

LSP Science Plans 2020-2021





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Intent

Our shared vision of the Principles for good teaching and learning in science.

Science teaching in our trust is great when...

> Working Scientifically Understanding the different types of enquiry Progression of skills Asking questions

Vision and Shared Culture

Our science curriculum aims to prepare children for the wider world. We strive to ensure that the lessons we deliver achieve the three aims of the science national curriculum so that pupils understand the science and have the skills to engage with the knowledge and recognise where it fits in the wider world. We believe in the curious child and encourage our children to ponder, ask questions and find out answers to big questions for themselves, reflecting on that which they have discovered. The knowledge they acquire is deepened through the use of essential scientific enquiry skills. We believe that through working scientifically our children will have a greater depth of understanding of the knowledge and will be the scientifically literate adults of the future.

Subject Expertise Understanding of: scientific concepts misconceptions vocabulary working scientifically PCK

Systems

Curriculum map Medium term plans Knowledge organisers Support and challenge (Differentiation through questioning - Bloom's) Assessment and Tracking - TAPs



KS1 Lesson Plans Year 1





Animals Inc	cluding Humans	Year 1 Term			
What are	What do teachers	How are we learning:			
we	need to know?	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment
learning:	Key learning	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
Humans	Humans have key	Introduction – Sing head shoulders	Children to individually		Children
Lesson 1:	parts in common,	knees and toes. What other parts of	create a model (e.g. play		meeting the
What parts	but these vary from	the body do we know?	dough or clay) of the		objective will
of the body	person to person.	Use TAPS lesson plan Y1 Body	human body and label		be able to:
can I		parts	the parts (head, neck,		Can explain
name?	WS focus: Use	https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curricul	arms, elbows, legs,		features of
	observations and	um-materials/assessment	knees, face, ears, eyes,		their body pa
	ideas to suggest	Children create models	hair, mouth, teeth).		and link to
	answers to				senses, e.g.,
	questions	Finish with game Simon says.	Label/match body names		can feel
			/ parts.		things with m
			Compare two children		legs.
			similarities / differences.		Children will
			In maths Measure		be able to
			heights of children using		label parts of
			non-standard measures.		their body on
			Create class graphs.		pictures and
					diagrams and
					make
					measuremen
					s of their
					bodies using
					non-standard
					measuremen
					s e.g. straws.
Lesson 2:	Humans (and other	Draw around a child and as a class	Children draw a picture of		Children able
What can	animals) find out	label. Focus on eyes/nose etc.	themselves and the body		to identify a
I	about the world		parts related to the		sense to



hear/touch	using their senses.	Discuss the senses and explain how	senses. Complete	explore
/	Humans have five	we use each sense.	concept sentences:	different
smell/tast	senses – sight,		provide vocab to make	things.
e/ see?	touch, taste, hearing	Carousel of activities for children to	sentences.	
	and smelling. Know	explore all the different senses.	I taste with	
	senses link to	Children to record their ideas.	I touch with	
	particular parts of		I smell with	
	the body.		I hear with	
			I see with	
			And draw pictures of	
			what they saw, heard felt	
			etc.	
Animals	Animals vary in	Assessment for learning (AfL) lesson	A4 paper divided into	
Lesson 3:	many ways having	 – finding out what animals they 	two:	
What	different structures	know.	Children draw pictures of	
animals	e.g. wings, tails,	Plenary - Look at pictures children	animals in the two groups	
will we	ears etc. They also	have drawn and add any group that	those around the school	
see	have different skin	is perhaps missing e.g. amphibians	 others that they know. 	
around	coverings e.g.	if necessary. Start identifying the		
our	scales, feathers,	animals to their groups.		
school?	hair.			
What				
other	Children know key			
animals	features identify			
do I	them.			
know?				



	Drovido pictures of the reason of	Children abacca two	Ch ildre a
			Children
		5	should be
		5	able to name
	•	they are different.	a range of
			animals
	mammals.	This animal This animal	including
	Activity children choose two and	has: has:	animals from
	describe similarities and differences	They both have:	the different
	of animals focussing on features of		vertebrate
	animals		groups.
	Plenary – draw out features		They should
			be able to
			describe the
			key features
	· · ·		of these
	• •		named
			animals.
			animais.
Animals opt cortain		What animals did you	The children
	•	-	should be
	0	see? what did they eat?	
-			able to
•		0	describe what
			a range of
animals.	5	e ,	animals eat
		know they eat.	using
	of the visit / visitor. Discuss whether		information
	the animal ate plants, meat or both.		learned from
	Discuss other examples they know		secondary
	of e.g. their pets. You do not need to		sources e.g.
	use the correct terms omnivore etc.		zookeeper,
			pet owner.
	Animals eat certain things - some eat other animals, some eat plants, some eat both plants and animals.	describe similarities and differences of animals Plenary – draw out features A bird has feathers. A bird has feathers. A fish has A snake has (Children might not know that it is a reptile) Plenary – Explorify Tip the scales Odd one out https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/a ctivities/odd-one-out/tip-the-scalesAnimals eat certain things - some eat other animals, some eat plants, some eat both plants and 	Animals eat certain things - some eat other animals.animals that the children drew in the previous lesson Make sure that there are examples of fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals.animals and say how they are similar / or how they are similar / or how they are different.Activity children choose two and describe similarities and differences of animals focussing on features of animalsThis animal has:Activity children choose two and describe similarities and differences of animals focussing on features of animalsThis animal has:Plenary - draw out features A bird has feathers. A fish has A snake has (Children might not know that it is a reptile) Plenary - Explorify Tip the scales Odd one out https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/a ctivities/odd-one-out/tip-the-scalesWhat animals did you see? What did they eat?Animals eat certain things - some eat other animals, some eat plants, some eat both plants and animals.Visit to a zoo/animal park etc. to increase the range of animals and to focus on examples the children give of the animals they observed and what it ate based on their evidence of the visit / visitor. Discuss whether the animal ate plants, meat or both. Discuss other examples they know of e.g. their pets. You do not need toWhat animals



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Lesson 7:	Use TAPS lesson	Give children a small selection of	Children sort toys into	Children
What	plan Y1 Animal	pictures or plastic toys of different	different groups based on	meeting the
have I	classification	creatures from all of the different	the learning from the unit.	objective will
learned?	Focus assess WS:	animal groups. Children to identify		be able to
Can I sort	sorting and	and classify into fish, amphibian,		name a
the	classifying	reptile, bird and mammal and		variety of
animals	https://pstt.org.uk/re	explain why they belong to that		common
into	sources/curriculum-	group. Prompt children to name		animals. Uses
different	materials/assessme	animals and discuss their choices.		observations
groups?	<u>nt</u>	Using a prepared chart, children sort		to classify into
		under the headings fish, amphibian,		given
		reptile, bird and mammal. Using		scientific
		mammals only, identify one example		groupings and
		that is a carnivore, a herbivore and		can explain
		an omnivore.		how they are
		Either take photo of classifying or		similar.
		stick pictures onto template		



Everyday M	aterials	Year 1 Term			
What are we	What do teachers need to know?	How are we learning: Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment
learning:	Key learning	5 1			
Lesson 1: What can you tell me about these objects?	AfL Elicitation task All objects are made of one or more materials. Children know objects are made from different materials e.g. plastic, metal or wood. Some children may think: - Only fabrics are materials - Only building materials are materials - Solid is another word for hard	Selection of items on carpet (wood, plastic, glass, metal, water and rock) make sure there is also a glass filled with water. Children could describe the glass and water.	Children choose an object and describe, encourage a range of vocabulary without providing the specific words.	Spoons of different materials, cups of different materials. Also rocks, paper, wool etc.	Can the child name a variety of objects? Children can name each material and each object and the material it is made of? Do they use any words to describe the properties? You are looking to assess any gaps and then focus on them.
Lesson 2: What materials can we find around our school?		Go on a materials treasure hunt around the school. Walk around the school (inside and/or outside) on a 'Materials Hunt'. Play game can you find something made of metal? Wood? Rock? If they have not identified a range of things.	Children use a digital camera to take pictures of objects. Children record the names of the objects and materials they are made of. Possibility of making a class materials scrap book. Consider materials the school is made from. Create a page of metal objects, a	Cameras	



