# **Printing Knowledge Organiser – Year 3**



### **Printing**

Traditionally, **block printing** was used to **print** fabrics. This **process** involves sketching and carving a design into a **block** of wood, applying ink or dye, and stamping it onto a finished cloth. **Block printing** differs from weaving, where patterns are woven into a fabric as it's created.



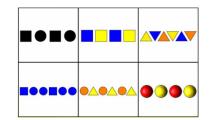
### **Artist Study**

#### **Salvador Dalí**

- ✓ Salvador Dali was born on 11th May 1904 in Figueres, Spain.
- ✓ Salvador went to drawing school
- ✓ He experimented with Cubism and also gained a reputation for being a bit eccentric.
- ✓ Several images often appear in Dali's surrealist paintings. These include: melting clocks, elephants, eggs, ants, snails and locusts.
- ✓ Salvador Dali produced more than 1500 paintings in his lifetime.

### **Repeating Patterns**

A **design** for decorating a surface composed of a number of elements arranged in a regular or formal manner.















## Vocabulary

printing block: A printing
block is a tool used for
producing a repeat pattern

inking rollers: a roller used
to add paint to a printing
block

shade: a colour, especially with regard to how light or dark it is or as distinguished from one nearly like it.

tint: a shade or variety of a colour.

precision: the quality,
condition, or fact of being
exact and accurate.