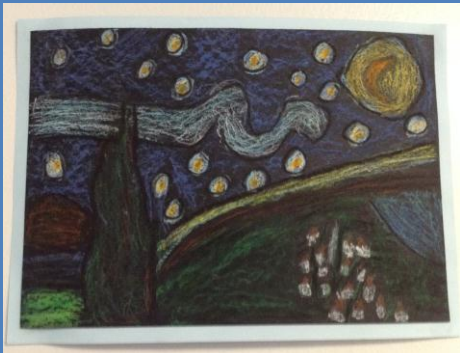


# The Arts at Bede Burn ...making space for creativity.



From developing motor skills to improving focus and perseverance, fostering visual-spatial ability to nurturing imagination, the value of art and design in the primary classroom and across the school is clear. It also provides our children with a fun way to share their learning, explore their own ideas and show their talents.

With the introduction of imaginative learning projects we have been able to ensure that pupils not only learn the skills and techniques of designing, making, drawing, painting and sculpture but also to have opportunities to apply this knowledge in linked activities relevant to their topic, making learning more meaningful.



## EYFS Expressive arts and design

This involves supporting children to explore and play with a wide range of media and materials. It involves providing children with opportunities and encouragement for sharing their thoughts, ideas and feelings through a variety of activities in art, music, movement, dance, role play, and design and technology.

ELG 16 Exploring and using media and materials:

- They safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function.

ELG 17 Being imaginative:

- Children use what they have learnt about media and materials in original ways, thinking about uses and purposes. • They represent their own ideas, thoughts and feelings through design and technology and art.

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