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Project Reflections – Autumn 1: Art

Painting Skills: Van Gogh

We began our Art topic by looking at our focused artist, Vincent Van Gogh. We learned that he was a painter from Holland and he created lots of famous paintings such as 'The Sunflower', 'The Bedroom', 'Starry Night' and many more.

We investigated his paintings looking at what we could see, what colours he used and



We realised that Van Gogh's artwork had a 'style' he used small brush strokes to create effect when painting. We practised the skill of using small brush strokes with the paint just like Van Gogh.

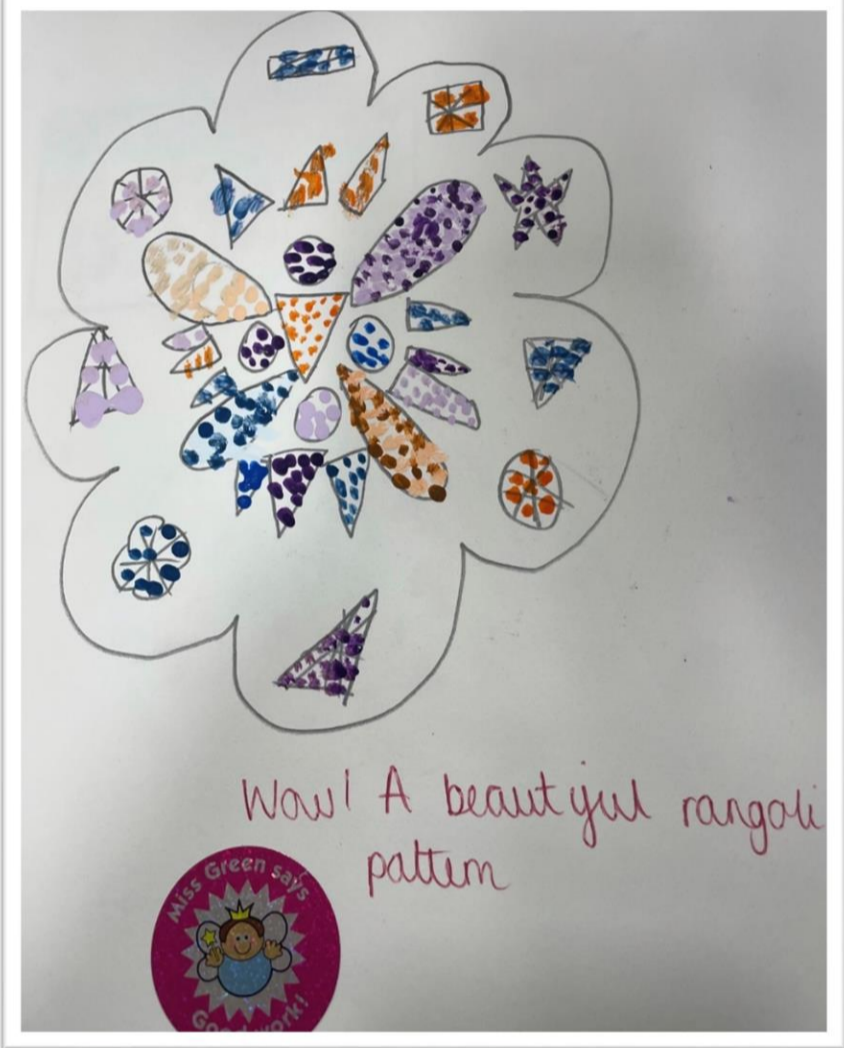


We investigated how different colours were made. We looked at the colour wheel and used primary colours to make secondary colours.



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We then created our own Rangoli pattern and painted it in the style of Van Gogh by using small brush strokes. We used both primary colours and secondary colours.



We also added tint and tone to our paint to alter the effect of the paint. Just like Van Gogh did in his painting of 'A Starry Night'

