

Expressive Arts and Design Progression



By the end of Autumn, reception children in Team Donaldson will be:

- Exploring different materials and tools to create artwork, taking pride in what they make
- Joining in with singing, dancing, role play and experimenting with musical instruments
- Engaging in pretend play and using their imagination to act out stories

By the end of Spring, reception children in Team Donaldson will be:

- Selecting materials and techniques to create artwork that reflects their ideas
- Starting to perform with expression and imagination
- Singing familiar songs with enjoyment, individually or as part of a group
- Using their imagination to develop stories and performances with more confidence

By the end of EYFS, reception children in Team Donaldson will be:

- Performing with confidence and courage, sharing their ideas and creations with others
- Creating art using a variety of materials and techniques, showing creativity
- Using their imagination to express ideas and feelings through art, music, movement, and role play