiency in their execution.	
Curriculum Intent: students build	art, including major	Curriculum Intent: projects engage	practice what they know, constantly	Curriculum Intent: Students are	
cultural capital in all projects using a	movements.	and inspire, challenge stereotypes	building and deepening their	empowered to develop work which is	
wide variety of both historical and	Curriculum Intent: curriculum is	and broaden minds	knowledge and skills	highly skilled and imaginative	
contemporary influences	logically sequenced				

Equipment needed for sessions:	What can you do to support your child?	
Sketchbook (provided) Pencil, ruler, rubber, sharpener, Ball point pen	Encourage your child to look, photograph, collect, explore and record the world around them. Take your child to art galleries to view works of art first hand. Encourage your child to develop a growth mind-set and accept mistakes as part of the learning process. Encourage your child to talk to you about the artists and cultures they are learning about. Encourage your child to practice their art skills.	
How will learning be assessed and progress measured?	Extension and enrichment activities:	
The four assessment objectives students are assessed on in all projects are:	Art extension – every Wednesday	
AO1: Develop ideas through investigations, AO2: Refine work	Opportunities to enter competitions	
AO3: Record ideas, observations and insights, AO4: Present		