



## SEASONAL ART:

### Creating crafts in partnership with nature Key Stage 1&2

<p><b>Aim:</b> To invite students to explore creativity in the natural world, using materials gathered from their surroundings to create unique nature inspired art. Through activities like leaf printing, tree identification and charcoal drawing, students will deepen their understanding of seasonal changes and develop art skills in a hands on outdoor setting.</p>	
<p><b>Key Stage 1 &amp; 2 Curriculum:</b> Seasonal Art links to several areas of Key Stage 1 &amp; 2 curriculum, particularly within subjects such as: Art and Design, Science, Geography, Personal, Social, Health and Economic Education (PSHE) and English.</p>	
<p><b>Resources Required:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Outdoor clothes</li> <li>• Waterproof shoes</li> <li>• Packed Lunches</li> </ul>	<p><b>Adult requirements:</b> School Adults — 1-10 Leighton Adults — 1-15</p>
<p><b>Prior Learning:</b> No prior learning required</p>	
<p><b>Objectives:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Develop understanding of the seasons and nature's resources</li> <li>• Encourage tree identification and connection with nature</li> <li>• Foster creative expression through natural art</li> <li>• Promote teamwork and collaboration</li> <li>• introduce basic art techniques in an outdoor setting</li> </ul>	
<p><b>Activity plans:</b></p> <p>MORNING 10:00 – 12:00</p> <p><b>In the Woodland and Walled Garden</b> Go for a nature walk, collecting leaves etc, whilst identifying trees and plants Make charcoal on a fire, then use the charcoal for art activities</p> <p>LUNCH 12:00 – 12:30</p> <p><b>In an indoor space provided, or outside (near the hall) if the weather allows.</b></p> <p>AFTERNOON 12:30 – 2:30</p> <p><b>In the Woodland</b> Use collected leaves for leaf printing. Then work together to make a large scale art piece Reflection wraps up the day Art activities can change season to season, depending on the weather and what is available.</p>	