Art & Design	THEME : Murals	Class : Date : 00/00/03 Dur : 1 hr
Investigating&Realising		Date: 00/00/03 Dur: 111
KEY EXPERIENCES Investigating and responding to a stimulus Using the visual elements Using materials, tools and processes to realise ideas and intentions Appreciating the work of	 LEARNING OBJECTIVES To consider and discuss examples of murals from the local community To evaluate the messages communicated by murals To discuss positive and negative issues and aspects of the community and society To look at Mexican and Nicaraguan murals To promote understanding and empathy for problems in other parts of the world Consider how to visually represent ideas and issues 	
artists, designers, and craftworkers Evaluating work	TEACHING SEQUENCE Look at examples of murals from local communities – get pupils to describe what they see – decipher meaning. What do they already know about mural? What would they like to know? Make notes of their purposes – some discussion of the Northern Ireland context.	
KEY SKILLS VOCABULARY	Highlight different kinds of murals – positive / negative messages - looking to the past or to the future. If we created a mural what purpose or message would we want it to have? Write up on page to display. In groups list what they see as negative and positive aspects of their community, society. Report back, discuss and add to the list on display.	
CONTEXTUAL Examples of NI murals Examples of South American murals	Link to Mexican & Nicaraguan mural traditions – background. Show some examples –relate to list. Draw ideas for how some of the positive and negative aspects could be shown visually. HOMEWORK Choose one positive and one negative aspect – collect images from the	
	paper or magazines that illustrate this.	
RESOURCES	MATERIALS, TOOLS, PROCESSES Drawing materials	HEALTH & SAFETY
CCT'S	ASSESSMENT FOCUS	PREPARATION
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