Art and Design - Y5 Autumn - Construction and Form

Key vocabulary to remember and use in your learning

Word	Definition
carve	To cut a material in order to produce an object or design.
incising	To engrave a design by cutting or scraping into the clay surface
impressing	To indent a design or textures into soft clay by pressing dif- ferent shaped objects into it.
intricate	Very complicated or detailed additions. Eg. Intricate pat- terns.
sculpture	Sculpture is a branch of the visual arts. It involves the crea- tion of artistic objects in three dimensions—length, width, and height.



Family of Man (1970) was created by Barbara Hepworth. The bronze sculptures represent the stages of human life. They can be seen at the Yorkshire Sculpture Park.

The Human Form



Antony Gormley is most famous for his sculpture 'The Angel of the North.' It stands at 20 metres tall and can be seen on the outskirts of New-

Key knowledge to know and use

Dame Jocelyn Barbara Hepworth DBE (10 January 1903 – 20 May 1975) was an English artist and sculptor. Her work exemplifies Modernism and in particular modern sculpture. She was one of the few female artists of her generation to achieve international prominence.

The human form has inspired many artists in their work. Barbara Hepworth and Henry Moore have produced sculptures to represent humans in an abstract way.

Artists use a variety of modelling materials to produce sculptures. Materials can be carved and manipulated in a variety of ways to produce representations of studied forms. Using a variety of impressing techniques adds detail to sculptures.

The Yorkshire Sculpture Park is the leading international centre for modern and contemporary sculpture which celebrates its 45th anniversary in 2022. It exhibits more than 80 sculptures in large landscaped gardens.