

Art at Bransgore

Art and design at Bransgore has always been rich and central in our learning programme, through the International Primary Curriculum (IPC).

Art is taught as subject in its own right, as well as a cross-curricular approach. For example in Key Stage 1 this term the children's learning theme has been called 'Time Detectives'. An art week experience across Giraffes, Panthers and Zebras resulted in a time-line being created showing the past, present or future using:

- 3D models of an Egyptian sarcophagus



- Models of castles



- 1950 images of Elvis

Clay faces of us today,



And futuristic junk modelling of robots.



We also regularly update the 'Talking about Paintings' display which features a wide range of different artists. We hope to encourage children to develop an appreciation of their own artistic taste through exposure to new art forms.

Joan Miro

In the art lessons the children have painted happy memories in the style of Joan Miro. He was a Spanish Catalan painter who excelled in the surrealism movement. Here is one of Miro's artwork titled: *The Tilled Field*, (1923-1924)



I think our children's paintings are just fantastic!

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