

**Curriculum End Points - Science**



**Life (Biology)** - The condition that distinguishes animals and plants from inorganic matter



**Matter (Chemistry)** – Physical substance which occupies space and possesses mass



**Energy (Physics)**- Power derived from the use of physical or chemical resources

	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
EYFS	<p>Me and my Community Stories and Rhymes</p> <p>Shows curiosity in the environment around them inside and outdoors.</p> <p>Comments on unknown objects, based on their own exploration.</p> <p>Says what they can hear, see, and feel whilst outside.</p> <p>An immediate change, feeling the wind pick up, getting sunny.</p> <p>Observes and talks about the changes in nature they notice.</p>	<p><b>Cold Places</b> <b>Growing</b></p> <p>Takes part in simple experiments led by an adult (floating and sinking) discussing the differences in the objects.</p> <p>Observes and talks about the changes in objects over a period (melting).</p> <p>Makes simple predictions with support.</p> <p>Carries out simple set up experiment (sorting materials) that enables them to talk about similarities –classifying.</p> <p>Answers and asks “why” questions.</p> <p>Names the four seasons and talks about their differences and the impact on their lives.</p> <p>Pupils use new knowledge to classify animals therefore highlighting their similarities. For example, carnivore dinosaurs all have sharp claws and teeth.</p> <p>Understands animals have similar features to live in specific habitat.</p> <p>Camouflage, fur to protect from the cold etc.</p>	<p><b>Minibeasts</b></p> <p>At the Seaside</p> <p>Selects equipment to help them follow their own enquiry of interest, for example, which mini beasts live in the playground?</p> <p>Records observations in a number of ways; drawings, written work, photographs.</p> <p>Explore the natural world around them, making observations and drawing pictures of animals and plants.</p> <p>Know some similarities and differences between the natural world around them and contrasting environments, drawings on their experiences and what has been read in class.</p> <p>Understand some important processes and changes in the natural world around them, including the seasons and changing states of matter.</p> <p>Records observations to enable changes to be observed.</p> <p>Shows an understanding of the passing of time through the life cycle of plants, animals, and mini beasts.</p> <p>Sequences the basic stages of human life cycle.</p>

Year 1	<p><b>Seasonal Changes</b> + plus one lesson done every season.</p> <p>I can name all four seasons  I can talk about what changes over Spring in the environment  I can explain how the weather changes over Spring  I can say how the length of day changes over Spring  I can talk about my findings and what I have found out.</p> <p><b>Animals Including Humans (Humans Senses)</b>  I can name the parts of the human body that I can see.  I can identify the main parts of the human body and link them to my senses.  I can use simple scientific words to answer questions.  I can complete simple test.  I can explain what we have found out (findings).</p>	<p><b>Everyday Materials</b>  I can describe materials using my senses  I can describe materials using my senses, using specific scientific words  I can explain what material objects are made from  I can explain why a material might be useful for a specific job  I can name some different materials  I can sort materials into groups by a given criteria  I can explain how solid shapes I be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching</p> <p>I can use simple scientific words to answer questions.  I can complete simple test.  I can sort and groups objects, materials and living things.  I can use scientific language to ask and answer a question.</p> <p>I can observe and record the daily weather on a chart or in a table  I can describe how day length changes over a year.</p> <p><b>Animals Including Humans (Animal Parts)</b>  I can name the parts of an animal's body  I can classify animals by what they eat (carnivore, herbivore, omnivore)  I can compare the bodies of different animals</p>	<p><b>Plants/Seasonal changes</b></p> <p>I can name the petals, stem, leaf and root of a plant  I can identify and name a range of common plants and trees  I can recognise deciduous and evergreen trees  I can describe the parts of a plant (roots, stem, leaves, flowers).  I can care for a growing seedling.  I can describe how plants change over time.  I can name a range of different types of weather from pictures or sounds.  I can talk about what changes over Summer in the environment  I can explain how the weather changes over Summer  I can say how the length of day changes over Summer  I can use simple scientific words to answer questions.  I can observe living things and describe what they use.  I can talk about my findings and what I have found out.</p>

