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The Arts have the capacity to engage the imagination and encourage creativity. The term 'creativity' is defined in the Australian Curriculum Framework for the Arts as:

[There are]... involve the imagination and creativity. Fourth, the... therefore produce a... National... Futures: C...

The Arts learning area includes Design and Visual Arts. Together, they encourage students to create, design, represent ideas, emotions, objects and the world.

The Arts entertain, educate and develop knowledge of self, others and the world. The development of the Arts is an active and informed process that involves the use of sensory/kinaesthetic skills to create complex content, shared through the years of learning.

Dance

Dance is expressive, represent, question, and a medium for personal and social expression.

Active participation and social inclusion and understanding of social and cultural issues.

Drama

Drama is the expression of the world, through role-play. Students create meaning and engage with and around social and cultural issues.

In making and staging drama, students are resourceful, collaborative, and creative. Students develop a drama in the context of social and cultural issues.

Media Arts

Media Arts enables students to explore emerging technologies and media. Students participate in different styles, and different media.

Students learn to be creative and to use media to express their ideas and to communicate with others.

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