Reception Essential Knowledge

Expressive Arts and Design: Art

Painting (Artist: Kandinsky, Text: Brown Bear, Brown Bear)

- Know:
 - > paint can be applied in different ways using:
 - o body parts: fingers, hands, feet
 - o brushes, sponges, card, sticks
 - > colours can be matched to their purpose
 - > when two colours are mixed together, a new colour is made

Collage (Text: Little Red Riding Hood)

Know:

- how to use scissors (see fine motor development)
- how to use a glue stick effectively (see fine motor development)
- that a collage is a range of materials glued onto a background
- that a variety of materials can be used in a collage:
 - > paper and magazine cuttings
 - > fabric
 - > recycled objects

Printing (Artists: Danya Banya and Cassandra Tondro)

- that marks and simple patterns can be created using natural and manmade materials
- how to create free-form patterns by:
 - > rolling printing inks over found objects
 - > using pressure to press the object down onto paper
 - > rolling printing inks over stencils and mesh

Expressive Arts and Design: Music

Everyone and Our World

Know:

- how to listen and respond to a piece of music, expressing their like or dislike
- the meaning of pulse
- how to move in time with the music

Sing:

- in a group
- solo
- by matching the pitch of a song
- by following the melody of a song accurately