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		Name that object: Point to something the child names as the child says the name of the material for each object.	page of plastic etc. filled with the children's drawings / photos.		
Lesson 3: To explore materials that have been washed up on the beach? How could you describe the objects in the bag? How could you sort	Describe materials by their properties e.g. shiny, stretchy, rough etc. Some materials e.g. plastic can be in different forms with very different properties	 Show a picture of objects washed up the beach. Discuss. Share items that you found on the beach that are in your bag of things you collected. Listen to how the children describe the materials and show corresponding flash cards. Introduce new vocabulary if needed, bendy, stretchy etc. Encourage the children to sort the materials in a way of their choosing. How did they sort them? Based on ASE idea: 	Children name objects and find corresponding flash card. Children name the material for each object. Children find the corresponding flash card. Children to identify and sort collection of materials. Can others guess how they sorted the objects? Record their sorting photos, drawings etc.	Carrier bag of suitable objects that may have been found on the beach: sunglasses, rubber duck, pebbles, pencil, paper, lollypop stick etc.	Children should be able to describe the properties of different materials.
the objects?		https://www.ase.org.uk/resources/float ing-ducks	Capture their learning by writing concept sentences using new vocabulary. Use flash cards etc. The is bendy. The is rough etc.		
Lesson 4: Which of the	This is the TAPS WS assessment task	TAPS Floating & Sinking https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculu m-materials/assessment	Children could use a prepared template to record findings or make up one of	Fish tank of water – variety of	Children meeting the objective will
materials found at the beach will float / sink?	Children will need to explore and test different materials to determine their properties. WS focus to assess:	Use the materials washed up on the beach and set the children the task of discovering which of the materials they have looked at would float / sink. How will they find out? Children can carry out a simple test and describe what they find out through grouping	their own. Children to choose an object and describe its properties, then make a prediction about whether it will float or sink. Children to test the object and record findings.	materials as above.	be able to: Carry out a simple test and describe what they find out through
	Perform simple	the materials according to whether			grouping the



r					
	tests to compare	they float or sink. WS Perform simple			materials
	and group	tests and sort -			according to
		Identifying and classifying Assess the			whether they
		children's ability to achieve this			float or sink.
		objective.			
Lesson 5:		Introduction - Which is the odd one	Children can describe e.g.		Can the child
How would		out? Why?	wood and then a material of		name a
you		https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/acti	their choice using scientific		variety of
describe		vities/odd-one-out/unusual-	vocabulary.		objects?
this		houses/classroom			
material?		Main activity- Hot seating activity,			Children say
		where the class teacher (and then the			what material
		children) pretend to be a material and			the objects
		the children have to ask questions			are made of?
		about its properties in order to identify			
		and name the material.			Do they use
		Children record their ideas.			any words to
		Plenary – What if every material was			describe their
		stretchy / rigid? What if all your			properties?
		clothes were shiny?			
		https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/acti			
		vities/what-if/every-material-was-			
		<u>stretchy</u>			
Lesson 6:	Children will need to	What is the best material for an	Children to plan and carry	Variety of	Children will
What is	explore and test	umbrella? TAPS Y2 Waterproof	out a simple test to measure	materials: tin	be able to
the best	different materials to	materials Umbrella planning	the waterproofness of	foil, fabric	use their test
materials	determine their	https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculu	different materials – groups	etc.,	evidence to
for lining a	properties.	m-materials/assessment	can try different ways to	beakers,	answer a
dog		Provide a collection of different types	answer the question.	pipettes	question
basket/	WS focus to assess:	of materials. Discuss which could be			about the
making a	Ask simple	the 'best' material – draw out that			properties of
party hat?	questions and	need to know best for what. Today we			the material.
or any	recognising that	want to know the 'best' for waterproof			Children will
similar	they can be	coat/umbrella/cover for summer fair			know the
question		cakes etc. – choose appropriate			best material



for them to	answered in	context. Pupils discuss how to	for an
test.	different ways	compare how waterproof the different	umbrella
		materials are, for example:	based on
		 Drip water onto the material 	their test.
		Pour water onto the material	
		 Wrap up a cotton ball in the 	
		material & put into water	
		Alternatively, Save the dinosaur	
		waterproofing investigation.	
		https://www.science-sparks.com/save-	
		the-dinosaur-waterproofing-	
		investigation/	
Lesson 7:		Quiz to assess their learning.	
What have		Teacher reads question child	
I learned in		says/writes/draws answer/or selects	
this topic?		most appropriate flash card e.g.	
·		1. Name/tell me three materials.	
		2. Name/select a material that is	
		shiny etc.	



Plants Year 1 Term					
What are	What do teachers	How are we learning:			
we learning:	need to know? Key learning	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment
Lesson 1: What plants do I know?			Children to draw pictures of plants they know? Children to say the names of any plants that they know – list them.		Children's responses will provide teachers with gaps in their knowledge to extend.
Lesson 2a: What trees and plants are around our school?	Growing locally, there will be a vast array of plants, which all have specific names. These can be identified by looking at the key	Outside - Go on a treasure hunt around the school and spot the variety of different plants/trees. Collect the leaves from different trees/plants and take them back to the classroom.	Outside - Welly walk – noticing observing, taking photos, collecting leaves.	Magnifying glasses	Children meeting the objective will be able to observe closely and
Lesson 2b: What do you notice	characteristics of the plant	Inside - Describe the leaves, talk about the shape and features of the leaves. Use TAPS lesson plan Y1 Leaf	Inside - Make observational drawings of the leaves.		can draw a leaf outline accurately
about these trees / plants?	WS: Observing closely using simple equipment	looking. https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum- materials/assessment Identify similarities and differences between	Children sort leaves based on different characteristics of the leaves.		and show hairs/veins when present.
		leaves. How are these leaves the same/different? Plenary Read book: 'Leaf Man' by Lois Ehlert or Explorify - odd, one out	Make leaf rubbings and specify from what tree their leaf has come from. Can also make a class picture/collage using the		
		https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi ties/odd-one-out/types-of-leaves	leaves children have collected		
Lesson 3: Can you spot that plant?		Based on activity 2 of the Great Plant Hunt <u>file:///C:/Users/Allie%20Beaumont/Down</u> <u>loads/Lookouts-Activity2.pdf</u>	Children to make observational drawings and describe the plants they have found for a class book.	Identikit photos/cards of named plants in the local	They should be able to find and name the plants they find using a



Being able		http://www.greatplanthunt.org/yeargroup		environment.	simple chart.
to identify a		<u>-1</u>		This can	Children
specific		Possibility of using identikit cards from		include trees.	should be
tree / plant		GPH and children find the plant that			able to name
using a		they have been given. Alternatively, the			at least 3
picture /		teacher takes photos of some plants in			plants and
clues.		the surrounding environment. The			trees in their
		teacher names these plants and the			surroundings
		children have to find the plant. Choose			that they see
		plants for the children to find that they			regularly.
		do not know so expanding their			They should
		knowledge.			be able to
		Plenary – Explorify - odd one out			describe
		https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi			these
		ties/odd-one-out/winter-scenes			plants/trees
					identifying key
					features e.g.
					shape of
					leaves, colour
					of flower.
Lesson 4:	Some trees keep their	Children/class to adopt a tree and keep	Photographs/drawings	cameras	Children
How does	leaves all year while	an eye on it throughout the seasons.			should be
this tree	other trees drop their	What changes can they observe? Take	Noticing similarities and		able to point
change	leaves during autumn	a photograph of the children and the	differences – making		out trees that
through the	and grow them again	tree at various times of the year. The	drawings/rubbings -		lose their
year?	during spring	children should say what they notice.	identifying the differences –		leaves during
		Then compare to previous photos. What	key features.		the year and
		is similar/different?	This tree has		those that
			This tree has		kept them the
		At end of unit use Explorify video			whole year.
		What's going on	Discussion		They should
		https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi			be able to use
		ties/whats-going-on/seasons			photographs
					to talk about
					how
					plants/tress
	•			•	••



