

# TEXTILE DESIGNING

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Air,water,food,clothing and shelter are man’s basic needs.Variety is said to be the spice of life.At the textile designing club,we have endeavoured to do just that.We have strived to enable students to appreciate and learn designing of fabrics using techniques such as free hand painting,template painting,kalamkari and embroidery.

Every art must begin with a well thought-out design.Hence,students were asked to design a dress specifying the colour,fabric,pattern,



Students were encouraged to do free hand painting on fabric.They thoroughly enjoyed doing it, and created beautiful pieces of art.







They were also introduced to painting using templates. The first and easiest method is to use cut vegetables. This proved to be a very engaging and creative activity for the students.



The students were also encouraged to explore other ways of embellishing fabric, one of which was creating designs with fabric glitter. The result was stunning, as the creativity of students came out to the fore.



All in all, term I was a very enriching experience for the students. We focused on manual techniques such as painting and it has given the students a good start to knowing more about textile designing.