



Topic:

Scratch – Photo Editing Cycle A Spring Term 2 Y3/4

Did you know ...
That not all photographs are real? Some may have been edited.
A photographer doesn't just take photographs, they edit them too, applying their techniques and skills.



New Vocabulary

Editing (photos)	Changing how it looks.
Composition	The way that something is put together or arranged.
Crop/cropping	When you 'crop' an image, you delete a part of an image that you don't want.
Cloning	Copying pixels from one part of an image to another.

Career links

A photographer – This job includes checking all the equipment in advance. On location/set, everything needs to be ready like the camera, props and lighting. They take a range of good quality photographs. They revise the images taken and decide if any need reshooting or editing.



New Knowledge

We can edit photos in different ways. Examples include cropping, rotating, flipping and changing colours and styles.

Sometimes you edit a photo because you want to change what someone thinks or feels when they look at it.

Positive reasons for editing photos include making things clearer or fixing something.

Negative reasons include trying to deceive people, putting others down or spreading fake news.

Prior Learning

In Early Years, pupils learned:

That iPads and cameras can be used to take photographs.

In Year 1/2, pupils learned:

How to use a digital device (iPads) to take clear photographs.

How to edit drawings using a digital painting app.

Helpful hints

Techniques you might use in your work:



When we only need a part of a photograph, we can crop the image. We can also enlarge and reduce the parts that we need.



We can make more than one of an image by copying it. We can also rotate and flip images to create different effects.



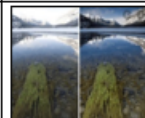
Photograph editing programs often have filters. These can change the colours in a photograph. Different colours can give us different feelings.



When the lighting of the photograph is not quite right, we can change the brightness of the photograph.



We can add and remove parts of a photograph by using cut, copy and paste tools.



We can change the contrast of photographs, making the subjects clearer.