					change over time.
Lesson 5: Does the tree with largest trunk have the largest leaves?		One way of investigating this is:-: Children use string to measure around different trees in their surroundings. (Three trees) Cut the string to size. Order which tree has the largest trunk? Look at the leaves from these different trees. Order them according to size. Again, can use string or simply place on top of each other. Is the biggest leaf from the tree with the biggest trunk?	Children order string/leaves. Talk about what they notice. Can they order the sizes? Can they determine a relationship? This is a challenging question.	String	
Lesson 6: What are the different parts of a plant?	This is the WS focussed assessment task WS LO Observing closely using simple equipment TAPS PLAN Plant structure TAPS Activity: Plant structure <u>https://pstt.org.uk/reso</u> <u>urces/curriculum-</u> <u>materials/assessment</u> Plants have common parts, but they vary between the different types of plants.	Bring in a plant from home (dig a weed up) and observe the different parts. Identify the different parts and show flash cards flowers, stem, leaves and roots. Look at two different plants: e.g. Dandelion, daisy, Shepherd's purse What is the same/different? Plenary: Sing: Flowers, stem, leaves and roots (heads, shoulders, knees and toes tune)	Children talk about, point and name the different parts of their plant. They can draw pictures of their plant and label it for evidence of achieving objective		Can describe and point to the basic structure of a plant and a tree using scientific language, e.g. leaves, flowers, petals, fruit, roots, bulb, seed, trunk, branch, stem. May begin to explain what the different parts of the plant are needed for.



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Lesson 7: Is a tree a plant?		Refresh the parts of a plant. Think about a tree. Teacher to quickly draw a plant and label the parts now ask children to draw a tree. Discuss similarities. Roots stem/trunk leaves. Look at flowers. Does a tree have flowers? Show pictures of trees in flower. Therefore, trees are very similar to flowering plants. They are plants. Children can use junk materials to create a plant or tree P.14-15 Parts of a plant and their functions booklet https://www.saps.org.uk/attachments/art icle/1373/SAPS%20book%201%20- %202016.pdf Plenary – look at a variety of seeds. What are they? Where do they come from?	Children create junk pictures of plants either tree or plant.		
Lesson 8: What happens to the seed when I plant it?	Use either Sunflower seeds or beans.	Use Eric Carle's book the tiny seed.	Children observe their seed growing over time and take photos. Give the children a sequence of photos to order.		Can they order them and talk about the changes in the plant as it grows referring to the different parts of the plant?
Lesson 9 What have I learned?			Allow children to look back at the pictures of the plants that they drew at the beginning of the topic. Can they add to their list of plants that they can name in the surrounding areas? Encourage them to annotate their pictures with		



			words that they have learnt.		
			Leaves, stem roots, etc.		
) and an materials from DLAN knowledge metrices, https://www.planappergement.com/plan.knowledge.metrices					



Seasonal	Changes

Year 1 Term (Topic to be implemented as a longitudinal study – over the course of the year.)

What are	What do teachers	How are we learning:			
we	need to know?	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment
learning:	Key learning				
Lesson 1:	WS focus for the unit	Use TAPS lesson plan – Y1 seasonal	Initial assessment – children		
What do	 gather and record 	change.	to make drawings of each of		
you know	data to help in	https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum-	season independent activity-		
about the	answering	materials/assessment	adult to scribe.		
seasons?	questions.				
Lesson 2:	In the UK, the day	Collect the weather for a week	The child could make		
What is the	length is longest at	Throughout the year the children should	drawings; take photos of		
weather like	mid-summer (about	take the weather for one week in each	things they notice.		
today?	16 hours) and gets	season, choosing an appropriate			
	shorter each day until	symbol to represent the weather. The			
September	mid-winter (about 8	teacher should keep this record. Once			
	hours) before getting	the weather data has been collected for			
	longer again.	the four seasons, the children can look			
	The weather also	at the differences.			
	changes with the				
	seasons. In the UK, it	Setting the scene. Go on a 'welly walk'			
	is usually colder and	to the same place, observe some trees -			
	rainier in winter, and	ensure that on your walk you observe a			
	hotter and dryer in the	deciduous and an evergreen tree. Look			
	summer.	at the signs of the season, make			
		collections, and take photos. Identify			
		and take photos of each tree and the			
		signs of the season. Record the			
		temperature on your walk. Adult scribe			
		comments from children.			
		Links to plants unit of work lesson 4			



Lesson 3: Note: Lesson has the same focus as lesson you notice about Link to lesson 2 plants unit – focus on leaves – identifying similarities and differences. You notice about you notice about you notice about about these 2 plants. Link to lesson 2 plants unit – focus on leaves – identifying similarities and differences. You notice about about about these 2 plants. Praw out Autumnal features: falling leaves, from different plants/trees. Collect the leaves, tak about take them back to the classroom. Focus on leaves – identifying similarities and differences. October October, changing colours, dew on grass, temperature, clothing Inside - Describe the leaves, talk about the shape and features of the leaves. Inside - Describe the leaves. Use TAPS lesson plan Y1 Leaf looking. Note: Lesson 4: Ws observing closely Similarities and differences between leaves. How are these leaves the same/different? Eaves. How are these leaves the same/different? Lesson 4: The change in weather causes many weather Children to collect more detailed data and record the weather over a week. In this week they should/could make a rain gauge and collect rainfall to see which was the wettest day and/or a bubble Create a class diary monitoring the weather for a week.	
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outside; seed and take a bubble to travel across the	
plant growth; leaves playground.	
on trees; and type of	
clothes worn by	
people.	
Lesson 5: WS focus gather and Look at the data collected for the week	
What was record data to help in (Last week) and make into class	
the answering questions. pictograms.	
weather Use the data to draw conclusions.	
like last	
week?	
November	



Lesson 6:		Collect the weather for a week. Go on	Children write winter acrostic	
How is the		a 'welly walk' to the same place,	poems.	
weather		observe some trees - ensure that on		
different		your walk you observe a deciduous and	Using a body template and	
from when		an evergreen tree. Look at the signs of	templates of clothing the	
we started		the season, make collections, and take	children can select the most	
school?		photos. Identify and take photos of	appropriate clothing to wear	
Is it cold		each tree and the signs of the season.	at this time of year.	
outside		Record the temperature on your walk.		
what		Adult scribe comments from children.		
should I		Draw out features of winter: bare trees,		
wear?		hard ground, lack of plants,		
December		temperature, and clothing.		
Lesson 7:	Link to lesson 3	Do we see as many animals in this		
What	Animals unit.	season? Discuss hibernating animals		
animals will		and migrating birds. Use books as		
l see		stimulus to support.		
around the				
school?				
How do the				
animals				
adapt to				
the				
changing				
seasons?				
January				
Lesson 8:		Collect the weather for a week		
What is the		Look for signs of spring: buds on trees,		
weather		new growth, blossom, bird song, grass,		
like today?		warmth, temperature, and clothing.		
How have				
the trees				
changed?		Go on a 'welly walk' to the same place,		
		observe some trees - ensure that on		
		your walk you observe a deciduous and		
March		an evergreen tree. Look at the signs of		
		each season and make collections and		



		take photos. Identify and take photos of		
		each tree and the signs of the season.		
		Record the temperature on your walk.		
		Adult scribe comments from children.		
Lesson 9:	Link to plants unit of	Collect the weather for a week. Look		
What	work	for signs of summer: full trees, colours,		
plants are		mini beasts, wild flowers, temperature,		
there		clothing		
around our		Go on a 'welly walk' to the same place,		
school?		observe some trees - ensure that on		
What are		your walk you observe a deciduous and		
the signs of		an evergreen tree. Look at the signs of		
summer?		teach season and make collections and		
		take photos. Identify and take photos of		
Summer		each tree and the signs of the season.		
		Record the temperature on your walk.		
		Adult scribe comments from children.		
Lesson 10:	WS focus for the unit	Look at the 4 charts of weather		Children
	 gather and record 	collected in the different seasons. Talk		meeting the
	data to help in	about the differences. What are the		objective will
	answering questions	features of the different seasons?		be able to:
		Assessment of knowledge (July)		Observe
		Children to use a photocopy of the		record and
		elicitation to add new knowledge,		describe
		include comparisons and descriptions.		changes in
		Share with a partner.		plants,
		Compare the weekly weather charts		temperature
		and discuss the changes and how it		and the
		made you feel and how it affects the		weather
		seasons.		across the
				four seasons.



