

**Cultural capital**  
 Appreciating the past and its influence on today. Links to maths and shapes.  
 Possible job opportunities in design, art and history  
 (English Heritage)



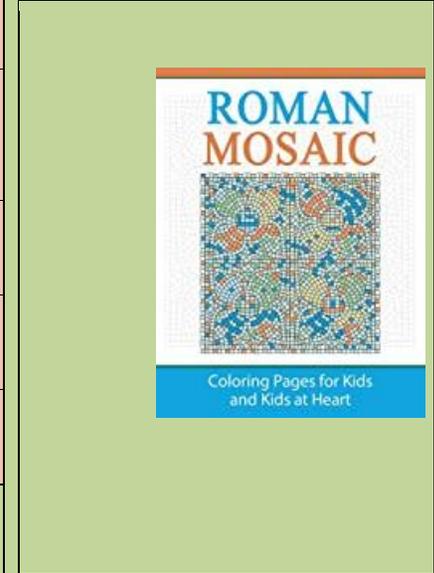
Skills
I can generate a repeating mosaic style pattern using coloured squares.
I can print a neat boarder design with good technique.
I can analyse my work and that of others.
I can design and finish printing a large scale mosaic style picture.
I can evaluate my finished work.

**Forever Facts**

- Roman Mosaics decorated floors or Roman villas or other buildings.
- How large and impressive a mosaic was, told people about how rich or powerful the owner was.
- The tiny stones or tiles were called 'tesserae' and these were stuck to the floor with mortar.
- It took many thousands of tiny pieces to make a mosaic.
- The pictures were sometimes of scene from life in Roman times and sometimes pictures of Gods.

**What I have learnt before:**  
 Portraits, painting and great artists, Matisse, Vincent Van Gogh

**Exciting Books**



**Our Endpoint**  
 To create a Roman Mosaic.

**Subject Specific Vocabulary**

<b>Mosaics</b>	A pattern or image made of small regular or irregular pieces of coloured stone, glass or ceramic
<b>Tesserae</b>	The tiny stones used to make mosaics.
<b>Print</b>	Make a mark by pressing something on a surface.
<b>Border</b>	The edges of a mosaic.
<b>Mortar</b>	A type of cement that held the tiny stones in place.