

**STAGE TWO**

# STEM/ART

**MISS HUMPHREYS**

**T**his term students in Kindergarten and Stage 2 have been doing STEM and Art with Miss Humphreys. They've explored a range of art mediums and enjoyed using these different materials.

Kindergarten students have made an under the sea mural, adding new sea creatures each lesson and experimenting with various textures to create a coral reef.

The sea theme continued into their STEM lesson, as they explored the science behind sinking and floating, testing various materials and creating a boat out of foil. As an introduction to the problem solving and teamwork required in STEM, they participated in a challenge to create the tallest tower out of paper cups.

Students confidently explained their thought process and showed excellent resilience when some of their towers fell down.

Stage 2 students have been creating artworks inspired by Edvard Munch and his famous piece, *The Scream* (1893). They discussed what Munch might be trying to convey in the artwork and how he used the seven elements of art to communicate this meaning to the audience.

By using watercolour and collaging techniques they were able to create their own artworks. Instead of painting the figure in the foreground of Munch's artwork, students posed for a photo that was printed in black and white.

Stage 2 students loved posing for their photo and watching their artwork come to life!

Maggie Humphreys

## Art inspired by The Scream

**The Scream (1893) by Edvard Munch has become one of the most iconic images of all time.**