Year 1/ Year A Science Progression in Skills and Knowledge

NC Knowledge	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
Autumn 1 and 2: Animals including humans		
 identify and name a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals identify and name a variety of common animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores describe and compare the structure of a variety of common animals (fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals, including pets) identify, name, draw and label the basic parts of the human body and say which part of the body is associated with each sense 		
Spring 1 and 2: Everyday materials		
 distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water, and rock describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of their simple physical properties. 		
Summer 1: Plants		
 identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants, including deciduous and evergreen trees identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including trees. 		
Summer 2: Seasonal changes		
 observe changes across the four seasons observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies. 		



Year 1/ Year A Science Progression in Skills and Knowledge

Y1/2 Working Scientifically:	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
 asking simple questions and recognising that they can be answered in different ways 		
 observing closely, using simple equipment 		
performing simple tests		
 identifying and classifying 		
 using their observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions 		
 gathering and recording data to help in answering questions 		



KS1 Lesson Plans Year 2





Animals Including Humans

Year 2 Term

What are	What do teachers	How are we learning:				
we learning:	need to know? Key learning	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment	
Lesson 1: What do I know?			KWL grid: What do I know about 'Growing up healthily?' What do I want to find out about?			
Lesson 2: Growing up. Are you my mummy? Do all babies look like their parents?	Animals, including humans, have offspring, which grow into adults. In humans and some animals, these offspring will be young, such as babies or kittens that grow into adults.	Use the book Monkey Puzzle by Julia Donaldson as a starter for this lesson. Plenary: Also, use photos of a baby, child, teenager, adult to discuss similarities and differences.	Children match the animal with their offspring. Research one animal of their choice, draw, and annotate pictures to show the stages of growth using key vocabulary offspring, young, old etc. Use this for the plenary discussion. Do all babies look like their parents?	Pictures of animals and their offspring to match	Children should be able to describe how animals, including humans have offspring which grow into adults, using the appropriate names for the stages.	
Lesson 3: Can you describe the lifecycle of an animal?	In other animals, such as chickens or insects, there may be eggs laid that hatch to young or other stages, which then grow, to adults. The young of some animals do not look	Use book: Who am I? By Judith Nicholls Lifecycle of a frog. It would be great if the class had tadpoles and watched their lifecycle. Use be safe book to know protocol of animals in the classroom and draw / make a comic strip annotating the different stages. Observation over time enquiry.	Make a comic strip to show stages of growth of a caterpillar / frog.	Frogspawn Pupae of caterpillar pupa	They should be able to describe the lifecycles of some animals.	



	like their parents e.g. tadpoles.				
Lesson 4: What does a puppy / baby need to survive?	All animals, including humans, have the basic needs of feeding; drinking and breathing that must be satisfied in order to survive.	Invite a pet owner / new mum into the school to talk about looking after the baby / puppy etc. Prior to this teacher has given time for the children to come up with questions to ask the pet owner / new mum. Invite children who have a pet to say what their pets need. Develop common understanding that all animals have basic needs of water, food, air, shelter.	Children ask questions to find out about the basic needs of the baby / puppy etc. Children create a pet owner's guide detailing what they have learnt.	Visitor	They should be able to show what they know about looking after a baby animal.
Lesson 5: How can I stay healthy?	Good hygiene is important in preventing infections and illnesses.	Link to PSHE Healthy Me. Healthy Living Week. \record this learning in their science books. How do germs spread?	How do germs spread? Use glitter glue on children's hands and see how it spreads. Then get them to wash their hands properly. Write instructions for washing hands and explain why important.		They should be able to explain why it is important to be clean.
Lesson 6: What is a healthy meal?	To grow into healthy adults, they also need the right amounts and types of food and exercise.	Look at different foods and how the children have sorted them. Discuss a healthy diet based on government NHS <u>Eatwell</u> guide. Is my school lunch healthy? Explorify Fuel up odd one out <u>https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/a</u> <u>ctivities/odd-one-out/fuel-up</u>	Pictures of different foods that the children can sort in different ways. Provide a plate and ask children to draw a healthy meal based on Eatwell guide.	Pictures of different foods	They should be able to name foods in each section of the NHS <u>Eatwell</u> guide.
Lesson 7:		Carry out a class survey of exercise that the children enjoy doing at the weekend / after school e.g. cycling,	Each child should draw a picture of an activity that they regularly participate in		They should be able to explain why



What	swimming, ball games, running,	on a post it. Make a class	it is
exercise	horse riding!	pictogram. Draw their own	important for
do I do?	Create a class pictogram and then	bar charts in their books	humans to
	children can draw bar charts of	and draw conclusions from	exercise.
	results. Discuss why we carry out	the data.	
	these activities. Children should		
	answer questions about the graph.		
	Plenary: What happens to our body		
	when we exercise?		
Lesson 8:		Complete KWL grids.	
What do I			
know			
about			
growing			
up			
healthily?			



Ileas of Errow		
Uses of Every	/day	Materials

Year 2 Term

What are	What do teachers need	How are we learning:				
we to know? learning: Key learning		Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity Resource		Assessment	
Lesson 1: What is in the bag?		Use a feely bag with a variety of objects in. Children have to describe the object thinking about its properties. Once revealed the children describe what it is and what is it made of. Revision of Y1. All feedback will be oral.		Feely bag with a variety of objects in.	Assess achievement of Y1 objectives.	
How can I find out the answer to my question?	WS focus assessment Ask questions. Teachers' respond to questions about materials in different ways.	 Provide children with spinners: Spinner one - picture of different materials: fabric, water, plastic, wood, sand, brick Spinner two - question stems: What happens when, do, does, are, what, how can etc. Children take turns and make up questions about the object. 	Children play the spinners game and make different questions, recording one question of their choice. On a post it children write down one question. In groups, children sort the questions according to how they think they will be able to answer the question. i.e. look - book – test On a post-it, the children should record how their question e.g., I can find out the answer to my question by	Spinners Post-its	Assess ability of children to ask questions (using question stems). Children understand each question can have a different answer.	
Lesson 2: What materials have been used to build a car/bike	Children went on a materials hunt around their school in Y1; therefore, you may not want to choose the school.	Bring in a bike and discuss the different parts of the bike: mirrors, wheels, bell, frame, seat, etc. Teacher to explain how the materials are made. Teachers' draw out why? Explain the properties of each material. Explain how the materials are suited to their use.	Child has picture of bike / car in book and then selects different parts of the car to consider. Pupil can record findings in a prepared table:	Bike	Children should be able to name an object. Children able to say what material the	



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etc. and why?	Explain all objects are made of one or more materials specifically chosen because they are suitable for the task. For example, a water bottle is made of plastic because it is transparent allowing you to see the drink inside and waterproof so that it holds the water.	Plenary – safety when bike riding. Show a picture of a cyclist wearing a reflective jacket. Describe the picture. Leads into the next lesson reflective materials.	Material Properties Why it is used?		objects are made from. Children able to identify the properties of the material and state why it is used.
Lesson 3: What material would make the best reflective jacket?	When choosing what to make an object from, compare the properties needed with the properties of the materials, identified through simple tests and classifying activities. A material can be suitable for different purposes and an object can be made of different materials. Assess WS skill: Performing simple tests sorting and classifying	Show image of cyclist wearing a reflective jacket. Why are they wearing this jacket? Provide a variety of materials to test and sort based on their reflective properties e.g. Tin foil, black paper/cling film, water, windows, etc. TAPS example Y1 Ways to test reflectiveness <u>https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum- materials/assessment</u>	Children consider how to test the materials to find out which are the most reflective and would make the best reflective jacket. Children carry out the test and record the results: Some sorting into most reflective least reflective. Others sorting into reflective, not reflective. A simple conclusion to be written to suggest a reason why it is reflective or not.	Variety of materials to test, torches	Children meeting the objective will be able to carry out a simple test to determine reflectiveness of material and sort or order the materials from most to the least reflective and explain how the test helped them decide on this sequence. May suggest what property of the material causes the reflectiveness.



