Year 3 - Lesson Plan 1 - ART

What Can You Create with Found Objects?

Aim:	Key Words:	Preparation:
To explore printing techniques by using found and recycled objects to create repeated patterns and artistic designs.	 print pattern repeat texture surface 	 Found objects (e.g. bottle tops, sponges, corks, cardboard tubes, bubble wrap, string, lego bricks) Paint trays and paint A3 or A4 paper Aprons and table covers Sketchbooks or scrap paper for testing

Prior Learning: Children will have created simple painted or drawn patterns using shape and colour.

WC / PT	Warm-up: Show a print artwork (e.g. Andy Warhol, aboriginal patterns, wallpaper designs). Ask: Can you spot any repeating shapes? How do you think it was made?	0-5 mins
wc	Main Teach: Demonstrate how to dip or roll found objects into paint to create prints. Show how repeating the same object creates a pattern. Emphasise the importance of texture and control.	5-10 mins
1 / S	Activity: Children experiment printing with different found objects to create their own repeated pattern or abstract print artwork. Encourage them to test prints on scrap paper before making a final piece.	10-30 mins
ı	Extension Challenge: Children create a border or frame using only one object in a repeated design.	30-35 mins
WC	Plenary: Invite a few children to show their prints. Ask: Which object gave the most interesting result? What did you enjoy or find tricky about printing?	35-40 mins

WC – Whole Class PT – Partner Talk I – Independent S - Support

Challenge A	Create a printed wrapping paper design for a celebration or festival.
Challenge B Write instructions explaining how to create a print using a recycled object.	