Computing Year 5 2016 - 2017

Unit 5.6 We are Architects

Step 1: Exploring art galleries

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Learning Expectations	Main Session	Resources and e-safety
 understand the work of architects, designers and engineers working in 3D develop familiarity with a simple CAD 	Share the <i>Learning expectations</i> for the unit and explain the success criteria. Tell the pupils that they are going to create a virtual art gallery in which to display their artwork.	The usual precautions should be followed when the pupils are using the internet for their research; this includes searching for objects in Trimble's online warehouse. If the pupils will be sharing their creations online,
develop greater aesthetic awareness.	Model the interface for Google Art Project. Click <i>Collections</i> to view a list of museums and select one that provides a virtual tour (e.g. the National Gallery in London). Invite pupils	follow all the relevant school policies, taking particular care to limit the sharing of personal information.
	to explore some of the galleries for themselves. Ask them to investigate common features of these galleries, as well as finding examples of art gallery architecture and design they think is especially effective. Encourage them to look at how the art is displayed. How are the paintings grouped together? How much space does each have?	If using Google Earth to locate real or imaginary buildings, the pupils should not share the location of their home, and you should check with your school leadership team before sharing the location of the school.
Curriculum links in this Unit	Brainstorm the characteristics of art galleries. Invite children to continue their investigations using Google, encouraging them to look at galleries or museums in other countries.	When uploading examples of work to the virtual gallery, respect the intellectual property of the original artists, acknowledging sources by
	Bringing the class back together, refine the list of characteristics in the light of the pupils' research, and collate the examples they provide. You could use these as additional	attaching virtual labels to the work.
	success criteria for the project.	
	Ask pupils to sketch a few initial design ideas for their virtual gallery on paper, or build models from construction materials.	Google Art Project: www.googleartproject.com
Art & Design ✓√√		Virtual tour of the National Gallery, London:
Music 🗸		www.google.com/culturalinstitute/ collection/the-national-gallerylondon?
DT ✓✓		museumview&projectId=artproject
Geography 🗸		Virtual art gallery: www.3dvas.com Some contemporary gallery architecture: www.e-architect.co.uk/ art_gallery_buildings.htm

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Step 2: Creating a virtual sculpture Karin Clark

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	Demonstrate how to draw 2D shapes and extrude these into 3D. Encourage the pupils to experiment with this and share their discoveries with one another.	If using Google Earth to locate real or imaginary buildings, the pupils should not share the location of their home, and you should check with your school leadership team before sharing the location
	Show how to select objects, faces and edges. Show how each of these can be moved, and encourage the pupils to	of the school.
Curriculum links in this Unit	experiment with these techniques further.	When uploading examples of work to the virtual gallery, respect the intellectual property of
Literacy 🗸	Show pupils a few online examples of geometrically inspired sculpture, such as that of Barbara Hepworth, Carl Andre and John Robinson (see the links in <i>Resources</i>). You may also like	the original artists, acknowledging sources by attaching virtual labels to the work.
Numeracy $\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$	to remind them of the work created in Unit 5.3 – We are artists.	
Science $\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$	Ask the pupils to use SketchUp to create a simple geometric sculpture. Some pupils may benefit from first making a sculpture using building blocks before recreating it as closely	SketchUp tutorials: www.sketchup. com/learn/videos?playlist=58 and
Art & Design $\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$	as possible in SketchUp.	www.youtube.com/watch?v=y9PEdm fW7lg&list=SP2A29A6B9E312A112
Music 🗸	Encourage the pupils to request and provide feedback from one another on their SketchUp sculptures, and give them time to refine them in the light of this feedback.	3D printing video: www.ted.com/ talks/lisa_harouni_a_primer_on_3d_
DT ✓√	·	printing.html
Geography 🗸	If time is available, show a video about 3D printing (see <i>Resources</i>). Discuss how this technology works, and ask the pupils to suggest some possible applications.	Geometrically inspired sculpture: http://barbarahepworth.org.uk, www.carlandre.net, www.bradshawfoundation.com/jr

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Step 3: Creating a prototype of the game

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Curriculum links in this Unit	Encourage the pupils to review one another's galleries at this point, revising them on the basis of the feedback received. The pupils could use the navigation tools in SketchUp to	school leadership team before sharing the location of the school. When uploading examples of work to the virtual
Literacy 🗸	explore their gallery from different perspectives.	gallery, respect the intellectual property of the original artists, acknowledging sources by
Numeracy $\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$	Demonstrate how to add a ceiling, and how to cut holes in the ceiling to create skylights.	attaching virtual labels to the work.
Science $\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$	If time permits, the pupils could add further rooms to their gallery, connecting them with doorways and/or corridors,	Trimble SketchUp training video
Art & Design ✓✓✓	staircases and lifts. Ask them to get further feedback on their galleries, making modifications based on this.	for this step: www.youtube.com/ watch?v=hIXsuOjk7gs
Music 🗸	The pupils could explore the texture options for the surfaces	
DT 🗸 🗸	they create, keeping in mind that they will be hanging their artwork on the walls.	
Geography 🗸	Ask the pupils to pay attention to both the internal and external features of their space. Some feedback from you and their classmates at this stage would be useful.	

Step 4: Adding furniture to the gallery

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- ٠ and engineers working in 3D
- develop familiarity with a simple CAD (computer aided design) tool
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Curriculum links in this Unit

Literacy	✓
Numeracy	$\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$
Science	√ √ √
Art & Design	√ √ √
Music	✓
DT	√ √
Geography	✓

Ask pupils to look back at the images or tours of art galleries understand the work of architects, designers that they explored in Step 1, this time focusing on the furniture, fixtures and fittings of these spaces. Ask pupils to compile a 'shopping list' of all the furniture they might need.