Lesson 4:	Create waterproof material – investigate	Children perform a simple	Jam, glue,	Assess
Who is	painting on jam, glue, paint etc. on Jay	test to assess children's	paint etc. on	whether the
John	cloth.	ability to plan an	Jay cloths.	children can
Dunlop /	https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum-	investigation into which	Water	ask a
Charles	materials/sotsog	material would make the	beakers	question and
Macintosh	<u>Inatorialo, cotoog</u>	best waterproof coat.	pipettes	know how to
or John				go about
McAdam?		Macintosh Test.		answering it.
How did				
Charles		Children carry out the		
Macintosh		investigation and answer the		
create a		question. How did Charles		
waterproof		Macintosh create a		
coat?		waterproof coat?		
Lesson 5:	Good choices activity based on	Recoding of game:	Spinners	Good
Is this a	paperclip spinners. Made you look,			assessment
good	made you think, and made you talk.	Object		activity to
choice?	Gaynor Weavers.			determine
	Children have two spinners – One has	Material		whether the
	different materials on (wood, plastic,			children
	metal etc.). The other spinner has	Properties		Identify and
	objects on (kettle, umbrella, jumper etc.)			compare the
	Child spins the spinner and then says	Good		suitability of
	whether it is sensible or not sensible.	choice?		everyday
		Why?		materials
				including
				wood, metal
				etcfor
				particular
				uses.



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Lesson 6:	Start with an explorify activity looking at		Bags with	Whilst
Can you	for example squashy materials.		squashy	changing the
make a	https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi		bendy	shape of an
playdough	ties/mystery-bag/changing-shape		materials	object the
duck?				children
	Then use the Book: Made you look.			should be
	Made you think. Made you talk. P.89	The children should draw		able to
	Make me a duck. Use a dice to	their creation/take a photo		describe the
	determine force used e.g. push and pull.	and annotate it with the		action used.
	Roll the dice corresponding number is	vocabulary they used. How	Playdough	
	an action push, pull twist etc. Children	did you mould and shape the	and dice. 1	
	use this action on the playdough and	playdough?	set for each	
	take it in turns to make a duck.		group.	
Lesson 7:	World Record Curly wurly stretching!	Provide children with 26g of	Curly wurly,	
How far		playdough / Blu Tac and	Blu Tac	
can you	https://world-records.org/longest-curly-	challenge them to match the		
stretch a	wurly-stretching/	world record. Link with maths		
curly		and focus on accurate		
wurly?		measuring.		
Lesson 8;	Set a problem-solving activity that will	Children make the	Junk	Final
Final	draw together all the children's	construction and label the	Materials/	assessment
assessmen	knowledge form this unit based on	materials they have used and	fabrics etc.	of children's
t	explorify:	why.		knowledge of
	https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi			the content
Can you	ties/problem-solvers/at-home-on-mars			objectives.
make a	or DfE example (Making a kite):			
	https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/			
What	government/uploads/system/uploads/att			
materials	achment_data/file/763062/2018_key_st			
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Plants	Plants Year 2 Term						
What are	What do teachers	How are we learning:					
we	need to know?	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment		
learning:	Key learning						
Lesson 1: What do we know about plants?	AfL Elicitation task		KWL grid. What do I know, What do I want to know, What have I learnt about seeds, bulbs and plants? Finish the sentence: What do seeds need to start growing?				
Lesson 2: How are seeds and bulbs similar/ different? What is	It would be good if the collection of seeds / bulbs the children observed included the seed that they planted in Y1. Can they spot this seed?	Provide the children with a collection of seeds and bulbs to observe using magnifying glasses. Notice similarities and differences. Use the great plant hunt teacher's booklet resource: <u>http://www.greatplanthunt.org/yeargroup</u> -2 sorting and sprouting P.10 Sorting Plenary. What is inside a seed/bulb?	Children make observational drawings of their seeds and sort the collection.	Variety of seeds and bulbs, e.g. sunflower bean sycamore daffodil onion tulip and, magnifying	Children should be able to spot similarities and differences between bulbs and seeds.		
inside a bulb / seed?		Collect children's ideas. Then using a visualizer show them <u>a seed</u> /bulb you have cut in half to find the 'baby' plant inside the seed/bulb.		glasses.			
Lesson 3: What will this seed / bulb grow into?	Plants may grow from either seeds or bulbs. These then germinate and grow into seedlings, which then continue to grow into	Introduction: Refer back to Y1 where children planted a seed (Sunflower / Bean) and watched it grow. Can they remember and pick out the seed / adult plant from the pictures they have?	Children match the picture or actual seed / bulb to the adult plant.	sunflower, bean, sycamore daffodil onion tulip	Use graphic organiser to collate similarities and differences.		
How long will it take to grow?	mature plants. These mature plants may have flowers, which then develop into seeds, berries, fruits etc.	Main part – Plant a seed / bulb and children make a diary observing its growth over time. E.g. Amaryllis bulb. Mung beans (seed)	Record the growth of the plant over time. Compare and contrast the bulb and the seed. Create cartoon comic strips.	Amaryllis bulb Mung beans			



Lesson 4/5:	Seeds and bulbs are planted outside at particular times of year. Seeds and bulbs will germinate and grow at different rates. This is the focussed	Plenary – watch time-lapse plant growth video clip and discuss. Explorify shooting sprouts <u>https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi</u> <u>ties/whats-going-on/shooting-sprouts</u>	Observe and record the	Pre grown	Children
What do plants need to grow healthily? Investigate: - light temperatur e water	assessment task for this term: Observe closely, using simple equipment Keep it simple – allow different groups to investigate different things but basically water/no water, light/no light warmth/ cold Amalgamate results.	plants, discuss what children think these plants could need to keep healthy. Use TAPS lesson PLAN Y2 Growth https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum- materials/assessment Also great plant hunt teacher's booklet resource: http://www.greatplanthunt.org/yeargroup -2 Sprouting P.10 Sorting	appearance of the plants (drawing or annotated photo) and compare the heights of the plants.	plants Basil.	achieving the objective will observe and record the appearance of the plants (drawing or annotated photo) and compare the heights of the plants. Use findings to suggest how healthy plants are and suggest reasons.
Lesson 6: What happens if I plant seeds / bulbs upside down? Will they grow?	Some plants are better suited to growing in full sun and some grow better in partial or full shade. Plants also need different amounts of water and space to grow well and stay healthy	Planting different seeds / bulbs and making observations. Use concept cartoon <u>Upside down</u> <u>seeds:</u>	Children plant a range of seeds and observe growth.		Children should be able to describe how plants they have grown from seeds or bulbs have developed over time. They should



Lesson 7: Do bigger seeds grow into a bigger plant?	This is an opportunity to carry out a pattern- seeking enquiry. It is not a fair test because we cannot control all the variables.	the childre plant and it the right the seeds biggest. S medium / after a per growth. So Smallest / class scat pattern. Class scat Biggest seed Mediu m sized seed	en should nurture, n condition and decid fort them a large seed riod of tim ort again a medium / ter gram t	e measure according t / tallest. Cr to see if the	a seed to e they give h. Look at re the o small / ne seeds – the plant o growth. eate a	Children to make observations of their seeds and a general conclusion about plants.	be aware of the different requirements of plants for growth. Some children might just compare their plant to another child's, some may be able to understand the bigger picture of the class scattergram and decide whether there is a pattern.
			x 5 – 10 cm growth small	11 – 15 cm growth	16- 20cm growth tall		
Lesson 8: What have I learned?				1		Go back to KWL grid children fill in what they have learnt about plants. Provide question - What do seeds need to start growing?	Children complete the question given. Is their answer different to the beginning of the unit?



