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| **Art**  **Steps Progression** | **Creating with Materials** | **Being Imaginative and Expressive** |
| Step 4 | * Create shapes by using lines to create enclosed space * Enjoy playing with colour in a variety of way, including mixing colours | * Use everyday materials to explore, understand and represent their world, ideas and interests. |
| Step 5 | * Explore colour with a variety of media eg. Pastels, paint, coloured pencils and see how colours can be changed. * Begin to use drawing to represent objects and actions based on imagination, observation and experience. * Use tools for a purpose. | * Play alongside other children who are engaged in the same activity. * Notice what other children and adults are doing with different materials, copy them and then do it spontaneously. |
| Step 6 | * Develop their ideas through experimenting with a wider range of materials eg. Water colours, powder paint. * Experiment to create different textures | * Create representations of imaginary and real life ideas, events, people and objects. * Use developing knowledge of tools and materials to explore their own ideas thoughts and feelings. |
| Step 7 | * Choose particular colours and materials to use for a purpose. * Manipulate materials to achieve a planned effect. * Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques to experiment with colour, design, texture, form and function. | * Share their creations and explain how they have created it. * Begin to adapt their work. |

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