

Art at Padgate



What do I know?

A practical and theory test will allow you to demonstrate your learning before you move into Year 9 to expand and enrich your Art knowledge further.



Critical thinking

Forming your own opinion on your own and others work. Sharing your views through discussion, debate or questions and answers.

Surrealism

Explore the dreamlike qualities of the Surrealist movement; looking at the artists Dali and Magritte.



Cubism

Learn about this art movement, experimenting with your own Picasso inspired Cubist collage.

Fauvism

Refine your painting skills and revisit your colour knowledge from Yr 7. Looking at Fauvist artists such as Matisse and Derain.



Portraits

Use scale and proportion to develop your portraiture skills looking at a range of artists.

Media

Experiment with a range of appropriate media throughout the year; Pencil, paint, ink, chalk and oils.



Jim Dine

Learn about the artist Jim Dine and how his positive and negative drawings will be the basis for your own responses.

Drawing

Practice your observational drawing, developing the use of form, tone and texture.



Baseline test

Formal elements and recording are fundamental to any artists learning journey. You will build on your knowledge and skills from previous years



Year 8 Learning journey