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Year 2 Term

What are	What do teachers	How are we learning:					
we	need to know?	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment		
learning:	Key learning						
Lesson 1: Outside, what plants and animals might I find? What is a habitat?	Animals and plants live in a habitat, to which they are suited, which means that animals have suitable features that help them move and find food and plants have suitable features that help them to grow well. The habitat provides the basic	AfL - Class discussion prior to going outside to gather initial ideas of what they might find and where. Allow the children to find things that interest them outside. In class, share their findings. Introduce the word habitat explaining that this is where an animal/plant lives. Plenary:	Initial exploration of a habitat. Have a class discussion about what was found and the habitat it was found in.				
	needs of the animals and plants – shelter, food and water	What is essential in a habitat? Shelter, food and warmth. What would happen if we did not have these things?					
Lesson 2: What habitats are around our school grounds? What plants and animals live in these habitats?	Identify 3 different habitats around the school for children to explore. E.g. flower bed/corner of the playground/under a log	What habitats are around our school? Collate these. Children then carry out a survey of the different habitats – collating findings. Gather and record findings in a table according to what they can see, hear, smell feel. Recapping senses learnt in KS1. Based on Smart Hunt lesson. <u>https://www.pstt- cpd.org.uk/ext/cpd/smarter-</u> <u>schools/documents/Smarter%20School</u> <u>s%20-%20Smart%20Hunt.pdf</u>	Children collate findings in a table of their own making or the prepared table from Smart Hunt. Discuss the children's findings. Why do the creatures live there?		Can the children recognise the different habitats and name some plants/animals that might live there?		
Lesson 3:	This is the WS assessment	TAPS woodlice habitat lesson plan or			Children meeting the objective will		



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Where do	Gather and record	Use a choice chamber to explore what			be able to
woodlice	data to help in	conditions woodlice like to live in.			draw a tally
like to live?	answering				chart (model
	questions.	Damp/Dark			to them) and
Why do	Within a habitat there	Damp/Light			explain why
woodlice	are different	Dry/Dark			woodlice are
live under	microhabitats e.g. in a	Dry/Light			found in a
logs?	woodland – in the leaf				particular
	litter, on the bark of	Children can predict and then record			habitat, e.g. I
	trees, on the leaves.	what they found out.			found 3 here
	These microhabitats				and 3 there
	have different				because it is
	conditions e.g. light or				dark.
	dark, damp or dry.				They should
	These conditions				be able to
	affect which plants				give features
	and animals live there.				of the habitat
	Plants and animals in				that mean the
	a habitat depend on				plant or
	each other for food				animal is
	and shelter.				suited to its
					microhabitat.
Lesson 4:	Plants and animals in	Look at a woodland habitat and discuss	Children play game foxes	Pictures,	Children will
What is a	a habitat depend on	what plants / animals we might find	and rabbits.	bean bags,	be able to
food chain?	each other for food	there: foxes, rabbits, hedgehogs, trees,		hoops bibs of	draw a simple
	and shelter. The way	grass, dandelions etc. Look at the food		different	food chain
	that animals obtain	chain cards form this website	Make further food chains	colours	and explain
	their food from plants	https://www.stem.org.uk/resources/elibr	using the food chain cards.		what animals
	and other animals can	ary/resource/34119/education-pack-			eat.
	be shown in a food	food-chains			
	chain	Play foxes and rabbits game. Play			
		game to model food chain.			
		Playground/bean bags/hoops. Divide			
		children into mostly rabbits and a few			
		foxes. The beanbags are carrots. The			
		rabbits have to get their food to survive.			
		They are safe within the hoop, but they			



Lesson 5: Can I sort objects into living/non- living?	All objects are living, dead or have never been alive. Living things are plants (including seeds) and animals. Dead things include dead animals, plants, and parts of plants and animals that are no longer attached e.g. leaves and twigs, shells, fur, hair and feathers (This is a simplification, but appropriate for Year 2 children.) An object made of wood is 'classed' as dead. Objects made of rock, metal and plastic have never been alive (again ignoring that plastics are made of fossil fuels). This is the WS assessment TAPS	must come out to eat and take back their food to the rabbit hole. Foxes try to catch them. Show this as a food chain. What other food chains can they make from the woodland habitat picture cards? Plenary: Explorify – A muddy meal https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi ties/whats-going-on/muddy-meal Treasure Hunt Give each group of children an egg box with 12 compartments. Children, whilst outside exploring they find the treasure to put into the box. http://www.saps.org.uk/attachments/arti cle/560/SAPS%20Grouping%20&%20cl assification%2 0-%20PartB.pdf Back in class – can they sort the items? Also TAPS lesson plan Y2 Sorting living and non-living https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum- materials/assessment Can they sort a given set of pictures/objects using the criteria: alive, once alive, never been alive? Can they add their own examples to the list?	The children can work in groups of three or four. Give each group a bag or tray and a list of the objects they are going to hunt for in the chosen area. Time the activity to limit the time spent on the 'hunt'. When time is up, the children can bring the objects back to the classroom. Sort them using TAPS lesson plan ideas.	a piece of paper; a stone; a fallen leaf; a piece of plastic; something made of metal; a twig; a fruit or seed; an artificial flower; something that the child can choose	Children meeting the objective would be able to explain why they had sorted in this way. For example, they might say, "because it moves on its legs and it would probably go and get something to eat and drink if it was hungry", "it's living because it can be pregnant and it can get a husband or wife", "the rock doesn't grow, eat,



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	lesson plan Y2 Sorting living and non-living Use their observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions.			move or have babies".
Lesson 6 What have I learned? Can I make an annotated drawing of a habitat showing the plants and animals that live there?		 With the teacher, the children should write the success criteria. E.g. The habitat must show 3 different named plants / animals One food chain in that habitat Label an object that is living, dead, and something that has never been alive. 	Children to choose a habitat and draw a picture to represent that habitat labelling the plants and animals that they might find there. They should explain why we might find these plants /animals in that habitat and show a simple food chain in that habitat.	Children should be able to name a range of animals and plants that live in a habitat and microhabitat that they have studied. They should be able to describe how these plants /animals are suited to that habitat.

Based on materials from PLAN knowledge matrices: <u>https://www.planassessment.com/plan-knowledge-matrices</u>



Year 2/ Year B Science Progression in Skills and Knowledge

NC Knowledge	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
Autumn 1 and 2: Animals including humans		
 notice that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults find out about and describe the basic needs of animals, including humans, for survival (water, food and air) describe the importance for humans of exercise, eating the right amounts of different types of food, and hygiene 		
Spring 1 and 2: Uses of Everyday materials		
 identify and compare the suitability of a variety of everyday materials, including wood, metal, plastic, glass, brick, rock, paper and cardboard for particular uses find out how the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching. 		
Summer 1: Plants		
 observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants find out and describe how plants need water, light and a suitable temperature to grow and stay healthy. 		
Summer 2: Living thigs and habitats		
 explore and compare the differences between things that are living, dead, and things that have never been alive identify that most living things live in habitats to which they are suited and describe how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of animals and plants, and how they depend on each other identify and name a variety of plants and animals in their habitats, including microhabitats describe how animals obtain their food from plants and other animals, using the idea of a simple food chain, and identify and name different sources of food. 		



Year 2/ Year B Science Progression in Skills and Knowledge

Y1/2 Working Scientifically:	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
 asking simple questions and recognising that they can be answered in different ways 		
observing closely, using simple equipment		
performing simple tests		
identifying and classifying		
 using their observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions 		
gathering and recording data to help in answering questions		



LKS2 Lesson Plans Year 3





Animals including humans

Year 3 Term

What are	What do teachers	How are we learning:			
we learning:	need to know? Key learning	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment
Lesson 1: What do I already know?			Using the key vocabulary: food, water, exercise, survive, healthy, rest. What can the children remember about being healthy? Make a mind map to show what they already know. Then give them some new vocabulary: skeleton, bones, muscles, food groups, carbohydrates, proteins. Ask them to add to the mind map anything they know or think of questions they would like to ask to find out more about animals including humans and these words.		
Lesson 2: What are the different food groups?	Animals, unlike plants, which can make their own food, need to eat in order to get the nutrients they need. Food contains a range of different nutrients – carbohydrates (including sugars), protein, vitamins, minerals, fats, sugars, water – and fibre, which the body needs to stay healthy. A piece of food will often	Start with an odd, one out to start the discussion about the different food groups. Explorify Fuel up. <u>https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi</u> <u>ties/odd-one-out/fuel-up</u> Introduce the different food groups – allow the children to research the different groups. They need to be able to record their findings in terms of: Food group - where this can be found e.g. carbohydrates – pasta Using this information can they state what food groups a meal contains. Use photographs of different meals. Children can label/draw the pictures stating what			Children should be able to name the nutrients found in food.



	provide a range of nutrients.	the food is and what food group is and whether it would be a healthy meal. Sort the pictures into yes healthy/not healthy and state why?		
Lesson 3: How nutritional are different foods?		Provide the children with different food labels / packaging for them to explore the fat content, protein, carbohydrate value etc. Show them how they can compare the foods e.g. by 100g. Record findings in a table. From this information draw out conclusions: Sort a range of packaging into low / high fat content / sugar content etc.	Packaging labels: Pizza Coco pops Ready meals	Children will be able to answer questions about nutrients in food based on their gathered evidence. They will be able to sort foods according to high / low nutrient value.
Lesson 4: What is in a day? Planning my own healthy diet.		Could use Which breakfast is best. Exporify Can they plan a daily diet, which contains a good balance of nutrients? Explain ideas will be based on research from food packaging and knowledge of the food groups.		Assess whether children do understand that animals need the right amount of nutrition and that they get this nutrition form what they eat. They will be able to talk about the nutrient content of their daily plan.



