GEOMETRY AND ART

Teaching notes

Lesson 1: FLAT SHAPES

6 th session: Other flat shapes	
AIMS	 To introduce new flat shapes. To recognize some features in the new flat shapes. To identify some shapes in painting. To draw 2-D shapes. To develop the children's creativity.
RESOURCES	 A computer and a data projector for the power point presentation. Pastels or wax crayons, A4 or A3 cartridge paper, varnish and brushes. Supplementary material: (other_flat_shapes.ppt) (spy_flat_shapes_in_art.ppt).
GROUPING	- Half group.
DESCRIPTION OF THE ACTIVITIES	Other flat shapes (other_flat_shapes.ppt). Introduction of the vocabulary related to other flat shapes. The teacher presents the different shapes and the pupils repeat the words. For each shape, work on some features: colour, number of sides, number of corners, curved or straight sides. E.g. - What colour is the diamond? - How many sides has it got? - How many corners has it got? - Has it got straight or curved sides?

	2 nd activity: I spy shapes in art(spy_flat_shapes_in_art.ppt). Watch the power point presentation and play with the children "I spy with my little eye a" Afterwards, ask the pupils to make their own painting. They need to give a title to their composition by using the sentence "I spy with my little eye a"
LANGUAGE	 Key vocabulary: diamond, star, oval, ring, heart, crescent, semicircle. key phrases needed: What colour is the? How many sides has it got? How many corners has it got? Has it got curved or straight sides? I spy with my little eye a
SKILLS	Listening, speaking and creativity.