Elm Wood Art & DT Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Nursery Expressive arts and design	Know Me to Teach Me (Begin to draw and paint, build with different things, explore malleable materials)	Celebrations (Build with a wider range of resources, draw and paint to begin to represent people and objects)	People Who Help Us (Make imaginative and complex 'small worlds' with blocks and construction kits)	Once Upon a Time (Exploring different materials freely in order to develop ideas about how to use them and what to make, decide which materials to use to express ideas, join different materials and explore different textures, draw with increasing complexity and detail, show different emotions in drawings and paintings)	Our Wonderful World (Using drawing to represent ideas like movement or loud noises, exploring colour and colour mixing.)	Our Wonderful World (Exploring colour and colour mixing, creating closed shapes with continous lines and begin to use these to represent objects, developing own ideas and deciding which materials to use to express these)
Reception Expressive arts and design	Know Me to Teach Me (Drawing & painting, to show different emotions, using a range of tools, selecting materials)	Celebrations (Developing my own ideas, making increasingly complex structures with a range of materials, expressing thoughts and feelings through visual arts)	People Who Help Us (Choosing materials for making, talk about what I have made & how I made it, using a range of tools safely, creating in a group)	Once Upon a Time (Creating collaboratively, sharing ideas, exploring, using & refining a variety of artistic effects)	Our Wonderful World (Safely using and exploring a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function Sharing creations, explaining the process I have used)	
Year 1	Drawing: Making your mark	Painting and mixed media: Colour splash	Textiles: puppets	Sculpture and 3D: Paper play	Structures: constructing a windmill	DT: Smoothies
Year 2	Drawing: tell a story	Mechanism: making a moving monster	Structures: baby bear's chair	Sculpture and 3D: Clay houses	Mechanisms: Fairground wheel	Painting: Life in colour
Year 3	Painting and mixed media: Stone Age animals	Structures: constructing a castle	Sculpture and 3D: Abstract shape and space	Cooking and nutrition: Eating seasonally.	Egyptian scrolls: pattern and paper making	Digital worlds: wearable technology
Year 4	Structure: Pavilions	Drawing and printing: printmaking	Mechanical systems: Making a slingshot car	Painting: Light and dark	Electrical systems: torches	Sculpture: shadow sculpture and soap sculptures
Year 5	Painting: Portraits of heroes	Craft and Design: Making a monument	Mechanical systems: Making a pop-up book	Sculpture: Installation art	Food technology: Developing a recipe	Structure: bridges
Year 6	Painting – Artists study – children to research their	Structure: Design and build a water tower	Drawing: Make my voice heard	Digital world: Navigating the world.	Cooking and nutrition: Come dine with me	Sculpture: Create a memory box of their year at Elm Wood

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