

craft makers and designers.

Textiles with Felt making

National Curriculum links Subject content DfE Art & Design

(Cross-curricular links to Design & Technology)

KS1: Look at original work in museums and galleries to start to develop skills of reflection, consideration, identification, analysis, selection, comparison, speculation, imagination, questioning, interpretation, evaluation and inform their own creative decision making.

KS2: Develop skills, knowledge and understanding in more diverse art, craft & design contexts to include museums & galleries.

KS1 POS Learn how to investigate, explore, design, create and make craft based outcomes exploring diverse processes that might include textiles.

KS2 POS to increase their proficiency in the handling of different materials to further develop, broaden and extend their skills, knowledge and understanding of materials and processes in craft and textile based outcomes exploring diverse processes.

Assessment for Learning Learning Objectives Session **Introduction:** Share ideas about the term **Textiles** and what we know. Make links with textiles from own Together find out how we can identify different types of fabrics and experience and recognise the range materials used in textiles. Our biggest clue from inside our clothes- labels. of uses. Identify, match and compare the fibres to Natural fibres and materials: exploring the collection of fibres using our senses to describe what we can feel, hear, see and smell. Predict what it the materials. Use sensory language to describe could be. Do we need to find out more? Using more clues from the box we the tactile surfaces and texture will discover what the source of the material is, the fibre and the name. Distinguish between animal and use known products made from the fibres plant sources of fibre. As well as how it is processed and what products are made because of its to explain the properties of the materials. properties. Give me 5.... Turn to your partner & Synthetic fibres and materials: learn who in the 1880's manufactured the first synthetic fibre, what they are and how they are made. name 5 types of fibre Be inspired by the Shipley Collection of **Take a closer look** Which fibres are these magnified under the microscope? (Natural & Synthetic together) Textiles What would you expect to be coarse? Smooth? **Investigate** as textile detectives through handling the unique range of Crafter to Technique Identify and describe the differences and textiles. See the techniques and processes of crafters and designers in Show me..... similarities between the techniques. creating from fibre to fabric the pieces of textiles in the collection. Hear the crafter eg: "felt maker" & Handling the bespoke commissioned pieces of work to make links between show the actions of making. Learn about the work of a range of artists, the processes and techniques with the tools and equipment used.

Explore in the gallery the range of craft makers and designers textiles:

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	weaving, quilting, aplique, felting, patchwork, proggy, recycling and reusing to create functional, decorative and sculptural pieces.	
To investigate how fibres become joined	Creating Cloth weaving & felt making	
together.	The Human Weave: we become the weft and warp to explore the process	Identifying the overlapping
togetheri	of weaving to understand the strength of the fibres combined. Looking in a	interlocking fibres becoming joined
Challenge:	microscope we would see the weave in the cloth of our trousers, jeans &	together.
To use the technique to create Felt	shirt etc.	
From Fibre to a finished piece of textiles.	Felt during the demonstration predict how the fibres combine to create a	
•	piece of felt. What is the purpose of the mesh, the bamboo mat, the soap	
Analyse and evaluate own and others	flakes? Which forces are at work? What changes? Why?	Felt created following the process
work, identify key features, make	Challenge: become felt makers after a demonstration of techniques	
comparisons and use it to inform their	Choosing and selecting skeins of wool and equipment. Think about each step	
own actions to modify, adapt or improve.	in the process from fibre to felt. Independently choosing colours to create	
	and make a piece of felt with inspiration from the gallery or based upon a	
	given theme.	
	Coming together: appraise the range of felt made. Peers give feedback, I like	Verbal Feedback & Evaluations
	the way	
	What top tips can you give to someone else learning the technique?	
Before your visit	After your visit	Key Vocabulary: Textiles, fabric
Make a free teacher pre visit to familiarise	Have a go at making your own proggy pieces at school with this kit.	Proggy, clippy, hookie, progger
yourself with the Gallery.	https://shipleyartgallery.org.uk/whats-on/proggy-making-kit-to-loan	Embroidery hoop, embroidery,
		quilting, knitting, lacemaking, Lace,
Share the introduction to the Shipley		bobbins, beading, felting, wadding,
Gallery with your group:		Silk, Wool, Cotton, Cloth, needles,
See, Notice and Wonder Pre Visit info		Fleece, Sheared, Clipped, Tapestry,
https://shipleyartgallery.org.uk/files/9123-		Skein, Yarn, Thread, Spun, Wound,
see-notice-wonder-pre-visit-		Loom, Frame, Weft, Warp,
powerpoint.pdf		patchwork, Weaving, Applique,
		Natural, Synthetic, Chemicals.
<u> </u>		Knitting needles. Felting needles.