

# Primary 1 & 2 Art & Music Curriculum Information

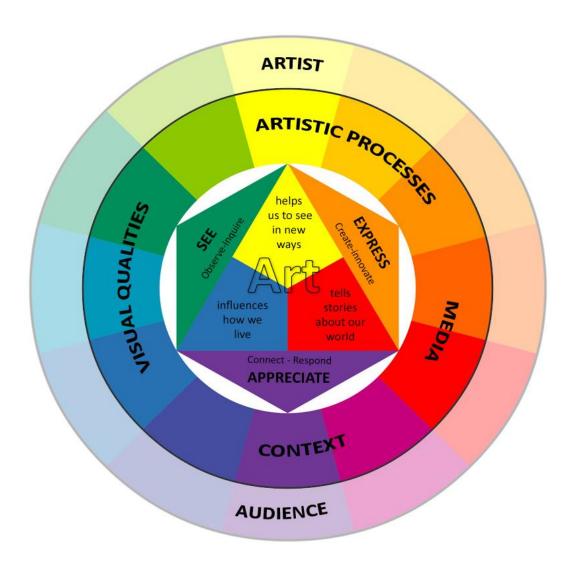
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#### What Will Your Child/Ward Learn In Art?

- Key Learning Content and Experiences in Art
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## 4 KEY LEARNING CONTENT COMPONENTS:

- 1. Context
- 2. Artistic Processes
- 3. Visual Qualities
- 4. Media



#### **CORE LEARNING EXPERIENCES**

In this revised Primary Art Syllabus, there are **3 core learning experiences** that are designed to enable a more inclusive and authentic art learning experience for students across <u>all primary schools in Singapore</u> and to bring about shared memories of their art learning experiences.



Primary 1 - 6



**Primary 4** 



Primary 1 - 6



Through the six years of art education in primary school, all students will be exposed but not limited to a range of basic art tools and materials associated with art forms to create artworks that communicate their ideas.

Art Forms	Media
Drawing	Coloured Pen, Ink, Markers, Crayon, Oil-Pastel
Painting	Watercolour, Chinese, Acrylic
Mixed Media	Collage or various media-mixed together
Sculpture	Clay
Technology	Photography





#### How Will Your Child/Ward Learn Art?

The Art classroom of today



#### How Will Your Child/Ward Learn Art?: The Art Classroom of Today

#### Students will either work individually and/or in group activities during art lessons to ...

Create	Empathize	Persevere	Communicate	Envision
Be Patient	Observe	♣ × O ≈ Explore	Adapt	Collaborate
Problem Solve	Manage Time	Critically Think	Lead	→)(← Be Resilient
Motivate	Take Risks	Show Initiative	Se Productive	Show Craftsmanship
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## How Will You Know Your Child/Ward Has Learnt?

Purpose and Mode of Assessment in Art



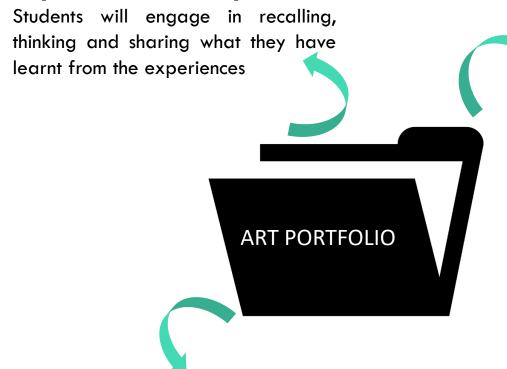
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- 1. To celebrate what students can do and have achieved in art
- 2. To **identify** students' strengths and areas for improvements so that they know what to do to improve
  - 3. To **support** and **improve** the teaching and **learning** of knowledge, skills and values delineated in this syllabus
- 4. To promote continuous students' growth and learning in art
  - 5. To inform placement beyond primary school



#### Portfolio is the main mode of assessment in all primary school.

#### A portfolio always includes reflection



#### A portfolio is as much a process as a product

Students will engage in collecting items in their portfolio and use the items in the portfolio to engage in discussion with their classmates and teacher to share their ideas or improve on their art.

#### A portfolio tells one student's story

Contains both work in progress and final artworks that students select to show and tell ideas that are meaningful to them.

