# Wonderful World of Colour

## Creative Arts Week    18th -22nd May 2015

It's time to get creative again, enrich the children's learning and have a fabulous fun week!

This year our focus is: 'Wonderful World of Colour'. During this week we aim to include many aspects of the arts such as:

- visiting musicians (a ukulele group)
- work with artists in residence
-  creating a whole school video to send to our link school in Sierra Leone
- colour graphics and music using computing programs
- links with science and how we see colour

Here is just a snap shot of the main ideas being explored by each year group:

**Foundation:** Visiting artist **Anthony James** creating Mini-beasts; pebble painting

**Year 1:** Looking at the work of **Alexander Calder**

**Year 2:** Visiting artist **Emma**: Weaving/collage and Yarn bombing!!!?

   *(We need lots of wool – can you help?)*

**Year 3** will be looking at colour through the Austrian artist **Friedensreich Hundertwasser**.
His work includes bright colours and natural, organic forms.

**Year 4:** We will be looking at the work of **Anish Kapoor** and **Patrick Caulfield** and working in the style of these artists.

We will be colour mixing using paints and pastels.

**Year 5:** Science nature and colour.  What part does colour play in the way food tastes?

Do we assume something will taste sweet just because of its colour?

Why are flowers so colourful?

**Year 6:** Why is colour so important in religions? The use of colour in: fashion history, and sports clothing across the world. Lino printing, looking at the influence of 50s designs through the work of **Angie Lewin.**

If you can help or have any great ideas to add to the exciting range of activities the staff have been working on, please contact your class teachers directly.  Extra newspaper or card is always a must – please check with class teachers before sending.

**We have several artists booked to work with the children during the week and our special thanks go to the BSA, who helped to fund this with their hard work and dedication.**