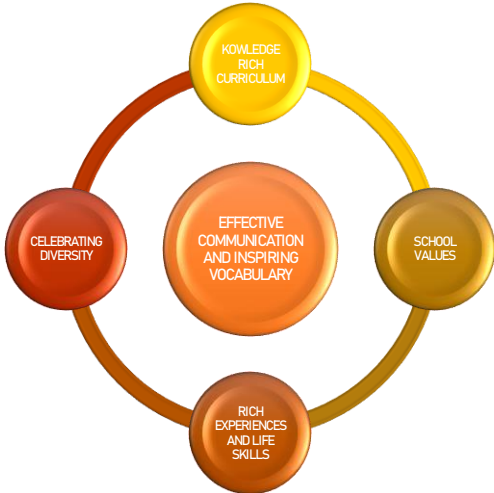


Intent: At Asmall we want children to develop a sense of excitement, curiosity and fascination about the scientific world around them and give them the skills and opportunities to investigate and explore this.

ART 	Effective Communication and Inspiring Vocabulary We recognise that oracy is a powerful tool for learning and teach our children to become effective speakers and listeners to empower them to better understand themselves, each other and the world around them. Through encouraging the use of specific art vocabulary in every lesson, we can encourage the children to describe their work in detail. To critique their work and be able to say what they would change if they were to redo things in the future. We also encourage them to evaluate their work consistently throughout the sequence of lessons – nothing is ever set in stone. Children have the creativity and ability to evaluate and change their ideas through discussion. We teach the art vocabulary for children to learn and apply during our lessons, so that they can express themselves as creative. Subject specific vocabulary is referred to throughout lessons.	Knowledge Rich Curriculum Through ‘WOW’ moments, hands on experiences, learning in context and weekly teaching, we encourage our children to understand the work through a creative eye. The children use their creative eye to ask questions and have a curious approach to their learning. Art and design stimulates creativity and imagination. It provides visual, tactile and sensory experiences, and a special way of understanding and responding to the world. It enables children to communicate what they see, feel and think through the use of colour, texture, form, pattern and different materials and processes. Children become involved in shaping their environments through art and design activities. They learn to make informed judgements, and aesthetic and practical decisions. They explore ideas and meanings through work of artists and designers. Through learning about the roles and functions of art, they can explore the impact it has had on contemporary life and on different periods and cultures. The appreciation and enjoyment of the visual arts enriches all our lives.
School Values Our values of Resilience, Positivity, Caring, Kind, Happy, Respectful and Confident underpin our approach to all our curriculum areas. Our Values are referred to throughout assemblies and in lessons to ensure pupils are developing an understanding of how these help them to be effective learners. Through the KAPOW scheme of work, we aim to inspire the children of Asmall to develop their confidence to experiment and invent their own works of art, to give children the opportunity to develop their ability, nurture their talents and interests, express their ideas and thoughts about the world as well as learning about art and artists in across cultures and through history.	Celebrating Diversity We celebrate all sorts of diversity throughout the teaching of Art and Design. We look at a variety of artists and designers who are from a range of different backgrounds. We understand that anybody can be an artist and art is through the eye of the beholder. So what some people find artistic others may not. However we teach that being creative is unique to yourself and nobody is able to tell you otherwise. You can express yourself in any way you please through the nature of art and design.	Rich Experiences and Life skills Our broad curriculum allows children opportunities to become independent and responsible members of society. Our children experience Art and Design once a week or throughout a whole week in a term. Art is displayed and explored throughout school celebrating children’s work and achievement.s In order to meet National Curriculum requirements, the aims for the subject at Asmall are for children to: • Produce creative work, exploring their ideas and recording their experiences. • Become proficient in drawing, painting, sculpture and other art, craft and design techniques. • Evaluate and analyse creative works using the language of art, craft and design. • Know about great artists, craft makers, designers and architects, and understand the historical and cultural development of their art forms. We get out to art galleries as much as we can and to sketch and draw in the surrounding areas.