

## Art at St. Michael's CE Primary

## "We are artists"

As a Church school, we are encouraged to explore our own personal interests, beliefs and values, to engage in a personal artistic journey. Artists understand that the arts are a universal form of human expression and a unique way of knowing, that engage us in effective, imaginative and productive activities. Both independently and collaboratively, students at all ages are encouraged to participate in creative processes through which they can communicate ideas, explore their spirituality and express feelings, making personal connections with the world in which they live.

## **Aims**

- produce creative work, exploring their ideas and recording their experiences
- become proficient in drawing, painting, sculpture and other art, craft and design techniques
- develop ideas and understand the process of creative design
- evaluate and analyse creative works using the language of art, craft and design
- know about great artists, architects and designers, and understand the historical and cultural development of their art forms

