

START Project.

What is it?

The START project is linked with Deda dance studios and Artcore; both Derby based companies who are involved in getting the children more aware of the Arts. We have been asked to join a 2 year project with these 2 companies and work with them to introduce the children to art based activities and to make the children aware that the Arts is a career possibility.

The START project is also linked to the Arts Award. Each child, who is involved with the START project at Village, will be rewarded a "Discover" certificate from Arts Award. The children will complete a portfolio of the arts and participate in either an art project or a dance project as well as looking at the arts offered at Village Primary School.

Who is involved:

5S are involved in the art project in the Autumn term.

5PH are involved in the dance project in the Autumn term.

5HM are involved in the art project in the Spring term.

3C are involved in the dance project in the Spring term.

Visits:

The children who are completing the dance project will have the chance to go and watch a dance show at Deda and the

children who are completing the art project will have the opportunity to visit an art exhibition at Artcore showing the art of local artists as well as creating their own art exhibition: showing their own art work created at school with local artists.

We are very excited about this project and are very pleased we were asked to participate. Look out for photographs of the project soon.