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Expressive Arts and Design	USING FABRIC	EYFS
Cross curricular links	Key skills	Key Vocabulary
Physical Development – improve your fine motor skills through threading.	To explore what happens when colours are mixed. To explore a variety of materials and techniques.	Colour mixing – Mixing two or more colours together Fabrics – Cloth or other material produced by weaving or
Communication and Language – talk with your friend about features of your work. What is the same? What is different?	To safely use tools, techniques to experiment with colour, texture, form.	knitting fibres Needle – A thin piece with a sharp point at one end used for sewing
	To talk about features of own and others' work and recognise differences/strengths.	Design - A plan or drawing produced to show the look and function of an object before it is made
	Home learning Threading is a great way to build your hand-eye coordination. Make your own necklace or friendship bracelet by threading beads onto string or wool? Alternatively, you could paint dry pasta tubes to thread instead. Explore textures through rubbings. Find a fun surface on your walk (e.g. brick wall, leaf, tree bark) or at home (e.g. picture frames, oranges, wooden furniture). Place paper on top and use chalk or a crayon to rub over it and reveal the texture! Explore the use of different fabrics in your house. How many can you find? Talk about different textiles and clothing styles that are suitable for different types of weather, and why. List words to describe how textiles feel to the touch - for example, fluffy, warm, silky, smooth, cosy, shiny, waxy.	