King Edwin Primary School

Main Learning: Sculptures

Year 4

Subject: Art

Key Learning

Know how to use clay tiles to re-create a Roman mosaic floor.

research to find examples of Roman mosaic floors.

Use sketchbooks to capture initial ideas of what you want to create

Roll clay to a given depth and use spatulas to mark the clay carefully.

Ensure the marks are clear and allow to dry

Paint and glaze the final piece

Vocabulary	
Spatula	A tool used to spread and smooth out clay, usually made of metal or plastic.
Glaze	A glossy, protective coating applied to the surface of pottery or clay, usually made of a liquid mixture of minerals that melt and fuse to the clay when fired.
Mosaic	An art form that involves creating a pattern or picture by arranging small pieces of stone, glass, or ceramic tile onto a surface.
Tesserae	The small, square pieces of ceramic or stone used in creating a mosaic.
Pattern	The design or arrangement of tesserae in a mosaic, often based on geometric shapes or repeating motifs.
Grout	A cement-like material used to fill in the spaces between the tesserae in a mosaic.









Prior Learning -