		<p>I can point out some of the differences between different animals</p> <p>I can sort photographs of living things and non-living things</p> <p>I can classify common animals (birds, fish, amphibians, reptiles, mammals, invertebrates)</p> <p>I can describe how an animal is suited to its environment</p> <p>I can sort and groups objects, materials and living things.</p> <p>I can use scientific language to ask and answer a question.</p>	
Year 2	<p><b>Living things and their habitats</b></p> <p>I can match certain living things to the habitats I are found in.</p> <p>I can explain the differences between living and non-living things</p> <p>I can describe some of the life processes common to plants and animals, including humans.</p> <p>I can decide whether something is living, dead or non- living.</p> <p>I can describe how a habitat provides for the basic needs of things living there.</p> <p>I can describe a range of different habitats.</p> <p>I can describe how plants and animals are suited to their habitat.</p> <p>I can explain how animals get food from plants and other animals and use a simple food chain</p> <p>I can group materials and living things and notice patterns.</p> <p>I can construct simple food chains.</p>	<p><b>Everyday Materials</b></p> <p>I can distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made</p> <p>I can identify and name a range of everyday materials (wood, plastic, metal, water, rock)</p> <p>I can describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials</p> <p>I can compare and classify a variety of materials based on their simple physical properties</p> <p>I can explore how the shapes of solid objects can be changed (squashing, bending, twisting, stretching)</p> <p>I can identify and compare the uses of a range of everyday materials (wood, metal, plastic, glass, brick/rock, paper/cardboard)</p> <p>I can suggest and ask questions that can be answered in different ways.</p> <p>I can do things in the correct order when performing a simple test.</p>	<p><b>Animals</b></p> <p>I can describe what animals need to survive</p> <p>I can explain that animals grow and reproduce</p> <p>I can explain why animals have offspring</p> <p>I can describe the life cycle of some living things (e.g. egg, chick, chicken)</p> <p>I can explain the basic needs of animals, including humans</p> <p>I can suggest and ask questions that can be answered in different ways.</p> <p>I can group materials and living things and notice patterns.</p> <p>I can gather data in a range of ways (tables, bar charts and venn diagrams).</p>

	<p><b>Humans</b></p> <p>I can explain the basic needs of animals, including humans.</p> <p>I can describe why exercise and a balanced diet are important for humans.</p> <p>I can suggest and ask questions that can be answered in different ways.</p> <p>I can do things in the correct order when performing a simple test.</p>	<p>I can use simple hand lenses and timers to take measurements, make observations.</p> <p>I can gather data in a range of ways (tables, bar charts and venn diagrams).</p> <p>I can use simple scientific language to explain what they have found out.</p> <p><b>Plants</b></p> <p>I can describe what plants need to survive</p> <p>I can describe how seeds and bulbs grow into plants</p> <p>I can sort seeds and bulbs into groups according to physical features.</p> <p>I can describe the different plant parts and give examples of which foods that we eat are derived from these parts.</p> <p>I can describe what a plant needs to grow and stay healthy</p> <p>I can explain that plants grow and reproduce</p> <p>I can do things in the correct order when performing a simple test.</p> <p>I can observe something closely and describe changes over time.</p> <p>I can identify simple patterns of relationships.</p>	
Year 3	<p><b>Animals including Humans</b></p> <p>I can explain the importance of a nutritious balanced diet</p> <p>I can describe how nutrients, water and oxygen are transported within animals and humans</p> <p>I can describe and explain the skeletal system of a human</p>	<p><b>Rocks, Fossils and Soils</b></p> <p>I can compare and group together different rocks based on my simple physical properties</p> <p>I can describe and explain how different rocks can be useful to us</p> <p>I can describe and explain the differences between sedimentary and igneous rocks, considering the way I are formed</p>	<p><b>Plants</b></p> <p>I can identify and describe the functions of different parts of plants (roots, stem, leaves and flowers)</p> <p>I can identify what a plants needs for life and growth</p>

