



Year 1
Art
Tuesday 23rd June 2020



Key aims/Ideas

Use imagination to build a 3d model

and/or

Use tie dying to add colour

Use imagination to create an image from natural materials

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We are going to work together to make a dragon head model to display, similar to this one. We will each decorate some scales to cover our boxes.



Tie dying

When you put string, elastic bands or anything else tight around fabric it stops that part of the fabric absorbing dye.

We will have a small piece of fabric to do this with. Each of us will have a peg with our name on to hold the fabric in when we have got it prepared.





We will use natural dyes

We are going to experiment making our own dyes using turmeric and paprika (spices) and beetroot.

Once your piece is ready dip it in the dye and leave it. We will take it out later and leave to dry.

When we unwrap it we will see the pattern! Our pieces will be the dragon's fire.





At home

- Maybe you could make a 3D dragon or make a dragon picture using leaves and petals? OR
- Use Purple Mash to paint a picture of a dragon. OR
- If Mummy/Daddy/Carer has time and spare berries/spices perhaps you could experiment with tie dying.