Ask the pupils to list, or sketch, a few ideas for the furniture they would like inside their gallery. Introduce them to the 3D Warehouse on SketchUp, and ask them to search for examples of, for instance, benches. Ask them to think carefully about how the search engine in the 3D Warehouse (provided by Google) selects and ranks the results. Spend some time discussing this. Ask the pupils which bench would look best in their gallery. Ask them to think about what criteria they will use to make this decision.

Demonstrate how to import a bench into a gallery and position it appropriately (File > 3D Warehouse > Get models, then search, select, download and simply position). Demonstrate how copy and paste work so that the pupils can add more than one bench if they want to. Show how the bench can be rotated horizontally if needed.

Ask the pupils to spend time adding appropriate furniture, fixtures and fittings to their gallery from the 3D Warehouse. Encourage the pupils to think of the overall style and design of their gallery, and to be selective in choosing furniture and fittings for it. Remind them that the furniture should not detract from the art.

Provide an opportunity for pupils to critique one another's choices, and allow them to replace furniture if they are unhappy with their original choice.

Resources and e-safety

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Google Art Project: www.googleartproject.com

Some contemporary gallery architecture: www.e-architect. co.uk/art gallery buildings.htm

See www.youtube.com/ watch?v=GTDoLfECkgU for a tutorial on the 3D Warehouse Trimble SketchUp training video for this step: www.youtube.com/ watch?v=lahlYgNlr2c

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Step 5: Hanging art

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Learning Expectations	Main Session	Resources and e-safety
• understand the work of architects, designers	Ask the pupils to browse through their home directories/ e-portfolios/blogs for any examples of digital artwork that they could display in their virtual gallery. This could include examples from <i>Unit 5.3 – We are artists</i> .	The usual precautions should be followed when the pupils are using the internet for their research; this includes searching for objects in Trimble's online warehouse.
 develop spatial awareness by exploring and experimenting with a 3D virtual environment develop greater aesthetic awareness. 	If the children have other, non-digital, artwork in school or at home that they'd like to include, they can take photographs of this or use scanners to produce digitised versions. It's normally quicker and more flexible to use digital photographs, and you may need to show the children how to operate a scanner if they have not used one before.	If the pupils will be sharing their creations online, follow all the relevant school policies, taking particular care to limit the sharing of personal information. If using Google Earth to locate real or imaginary
	Ask the pupils to plan the layout of their gallery. Where will they hang the various pieces of artwork that they have chosen? How will they organise the layout? Discuss possible strategies, perhaps considering the path they hope their	buildings, the pupils should not share the location of their home, and you should check with your school leadership team before sharing the location of the school.
	gallery visitors will take around the gallery, or the available lighting.	When uploading examples of work to the virtual gallery, respect the intellectual property of the original artists, acknowledging sources by
	Explain that the work on display need not be restricted to art. Their gallery could become an extendable virtual e-portfolio. Model how to import images or PDF files to the gallery (use	attaching virtual labels to the work.
Numeracy $\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$	File > Import, select the file type and choose Use as image). The pupils should import and place their work on the walls	Trimble SketchUp training video
Science $\sqrt[4]{\sqrt{4}}$	of their gallery, experimenting with different layouts. At this point they may need to add the final wall, if they have not	for this step: www.youtube.com/ watch?v=hPxGAXI4VkE
Art & Design $\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$	already done so.	
Music 🗸	Remind the pupils that they should also add the sculpture they created in Step 2, again using File > Import. Encourage the pupils to share their galleries with one	
DT √√	another, making changes to the layout and contents on the basis of the feedback they receive.	
Geography 🗸		

Step 6: Creating a virtual tour of the gallery

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Curriculum links in this Unit

Literacy	✓
Numeracy	$\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$
Science	$\checkmark\checkmark\checkmark$
Art & Design	$\checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$
Music	\checkmark
DT	$\checkmark\checkmark$
Geography	✓

Tell the pupils they are now going to create a virtual tour understand the work of architects, designers of their gallery that could be used by people considering whether to visit.

> Ask the pupils to create different views of their gallery, adding these as scenes within a SketchUp animation (use View > Animation > Add Scene). They should think in terms of using the animation to tell the story of a visit to their gallery. Demonstrate how the animation settings can be changed to set the duration of each view and the time for transitions between views (use View > Animation > Settings). Once the pupils are happy with their animations, ask them to record a screencast using Screencast-o-matic, ideally with a spoken commentary, discussing the artwork displayed as well as features of the gallery (such as the furniture or skylights) that might be useful for a visitor to know.

The pupils could import their screencast into Movie Maker® to edit it further, or use this software to record their narration after changing the length of time for some shots. Use a final plenary for the pupils to watch the screencast tours. If your school's e-safety policy permits, you could upload the tours to the learning platform, class blog or a video sharing site.

Invite the pupils to provide each other with constructive feedback. They should evaluate the success of their virtual space using the criteria for effective gallery design they established at the beginning of the unit.

If time permits, the pupils could work together to develop a larger 'meta gallery', made by combining all the individual galleries together to produce a single, shared space in which the class's artwork is displayed. Some pupils could work together to produce virtual tours of this space.

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Trimble SketchUp training video for this step: www.youtube.com/ watch?v=hJyLxBgI1NM