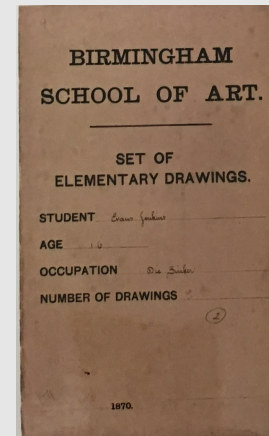


Decorative Metalware

Design a Candlestick



J W Evans sketch, sketch book and J W Evans Pattern Book 1902 © English Heritage

Jenkin William Evans, the founder of J W Evans, was a keen artist. He attended classes at Birmingham School of Art.

Each finished piece starts out as a set of drawings from which to make the dies. These dies are used in the drop stamp to shape the metal. At one time Evans' factory was producing 330 designs a year. They were recorded in a pattern book, numbered and given a name. Draw your own design for a candlestick or another useful item of silverware for the home. Think about the decoration, style and motifs you might include. Give your design a name and a number.