	<p>I can describe and explain the muscular system of a human</p> <p>I can use ideas to pose questions independently.</p>	<p>I can describe how fossils are formed within sedimentary rock</p> <p>I can identify a range of fossilised animals and plants from pictures.</p> <p>I can suggest what fossils of the future may be.</p> <p>I can describe and carry out a fair test and make predictions.</p> <p><b>Forces and Magnets</b></p> <p>I can observe that magnetic forces can be transmitted without direct contact</p> <p>I can talk about how some magnets attract or repel each other</p> <p>I can explain that magnets have two poles</p> <p>I can classify which materials are attracted to magnets</p> <p>I can describe the speed and direction of moving objects</p> <p>I can describe forces in action (pushing and pulling).</p> <p>I can sort and groups materials into materials that are magnetic and those that are not.</p> <p>I can describe and carry out a fair test and make a prediction.</p> <p>I can draw a simple conclusion based on evidence.</p> <p>I can record my findings using scientific language and present them in different ways (diagrams, tables and charts).</p> <p>I can decide what to observe during an investigation.</p>	<p>I can describe the ways in which nutrients, water and oxygen are transported within plants</p> <p>I can explain how the needs and functions of plant parts vary from plant to plant e.g. insect and wind pollinated plants</p> <p>I can investigate the way in which water is transported within plants</p> <p>I can sort and classify a range of seeds in broad dispersal methods.</p> <p>I can allocate different stages of plant's life cycle's to different seasons, suggesting reasons why stages occur when they do.</p> <p>I can decide what to observe during an investigation.</p> <p>I can take measurements using standard units.</p> <p>I can record my findings using scientific language and present them in different ways (diagrams, tables and charts).</p> <p>I can gather, record and use data in a variety of ways to answer questions.</p> <p>I can draw a simple conclusion based on evidence.</p> <p><b>Light</b></p> <p>I can explain the difference between transparent, translucent and opaque</p> <p>I can compare the brightness and colour of lights</p> <p>I can explain how bulbs work in an electrical circuit</p> <p>I can explain how shadows are formed</p> <p>I can identify how light is reflected from surfaces, using equipment such as mirrors.</p>
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Year 4	<p><b>Electricity</b></p> <p>I can explain how electricity is useful to us</p> <p>I can explain what a conductor is and test materials for conductivity</p> <p>I can explain closed and open circuits</p> <p>I can construct a circuit with a switch</p> <p>I can identify whether or not a lamp will light in a simple series circuit</p> <p>I can recognise some common conductors and insulators</p> <p>I can draw simple circuits using symbols.</p> <p>I can sort and classify materials into conductors and insulators.</p> <p>I can suggest relevant questions and know they can be answered in a variety of ways including secondary sources.</p> <p>I can choose appropriate ways to record and present information, findings and conclusions for different audiences.</p> <p><b>Animals including Humans</b></p> <p>I can identify and name the basic parts of the human digestive system</p>	<p><b>Sound</b></p> <p>I can describe a range of sounds</p> <p>I can compare sources of sound and explain how the sounds differ</p> <p>I can explain how to change a sound (louder/softer)</p> <p>I can describe and explain how a sound travels from a source to our ears</p> <p>I can explain what happens to sound as it travels away from its source</p> <p>I can explain how you could change the pitch of a sound</p> <p>I can investigate how different materials can affect the pitch and volume of sounds</p> <p>I can listen to and identify a variety of sounds.</p> <p>I can investigate and classify materials for their ability to insulate against sound.</p> <p>I can make decisions about different enquires including understanding when a fair test is necessary.</p> <p>I can choose appropriate ways to record and present information, findings and conclusions for different audiences.</p>	<p><b>Living things and their Habitats</b></p> <p>I can use a classification key to group a variety of living things (plants, vertebrates, invertebrates)</p> <p>I can compare the classification of common plants and animals to living things found in other places (under the sea, prehistoric)</p> <p>I can name and group a variety of living things based on feeding patterns (producer, consumer, predator, prey, herbivore, carnivore, omnivore)</p> <p>I can recognise that environments can change and this can sometimes pose a danger to living things</p> <p>I can identify similarities and differences/changes when talking about scientific processes.</p> <p>I can begin to use simple keys.</p> <p>I can use a food chain and explain what would happen if a part was missing.</p>