Lesson 5: What bones are in my body?Humans, and some other animals, have skeletons and muscles, which help them, move and provide protection and support.Children can research the human body and find out the name of some bones. Can they label a diagram of a human skeleton using ideas found form research? Using straws make models of a skeleton.Children can research the human body and find out the name of some bones. Can they label a diagram of a human skeleton using ideas found form research? Using straws make models of a skeleton.Children can research the human body and find out the name of some bones. Can they label a diagram of a human skeleton.Children can research the human body and find out the name of some bones. Can they label a diagram of a human skeleton using ideas found form research? Using straws make models of a skeleton.Children can research the human body and find out the name of some bones. Can they label a diagram of a human skeleton.Children can research the human body and find out the name of some bones. Can they label a diagram of a human skeleton.Children can research the human body and find out the name of some bones. Can they label a diagram of a human skeleton.Children can research research? Using straws make models of a skeleton.Children the skeletons of other animals. How are the skeletons similar / different? Leads into next lesson.Children can research? Using at the book Funnybones or real pictures of skeletons of different. List the ways. What is the job of the skeleton?Children can research? the pictures of skeleton of the skeleton?Children can research? the pictures of skeleton of the skeleton?	e to some that up their on, /ill be give les of
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What 'I would not be damaged as easily and pr	ovide
would without any bones to break.' protect	ion.
happen if 'Your heart and brain might be	
animals/hu damaged.'	
mans did 'You would not be able to stand up or	
not have move – you would just fall in a heap.'	
skeletons? 'You would move better because your	
muscles could bend you in any	
direction.'	
Children can research and answer the	
statements posed.	
Plenary: What statements can they	
confidently answer? Might not be sure	
about movement.	
Lesson 7: How do our bones help with movement? Childre	n will
How do our Look at an x-ray of an elbow. Make a be able	
bones help model of an elbow joint using card, descrit	
with elastic bands and split pins. Explain muscle	s and
what is happening. Reinforce muscles	



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movement ?		are attached to the bones and that muscles pull the bones to make		joints help them to move.
Lesson 8: Am I a square? Investigatin g the human skeleton.	This is a WS focussed assessment task. WS Ask relevant questions and use different types of scientific enquiries to answer them. TAPS Plan Investigating the human skeleton. Y3 Skeleton Are you a square. Pattern seeking.	movement. Plenary odd one out. Pictures of giraffe, ladybird, octopus. Also display words, protect, support and movement can they consider which one is the odd one out and why? Ask children to suggest ideas about differences between human skeletons. Help children turn ideas into a question that they can investigate e.g. Am I/Are you a square? (look at arm span versus height) Who has the longest arms? (Y3 or Y6?)		Children meeting the objective will be able to ask questions, and turn the questions into questions that they can investigate. Can say whether the outcome of the survey is what they expected, e.g., <i>I</i> thought that Y6 children have bigger heads than Y4
				children do and they do.
Lesson 9 What have I learned?			Children should go back to their original mind maps and in a different colour add any additional learning or answer any questions.	



Light		Year 3 Term			
What are we learning:	What do teachers need to know? Key learning	How are we learning: Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment
Lesson 1: What do we know about light?		Provide the children with the key vocabulary for the topic and read each of the words. Invite the children to look at the words and select two. Teach how these words can be connected together in order to form concept sentences. Children to write concept sentences in their books. More able can try to connect these in a concept map. The teacher will model this idea should first. Plenary: list some sources of light as a class then use <u>https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi</u> <u>ties/odd-one-out/sources-of-light</u>	Children create concept sentences/concept map - making connections between key scientific vocabularies.	Key vocab as flash cards: Light, light source, dark, absence of light, transparent, translucent, opaque, shiny, matt, surface, shadow, reflect, mirror, sunlight, dangerous, eyes	Teachers analyse the sentences/maps to determine what the children already know about the key vocabulary. Any misconceptions? Any words they do not know.
Lesson 2: Why do we need light?	We see objects because our eyes can sense light. Some objects, for example, the sun, light bulbs and candles are sources of light. Objects are easier to see if there is more light	Introduction or plenary – use back paper tubes to exemplify that darkness is the absence of light and that we need light to see. Children should explore how different objects are more or less visible in different levels of lighting. Use: 'Can't you sleep little bear, by Martin Waddell' as a stimulus. Use Ogden trust lesson ideas to explore the phenomenon. https://www.ogdentrust.com/resources/p hizzi-practical-bear-cave	Children explore the bear cave and make predictions as to which objects they will be able to see. Recording their predictions and results in a table. Children should try to write a conclusion based on this evidence - describing patterns in visibility of different objects in different lighting conditions and predict which will be more or less visible as conditions change.	Black buckets, light sources LED candle, torches, stickers, printed pictures, 3 different curtain materials – transparent, translucent, opaque.	They should be able to clearly explain, giving examples, that objects are not visible in complete darkness



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Lesson 3:	Dark is the absence of	Use concept cartoon as a starter Seeing	Children create dens and	A mix of	Assess whether
What is	light. We cannot see	in the dark. Ask the children what they	evaluate how effective	building	the children are
darkness?	anything in complete	think. Discuss. For cartoon image	they are at being light	materials	using any of the
	darkness.	simply google: seeing in the dark	proof.	(garden	information that
		concept cartoon		canes, cardb	they learnt in
		Then use Explorify to set the children	They can draw diagrams	oard boxes,	lesson 2 when
		this problem solving challenge to create	of their den's and annotate	paper, net	creating their
		a cave /den to find out the answer to the	explain features and why	curtain, clear	dens.
		cartoon.https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/	used.	plastic, old	
		en/activities/problem-solvers/lightproof-		sheets, foil,	When drawing
		<u>your-secret-den</u>		tape, glue,	and notating
				elastic	their ideas do,
		Plenary – can the children think of any		bands,	they use any key
		time it might be completely dark or we		packaging	vocabulary?
		might need it as dark as possible?		and other bits	
		Talk about use of blackout curtains in a		of recycling	
		child's bedroom during the war.			
Lesson 4:	Some surfaces reflect	Provide children with a selection of	Children to independently	Selection of	Children need to
Which	light. Objects are	different materials and a torch and allow	explore and record their	materials: tin	make the
objects	easier to see when	them to explore and record for themselves how reflective the materials	findings.	foil, CD,	connection between the
reflect light the best?	there is less light if			black paper, etc. torches.	shininess of the
the best?	they are reflective.	are.		elc. lorches.	material and the
		Teacher to look at how they children			amount of light
		have recorded their results. Model how			reflected. Can
		to draw a table if needed and the use of			they make this
		the vocabulary reflective.			connection?
		Teacher to then model the writing of a			connection:
		class conclusion"Using the evidence			
		in the table we can say that"			
Lesson 5:	The light from the sun	Intro - Class discussion on question	Children test materials and	<u> </u>	Children will be
How do we	can damage our eyes	posed. How do we know that light from	choose an appropriate		able to state that
know that	and therefore we	the sun is dangerous? What do the	material to make their own		It is dangerous
light from	should not look	children say? What evidence do they	sunglasses. They should		to view the sun
the sun is	directly at the sun and	use?	then make a poster to		directly and state
dangerous	can protect our eyes	Main activity: Show pictures of people	persuade people to use		precautions used
? How can	by wearing	observing an eclipse. Discuss. Set	their sunglasses to protect		to view the sun.
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we protect our eyes from the sun?	sunglasses or sunhats in bright light	children the task of testing some materials to see which would be the best materials to make a pair of sunglasses. Children make their sunglasses. Teacher demo - test sun cream using a UV light by putting it on cling film over a cup of tonic water and seeing how much light penetrates. Use high factor suntan cream, low factor and no suntan cream. Make a conclusion based on the evidence.	their eyes because they are the best.		
Lesson 6a: How are shadows form when light is blocked?		Intro activity – assess their current understanding. Go outside and make different shadows with their bodies. Introduce the words opaque and blocked. Define how shadows form when light is blocked.	Draw a picture of themselves in the sun with their shadow. Amend their original pictures if necessary. Children can describe how to form a shadow.		Children describe shadows are formed when light is blocked. Children are able to demonstrate this by blocking light.
Lesson 6b: Can everything make a shadow?	This is a WS focussed assessment ask; WS Use results to draw simple conclusions . Use Taps lesson plan Y3 Make shadows	Children explore a variety of objects and sort them into transparent, translucent and opaque. They should then make a prediction about the shadow the object will form and test. Use Taps lesson plan Y3 Make shadows. Using their test results can they consider (predict) the shadow of two overlapping transparent objects? Based on concept carton <u>12.8</u> <u>two trees</u> . <u>https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum- materials/assessment</u>	Explore a variety of objects and the shadows made by the objects. Children record their findings in a way that communicates meaning. The children will be able to communicate which objects make the strongest shadows.	Variety of objects, torches.	Can make observations and use results to draw conclusions about the materials and the shadows that they might make.
Lesson 7 Can shadows change	Assess WS skill: gather record and present data to help in answering questions.	Use Kipper's Monster by Mick Inkpen to set the scene of the lesson. Challenge the children to find out how you change the size of the shadow.	Children can make a simple shadow puppet e.g. snail and explore how to show that the shadow		Can the children present data to help in



