Art: Egyptian tomb painting – Lesson 1

LO: To develop ideas by investigating and collecting visual information

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Main teaching **Activities - Differentiation Plenary CCL** – History (Ancient Egypt) **Activity** Children to use art visuals to help them describe the features of Egyptian art. Class teacher to lead exploration of tomb paintings by searching **Collaborative** groups to design a composition for the display. Google for 'Valley of the Kings, Panoramas.dk' to find stunning **Speaking Frame:** 360° visuals. If this is unavailable, class teachers to use alternative Activity 1 images of coloured tomb paintings from Ancient Eavot. Each group will collect visual data about their theme and We think the Eavotian art looks decide collaboratively what each member of the group will be Q: Egyptian art has a particular style, can you describe some **RESOURCES** of the features of this? Children will use sketchbooks to collect data and help them develop their ideas. Q: What colours do they use? Bold = in pack**Activity 2** Not bold = needs to be provided by school Explain today's task to the children. Each child to make their own papyrus paper. Egyptian art books Children to work in collaborative groups of 6. **EAL / SEN:** Collaborative group discussion and work, visual aids, Tea baas Each child will be making an A4 image which will be put together flash words. **Bowls** in their groups of 6 to make one large image per group ground a Kitchen towel Cartridge or watercolour paper cut to A4 size particular theme. Assessment Papyrus paper to show children Tell the children the themes: Sketchbooks Success Criteria: Pencils Natural world (animals) Daily life (farming and work) I can describe Egyptian art.

Teachers can choose for multiple groups to work on the same theme, or choose other themes as they wish.

Gods and religion (kings and queens)

Signs, symbols and Egyptian writing

Gifts for the afterlife (mummies)

Discuss what Egyptian artists were trying to do with their art and the limitations of their materials.

CT to model with another adult discussing and deciding on visuals for their picture. Children to carry out **Activity 1**

Continued.

CCL - History (Ancient Egypt) Continued

I can make paper look like papyrus.

Mini Plenary

Groups to share their ideas for group compositions.

Class teacher ideally to show each group real papyrus paper. This is available to buy online. Explain that the children will be painting on paper they have made to look like papyrus paper. Teacher to model making 'papyrus' paper.

I can decide, with a group, on the composition for my artwork.

Teabags are most effective if made wet in boiling water, but then add cold water to the pots so it is safe for the children. It looks most effective if you wipe the teabag in straight lines, vertically then horizontally. This gives more of a 'papyrus' effect. Model making sure the teabag is not too wet and using kitchen paper as necessary.

Children carry out Activity 2

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LO: To be able to sketch and mix appropriate colours

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Q: What colours can you see in Egyptian art? Mainly blues, gold, oranges, white, black, reds. Q: How do we make different colours? Q: What are the primary colours? Explain today's task to the children. Explain and discuss the way Egyptians made their art – the process of sketching, colouring, putting on detail and outlining. Explain how they made their paints. Children will work on their individual drawings on their prepared 'papyrus' paper, sketching out their designs. Discuss with children how to mix paints, the primary and secondary colours and the concept of tones. Model mixing. Children will select appropriate paints and mix paints to use in their work and apply to drawings. Children will report back in groups about the drawings they have been working on and what they are representing from Egyptian art. Note: It may take more than one session, or an extended session for children to complete their paintings.	Activity Children to sketch their composition onto their papyrus paper. Then to mix paints, and paint their pictures. EAL / SEN: Collaborative group discussion and work, visual aids. CT put visuals out for class to look at on tables. Assessment Success Criteria: I know that I can mix other colours from the primary colours. I can mix different tones. I can use appropriate colours to make an Egyptian-inspired artwork.	Groups to report back on their group's progress and explain what their art is representing. Speaking frame: Our artwork is showing RESOURCES Bold = in pack Not bold = needs to be provided by school Egyptian art books Pre-prepared papyrus paper Paints - including gold if possible Paint brushes

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LO: To be able to finish my artwork by outlining

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Q: What do you notice about the edges of people and animals in Egyptian art? They are often outlined Q: What effect do you think this has on the artwork? Why do you think they did this? Model outlining the painting you have been making using a black pen. Discuss how this changes the work. Note: Paintings must be completely dry before outlining. Class teacher to experiment with pens to ensure they will work effectively. Permanent markers do work very well – but have obvious risks! It is also possible to use a fine paintbrush and paint for outlining if that is preferred.	Activity Children to outline around their artworks to accentuate whichever bits they feel are appropriate. EAL / SEN: Collaborative group discussion and work, visual aids. CT put visuals out for class to look at on tables. Assessment Success criteria: I can use a black pen to outline my artwork. I can work as part of a group to make a larger artwork.	Groups to put their pictures together to make their group composition and class to then rotate around the finished pieces, like an exhibition. Ideally the works will be displayed on a wall where children can write accompanying text to explain the processes and thoughts behind their creations. Speaking frame: Our artwork is showing RESOURCES Bold = in pack Not bold = needs to be provided by school High quality black fibre-tip pens.