	<p>I can describe the function of the organs of the human digestive system</p> <p>I can identify the simple function of different types of human teeth</p> <p>I can compare the teeth of herbivores and carnivores</p> <p>I can explain what a simple food chain shows</p> <p>I can identify similarities and differences/changes when talking about scientific processes.</p> <p>I can begin to use simple keys.</p>	<p><b>States of Matter</b></p> <p>I can compare and group materials based on their states of matter, ie, liquid, solid or gas</p> <p>I can explain what happens to materials when they are heated or cooled</p> <p>I can measure the temperature at which different materials change state</p> <p>I can use measurements to explain changes to the state of water</p> <p>I can explain the part that evaporation and condensation has in the water cycle</p> <p>I can make decisions about different enquires including understanding when a fair test is necessary.</p> <p>I can make systematic and careful observations.</p> <p>I can take accurate measurements using standard units and a range of equipment including thermometers and data loggers.</p> <p>I can choose appropriate ways to record and present information, findings and conclusions for different audiences.</p> <p>I can identify with help, changes, patterns, similarities and differences in data to help form conclusions.</p> <p>I can use recorded data to make predictions.</p>	
Year 5	<p><b>Living things and their Habitats</b></p> <p>I can describe and compare the life cycles of a range of animals, including humans, amphibians, insects and birds</p> <p>I can compare the gestation period of a range of animals.</p> <p>I can describe the life cycles of common plants</p>	<p><b>Earth and Space</b></p> <p>I can name the 8 planets in the solar system.</p> <p>I can identify and explain the movement of the Earth relative to the sun</p> <p>I can explain how seasons and the associated weather is created</p> <p>I can identify and explain the movement of the moon relative to the Earth</p>	<p><b>Animals including humans (Reproduction)</b></p> <p>I can describe physical changes in the male and female human body during puberty.</p> <p>I can explore the work of well know naturalists (David Attenborough and Jane Goodall).</p> <p>I can describe how we define a mammal and how this relates to classification.</p>

