St White's Primary School - Art

## What should I already know?

- How to use a range of materials to create a product
- To use sculpture to develop and share ideas, experiences and imagination
- Describe differences and similarities between drawing, painting and sculpture


## What is a Sculpture?

Sculptures are Sculptures are three-dimensional works of art created by artists. They make sculptures by shaping materials like clay, wood, stone, metal, or even plastic into different shapes and forms. These forms can represent people, animals, objects, or even abstract ideas.

Sculptures can vary in size, from small ones you can hold in your hand to huge ones that are as tall as buildings.

What makes sculptures unique is that you can see them from all sides, not just from the front like a painting. So, you can walk all the way around a sculpture and look at it from every angle to see the details and how the artist created it.


## Andy Goldsworthy

Andy Goldsworthy is a British artist, known for his sculptures and photography. He is an environmentalist, which is someone who wants to protect the environment around them. Andy makes sculptures with natural materials on sites in the UK and around the world. He has made them in forests, fields, cities, lakes and fields. They are known as land art.

Technical vocabulary

| sculpture | the art of making two- or three-dimensional <br> forms, especially by carving stone or wood or <br> by casting metal or plaster. |
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| design | Decorative pattern <br> Plan what something is going to look like |
| inspiration | The feeling that you want to do something <br> creative |
|  | A sudden brilliant idea (usually comes <br> from thinking about different things and <br> then making a connection) |
| natural | Patterns designed following looking at <br> things in the natural world |
| pattern | The feel or appearance of a surface |
| mould | To form an object out of malleable <br> material |
| forming | An object or design carved from a material |

Natural materials Andy uses to make sculptures.

- leaves
- twigs
- pebbles
- rocks


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