



Edgbarrow School: SEND & Curriculum Provision Statement

Subject: Art and Photography

At Edgbarrow School, SEND provision is delivered through an inclusive, whole-school framework that enables all pupils to **Enjoy, Grow, and Achieve**. The SEND Department, subject specialists, and pastoral teams collaborate closely with families to ensure reasonable adjustments and early identification of barriers to learning are systematically embedded across the curriculum.

Our continuum of support ensures that every pupil accesses an ambitious curriculum, participates fully, and makes strong progress.

Our classroom pedagogy relies on proven learning strategies, delivered through the **Edgbarrow Essentials**:

- **Positive Learning Routine:** Active Recall
- **Feedback:** Checking for understanding and purposeful circulation
- **Questioning:** Strategic cold calling and responsive dialogue
- **Modelling:** Explicit instruction (*I Do, We Do, You Do*)
- **Oracy:** High-expectation verbal refinement (*Say It Again, Better*)

Where pupils require additional support to overcome specific barriers to learning, we routinely embed reasonable adjustments and adaptive strategies within the mainstream classroom:

- **Strategic seating plans** optimised for learning dynamics, sensory needs, and peer collaboration
- **Targeted deployment of additional adults** focused on scaffolding independence rather than reliance
- **Subject-specific adaptations and scaffolds, such as:**
 - Demonstrations broken into manageable chunks
 - Exemplars available throughout the lesson
 - Teacher checks understanding before practical work begins
 - Choice of tools and materials where possible
 - Finished exemplars and "work-in-progress" examples displayed
 - Consistent classroom routines for collecting and returning materials

Impact is demonstrated in our subject area, in the following ways:

- The subject-specific knowledge and skills which students retain in their long-term memories; examples of retained information can be seen in sketchbooks.
- Practical outcomes students achieve; students can experience a range of media and materials in Art and Photography.



- Pupils are ready for the next stage of their education; pupils with special educational needs/disabilities (SEN/D) studying Art and Photography have been successful at reaching their chosen University.
- Skills developed via co-curricular / enrichment activities on offer by the department; students can access extra help after school.

This tiered framework ensures the vast majority of pupils' needs are effectively met within the mainstream classroom. For pupils with more complex or significant needs, tailored, higher-tier support is coordinated by the Inclusion Department, augmented where necessary by specialist staff, targeted interventions, and external agencies.