	<p>I can describe and explain the process of respiration in humans and plants  I can describe the process of plant reproduction.  I can talk with knowledge about birth, reproduction and death of familiar animals or plants  I can develop simple keys to identify, classify and describe living things and materials.  I can record data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams, labels, classification keys, tables, bar and line graphs</p> <p><b>Properties and changes of materials</b>  I can test and group materials based on scientific evidence (hardness, solubility, transparency, conductivity, insulation, magnetism)  I can explain the process of dissolving  I can recover a substance from a solution  I can decide how a mixture would best be separated (filtering, sieving, evaporating)  I can give reasons for the uses of everyday materials based on scientific evidence  I can show what I know about the properties of different materials  I can use my knowledge of materials to suggest ways to classify (solids, liquids, gasses)  I can describe changes using scientific words (evaporation, condensation)  I can use the terms 'reversible' and 'irreversible'  I can raise different scientific questions and hypothesis.</p>	<p>I can explain the size, shape and position of the earth, sun and moon  I can explain how night and day are created and use diagrams to show this  I can explain how planets are linked to stars.  I can investigate shadows in relations to times of the day and explain why the sun appears to move across the sky.  I can describe the Earths rotation to explain day and night.</p> <p>I can raise different scientific questions and hypothesis.  I can use scientific language and diagrams to justify my ideas.</p> <p><b>Forces</b>  I can explain what gravity is and its impact on our lives  I can study the word of Galileo and Newton.  I can explain why a wheeled object that is initially pushed will slow down and stop  I can explain the impact of friction on a moving object  I can explain the effect of drag force on moving objects  I can explain how force and motion can be transferred through gears, pulleys, levers and springs  I can classify and group forces based on their actions or whether they act directly, at a distance.</p>	<p>I can describe the process of sexual reproduction in a familiar animal and why it is important for species survival.</p>
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	<p>I can plan and carry out a comparative and fair test.</p> <p>I can take measurements using a range of scientific equipment with increasing accuracy and precision.</p> <p>I can record data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams, labels, classification keys, tables, bar and line graphs.</p> <p>I can justify simple conclusions on a hypothesis. I can begin to recognise how scientific ideas can change over time. I can spell and pronounce scientific vocabulary accurately.</p>	<p>I can plan and carry out a comparative and fair test.</p> <p>I can take measurements using a range of scientific equipment with increasing accuracy and precision.</p> <p>I can use scientific language and diagrams to justify my ideas.</p> <p>I can spell and pronounce scientific vocabulary accurately.</p>	
Year 6	<p><b>Animals including humans</b></p> <p>I can identify and explain the function of the organs of the human circulatory system (heart, blood vessels, blood, blood pressure, clotting)</p> <p>I can identify and explain the function of the organs of the human gaseous exchange system (lungs, nose, throat, bronchi, bronchial tubes, diaphragm, ribs, breathing)</p> <p>I can name the major organs in the human body</p> <p>I can locate the major human organs</p> <p>I can make a diagram that outlines the main parts of a body</p> <p>I can recognise the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way our bodies function</p> <p>I can describe the ways in which nutrients and water are transported within the human body</p> <p>I can describe how the life cycles of bacteria and viruses differ.</p>	<p><b>Electricity</b></p> <p>I can identify and name the basic parts of a simple electric series circuit (cells, wires, bulbs, switches, buzzers)</p> <p>I can compare and give reasons for variation in how components function, including bulb brightness, buzzer volume and on/off position of switches</p> <p>I can explain how to make changes in a circuit</p> <p>I can explain the impact of changes in a circuit I can explain the effect of changing the voltage of a battery</p> <p>I can use recognized symbols when representing a circuit in a diagram</p> <p>I can select and plan the most suitable line of enquiry, explaining which variables need to be controlled and why, in a variety of comparative and fair tests.</p> <p>I can decide which observations to make using test results.</p>	<p><b>Light</b></p> <p>I can explain how light travels</p> <p>I can explain how the human eye sees objects</p> <p>I can explain how different colours of light can be created</p> <p>I can explain why shadows have the same shape as the objects that cast them</p> <p>I can identify different parts of the eye.</p> <p>I can classify a range of objects based on their reflective qualities.</p> <p>I can select and plan the most suitable line of enquiry, explaining which variables need to be controlled and why, in a variety of comparative and fair tests.</p>

### Evolution and inheritance

I can give reasons for why living things produce offspring of the same kind  
I can give reasons for why offspring are not identical with each other or with my parents  
I can explain the process of evolution and describe the evidence for this  
I can explain that fossils provide information about living things that inhabited the Earth millions of years ago  
I can begin to appreciate that variation in offspring over time can make animals more or less able to survive in particular environments  
I can talk about the life of Charles Darwin  
I can explain how fossils are formed and how fossil discoveries have helped develop the theory of evolution.

I can pose and select the most appropriate line of enquiry to investigate scientific questions.  
I can identify and explain patterns seen in the natural environment.  
I can identify and explain casual relationships in data and identify evidence that supports or refutes findings, selecting fact from opinion.  
I can discuss how scientific ideas develop over time.  
I can read, spell and pronounce scientific vocabulary.

### Living things and their Habitats

I can describe how living things are classified into broad groups according to common observable characteristics and based on similarities and differences, including micro-organisms, plants and animals.  
I can give reasons for classifying plants and animals based on specific characteristics.  
I can investigate whether yeast is a living organism.  
I can explain how microorganisms are grouped and classified.

I can classify plants using diagrams and labels.  
I can make a key to classify plants.  
I can use scientific evidence to support or refute ideas or arguments.  
I can sort and classify.  
I can plan different types of scientific enquiries to answer questions, including recognising and controlling variables where necessary.  
I can report and present findings from enquiries, including conclusions, causal relationships and explanations of and a degree.