

Visual Art



Our Visual Arts Program offers children of all ages a chance to explore and create. Our children are exposed to a wide variety of techniques and media, and are encouraged to develop knowledge, understanding and appreciation, as well as practical skills and techniques, which will allow them to follow their interests independently.

Our Visual Arts Program begins with our Art/Craft Playgroup where our youngest children (two-three year olds) attend with a parent, and are offered a year-long program filled with fun and creativity.

Our three and four year old students are offered art activities within the Cycle One classroom. Art activities are placed on the classroom shelves and the children are free to work with a wide range of materials. Often these activities are presented in conjunction with other topics being studied in the class.

Our Preps, Cycle Two and Cycle Three students attend weekly Art Lessons in the school's Art Room with a Specialist Art Teacher. During these lessons the children are engaged in an extensive range of activities designed to promote aesthetic development, self-expression, creativity, as well as the development of practical skills and techniques in the areas of:

Painting	Drawing
Construction	Sculpture and Ceramics
Collage	Printmaking
Textiles	

Throughout this creative process the children also learn skills in observation, interpretation, problem solving, decision-making, research, and at times working in groups.

In addition, the Visual Arts Program is integrated across the whole school community with the children creating artwork for Special Events, Art Exhibitions, and Open Days, as well as creating their own sets, props and costumes each year for our annual school concert.