



Success through a structured approach to Visual Arts in the Primary School



This **self-paced on-line course** is aimed at teachers who would like to foster deeper knowledge, understanding and appreciation of the various media within the 'Visual Arts' curriculum.

Each participant will be forwarded an 'Arts Pack' for **'hands-on' work** away from the computer. Sample lessons within each media will embody and foster good classroom practice that could inform each participants' subsequent classroom practice. Media studied include **drawing, painting, printing, clay & construction** and **fabric & fibre**.

The on-line format of the course enables you to **study when and where you want** to learn. Content is divided into 5 modules which you can complete in any order **between July 1st and August 28th 2009**.

Participants are encouraged to interact with one another using the communication tools (forum, chat, e-mail) provided by the CPD College learning system. Active facilitation throughout the course provides expert interaction, guidance and feedback for all participants. Assignments and questions which call for critical reflection, self-analysis and a reasoned response punctuate this highly interactive web based course.

On completion of the course the participant will be presented with their own time record, exercise content and approval by the course facilitator as their CPD record to keep.

All courses are DES approved for EPV days

Places are limited - register now to avoid disappointment.

How to register: [click here to register now](#)
Cost: €99

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Learning outcomes:

Through engagement with the course content and through the sharing of successful teaching approaches within the discussion forum, the knowledge and insights gained by participants will inform the organization of their Visual Arts Scheme of work in the coming year.

Modules:

01 - An understanding of the skills and concepts that are potentially developed through exploring, creating and reflecting within the medium of 'Drawing'.

02 - An understanding of the skills and concepts that are potentially developed through exploring, creating and reflecting within the medium of 'Painting'.

03 - An understanding of the skills and concepts that are potentially developed through exploring, creating and reflecting within the medium of 'Printing'.

04 - An understanding of the skills and concepts that are potentially developed through exploring, creating and reflecting within the medium of 'Clay & Construction'.

05 - An understanding of the skills and concepts that are potentially developed through exploring, creating and reflecting within the medium of 'Fabric & Fibre'.

Course duration: 20 hours

Accrediting body: Department of Education and Science

Type of accreditation: 3 EPV Days

