



st JOSEPH'S SCHOOL^{mernda}

Term 4 2019 Visual Arts Overview

Term 4 Overview for Foundation - 2019

During Term 4, students in Foundation will be given the opportunity to respond to visual artworks and consider where and why people make visual artworks. They will identify how design elements such as line, shape, colour or texture are used. Students will play with and investigate the skills, techniques and processes of textiles, in particular, creating artworks using the weaving process. They will also explore lines as threads and create shapes in fabrics by cutting then putting these textiles together to create pictures. Students will also create artworks in response to the season of Advent and Christmas.

Term 4 Overview for Year 1/2 - 2019

During Term 4, students in Year 1/2 will respond to visual artworks by describing the subject matter and ideas from which the artist has drawn inspiration from. They will discuss why artworks are made, by whom and for what purpose. Students will engage in artmaking where they will play with and investigate textile skills, techniques and processes while expressing their ideas, experiences and imaginations in their artwork. They will also continue to develop their drawing skills and techniques exploring line, shape, colour and pattern. Students will also create artworks in response to the season of Advent and Christmas.

Term 4 Overview for Year 3/4 - 2019

During Term 4, students in Year 3/4 will identify and discuss how ideas are expressed in artworks from a range of places, times, cultures and communities. They will engage in artmaking opportunities where they will continue to explore and develop construction skills through the use of wire, textiles and a variety of other materials. They will have the opportunity to investigate and discuss how threading and weaving is used to make artworks, in particular, the Tjanpi Desert Weavers' artwork. These are a group of Indigenous Australians working in the Central Desert area of the Northern Territory. They will investigate and reflect upon what the artwork is made of and why the artist chose to use that material. Students will also create artworks in response to the season of Advent and Christmas.

Term 4 Overview for Year 5/6 - 2019

During Term 4, students in Year 5/6 will respond to and interpret how ideas are expressed in a variety of different artworks by well known and lesser known artists. Students will engage in projects where they will design, make and respond to artworks using clay making skills, printmaking techniques and textile exploration. The inspiration of their artworks will come from themes related to the natural world around them, as well as Advent and Christmas. Throughout their art experience they will focus on being Self Managing and Reflective learners, using their Visual Diaries to record their thinking.