#### For example:

- Documentation of process e.g. Sketches, Photographs, Visual journals, Written ideas
- Documentation of Presentation e.g. Artist talk; Show-and-tell; Exhibition
- Reflections



## What we look for when assessing students' development in art for Primary 1 and 2:

Criteria	Description
Personal Response	Make art to share imagination, ideas and experiences, talk about what they see around them using art vocabulary
Use of tools and materials	Demonstrate understanding of the characteristics and ways tools and materials can be used for in art making
Use of visual qualities	Make use of elements of art and principles of design in art making
Response to cultural and historical heritage	Identify key local artworks and talk about the works in Singapore context



#### Learning Progress in Art for Primary 1 and 2

MOE Syllabus Learning Outcomes (Semester 1 and Semester 2)

Qualitative descriptors in Holistic Development Profile

3 Level of Achievements: Developing, Competent and Accomplished

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School-based Learning Outcomes
(Semester 1 and Semester 2)
Communication Skills and Collaborative Skills





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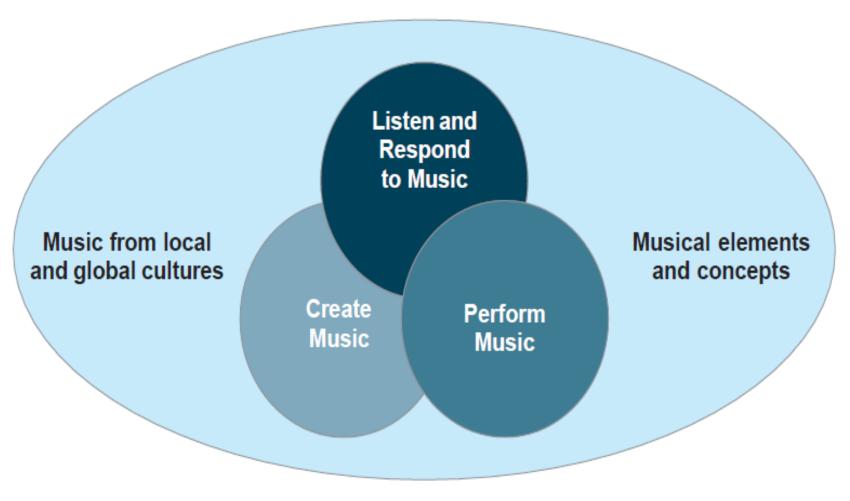


Figure 1: Framework for teaching and learning in the Primary and Lower Secondary Music Syllabus



Level	Instruments Taught		Skills	
Primary 1	Xylophone Orff Percussion Instruments			
Primary 2	Angklung Orff Percussion Instruments	Singing: Students are exposed to	Theoretical Knowledge:	Listening: Students are taught
Primary 3	Ukulele Recorder** Orff Percussion Instruments	a variety of songs from different	Students are taught fundamental	to listen, appreciate and
Primary 4	Ukulele Recorder** Orff Percussion Instruments	cultures and genres.	theory so that they are able to read music.	respond to music from different
Primary 5	Recorder** Orff Percussion Instruments			cultures.
Primary 6*	Recorder** Orff Percussion Instruments			

<sup>\*</sup> In Primary 6, students are encouraged to make use of all the instruments they have learnt in their music ensembles.



<sup>\*\*</sup> During Covid-9 pandemic, blowing of wind instruments has been removed and replaced.

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    - 4. To promote continuous students' growth and learning in music
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## What we look for when assessing students' development in music for Primary 1:

Music Domain	Skills/ Knowledge			
Performing	Sing different kinds of folksongs, children's songs and community songs			
	Perform hand sign skills			
	Play an instrument (Xylophone)			
Creating	Compose a rhythmic ostinato of at least 2 bars to accompany a melodic piece			
Listening	Imitate rhythmic and melodic patterns using body percussion and voice			
Understanding	Identify meters of music: $2/4$ , $4/4$			
	Recognise, aurally, repeating melodic and rhythmic patterns			
Appreciating	Recognise different kinds of folksongs and community songs			



### What we look for when assessing students' development in music for Primary 2:

Music Domain	Skills/ Knowledge		
Performing	Sing different kinds of folksongs, children's songs and community songs		
	Perform hand sign skills		
	Play an instrument (Angklung)		
Creating	Compose rhythmic ostinati of at least 2 bars based on the C pentatonic scale Compose a melodic phrase of at least 2 bars based on the C pentatonic scale		
Listening	Imitate rhythmic and melodic patterns using body percussion, voice and classroom instruments		
Understanding	Identify meters of music: $2/4$ , $3/4$ , $4/4$		
	Sing and identify pitches (diatonic major scales in solfege)		
Appreciating	Recognise different kinds of folksongs and community songs		



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#### **Thank You!**

