

Key Vocabulary

Fashion	Style of dress or behaviour at any given time.
Textile	Any filament, fibre, or yarn that can be made into fabric or cloth, and the resulting material itself.
Fabric	Cloth or other material produced by weaving or knitting fibres.
Sewing	The craft of fastening or attaching objects using stitches made with a needle and thread.
Stitching	The action or work of stitching or sewing.
Cross stitch	A stitch in which pairs of diagonal stitches of the same length cross each other in the middle to form an X.
Applique	To apply (something, such as a decoration or ornament) to a larger surface.
Suitability	The quality of having the properties that are right for a specific purpose.
Durability	The ability of a material to remain serviceable in the surrounding environment during the useful life without damage or unexpected maintenance.
Aesthetic	The philosophical study of beauty and taste.
Heritage	Property that is or may be inherited; an inheritance.
Culture	The ideas, customs, and social behaviour of a particular people or society.



Key Knowledge

Suave	What?	Backpacks, accessories.
	Where?	Kenya, Africa
	Creating colourful backpacks, satchels and laptop sleeves made from recycled fabrics and locally sourced African fabrics.	
Doodlage	What?	Everyday clothing.
	Where?	India
	Upcycling factory waste into short limited edition collections.	

Know how to:

Explore a range of prints, textures and fabrics to create recycled fashion by joining textiles with appropriate stitching. Investigate the importance heritage, culture, race and religion has on fashion and how it is viewed across the world.

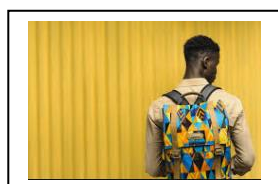
Explore textiles through time and discuss fashion from different periods and what materials may have been used and why.

Join textiles with appropriate stitching.

Learn cross stitch, back, running to finish seams and create a piece of purposeful fashion.

Use decorative stitching, such as applique.

Use heritage, culture, race, religion to express their work through the choice of colour shape and overall aesthetic.



Final Outcome: Children will be creating a piece of clothing from recycled, repurposed and reused materials using different sewing techniques. They will then present their creations in a fashion show.