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The Arts have the capacity to engage the imagination and emotions. The term 'creativity' is used in the Australian Curriculum

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

The Arts entertain, educate and provide knowledge of self, others and the world. The development of creative and active and informed citizens and sensory/kinaesthetic skills through the years of schooling is a key aim of the Arts learning area.

Dance

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

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

Drama

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

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

Media Arts

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

Students learn to be critical consumers of digital media.

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