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shape /	Plenary	changes – measure it,	answering the
size?	Read poem Shadow by Michael	trace the shadow etc.	question?
	Rosen	Look at the evidence to	
	Across my bedroom wall	answer the question	
	Flapping its giant grey wings	posed. Challenge the	
	A monster	children to draw	
	Across my bedroom lamp	conclusions.	
	Fluttering its small brown winds:	Support less able by	
	A moth	saying	
	Challenge the children to explain what	To make the shadow	
	is happening based on their scientific	bigger you	
	reasoning.	To make the shadow	
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	Google Shadow poem by Michael		
	Rosen Great ideas for use.		
Lesson 8		Children return to their	
What have		concept sentences and	
I learned?		concept map - making	
		connections between the	
		key vocabularies and	
		add/amend any	
		information.	



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Rocks Year 3 Term							
What are we learning:	What do teachers need to know? Key learning	How are we learning: Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment		
Lesson 1: What do I already know about rocks, soils and fossils?	AfL elicitation task.		Children complete mind maps of what they know about rocks, soils and fossils.				
Lesson 2: What different types of rocks are there around our school?	Rock is a naturally occurring material. There are different types of rock e.g. sandstone, limestone, slate etc. which have different properties. Rocks can be hard or soft. They have different sizes of grain or crystal. They may absorb water. Rocks can be different shapes and sizes (stones, pebbles, boulders).	Carry out a rock detective walk so that children can begin to recognise the different types of rocks, think about their physical properties and their uses. They should begin to describe the rocks. Collect the vocabulary the children use to describe their observations. Plenary: Explorify discussion activity Do rocks stay the same forever. https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi ties/the-big-question/do-rocks-stay-the- same-forever Link their conclusions of this to their rock detective walk. What evidence did they find?	What can you find that is made from rock around our school? Draw and write. Think about why rock as a material has been used in different parts of the school and why this choice has been made.				
Lesson 3: What is this rock? How can I describe it?	Children naturally look but do not look in detail. This activity will heighten observational skills.	Introduction: Why is it all rocks do not look the same? <u>https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi</u> <u>ties/the-big-question/why-don-t-all-</u> <u>rocks-look-the-same</u> To help the children understand how different rocks form over time make chocolate rocks.	Draw a chocolate cookie observing the detail closely. Place their cookie back in the pile can they find it? Can they use the skill of observing closely to draw a rock? What is the rock? Choose two rocks, compare, and contrast the two rocks.	Chocolate cookies Samples of rocks	Children will be able to name some rocks and give physical features of each.		



			Use a graphic organiser to		
			collate their responses.		
			Make chocolate rocks.		
Lesson 4:	This is a focussed WS	TAPS PLAN – Y3 Rocks report.	Carry out investigation in	Rocks,	The children
Choose an	assessment task. Use	https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum-	groups.	sandpaper,	will be able to
investigatio	the TAPS lesson plan	materials/assessment		paper	report their
n from:	for support.				findings and
We need to		Provide a purpose for the investigation		D : <i>U</i>	can use the
choose a	Children either carry	– e.g. to find the best material for a new		Pipettes	'rub' test to
hard rock	out a rocks scratch	paved area in school. Suggest that you		Beakers	order the
for a	testing investigation or	would like to find out which rock would			rocks and can
kitchen	a porous investigation and report findings	last the longest/be the least wearing/the strongest and that a rub test is one way			say (orally or with
worktop	from their enquiry.	to do this.			diagrams/writi
that will	nom men enquiry.	Children to rub rocks on sandpaper and			ng) which
resist		collect scrapings onto white paper.			rock is
scratching.	WS focus: Reporting	Ask children to order the rocks and			strongest/hard
Which rock	on findings from	justify their selection of strongest rock.			er wearing.
would be	enquiries	How will you report your findings (to			er neening.
best?		persuade), e.g. draw, write, power			
		point?			
We need to					
choose a					
waterproof					
rock for the					
roof of a					
new					
building.					
Which rock					
would be					
best?					
Which rock					
would be					
the best					
material for					
a new					
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paved area in school?					
Lesson 5: What is a	Some rocks contain	Modelling how fossils form.	Children can create a comic	Beakers,	Children will
fossil? How	fossils. Fossils formed millions of years ago.	The children can flatten plasticene in a small plastic pot to make the seabed.	strip to explain how fossilisation occurs	Plasticene, Bonio	be able to explain how a
do fossils	When plants and	They then imagine that a sea creature,	recounting what they have	biscuits,	fossil forms
form?	animals died, they fell	represented by a dog biscuit (bone	done or in English write a	(salty, diluted	and present
	to the seabed and	shaped) has died and fallen onto the	chronological report.	food	this
	were covered and	seabed. Then they can add the sea		colouring)	information in
	squashed by other	(salty, diluted food colouring) and		shredded	different
	material.	shredded up kitchen roll to represent		kitchen roll.	forms.
	Over time, the	the sediment. Imagining they are an			
	dissolving animal and plant minerals in the	archaeologist some thousands of years later, pupils can unearth their fossils			
	water replaced matter.	using a pick (toothpick). They should			
		identify imprint fossils, using a visualizer			
		to help to identify the shape of the fossil			
		imprint and notice the fossilised bones			
		of the dead sea creature itself that has			
		taken on some of the food colouring of			
		the sea.	Obildada ab avid an ant	De else (
Lesson 6: What can		Allow pupils to independently research	Children should report findings in a way of their	Books/ internet	
you find out		using books/computer and report on what they have found out. They should	choosing: PowerPoint,	Internet	
about		be able to answer one of the two	poster, annotated diagrams		
fossils?		questions you posed. Pupil research	etc. They can work in groups		
Who is		lesson.	and do a group presentation.		
Mary		https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-			
Anning?		video/science-ks2-the-work-of-mary-			
		anning/z7wvjhv			Obildren able
Lesson 7: What is	Soils contain small pieces of ground down	Children to carry out an observation over time enquiry	Add water to a sample of soil – around one-third soil to		Children able to explain that
soil?	rock, plant and animal		two-thirds water in a pop		soils are
	material (organic		bottle. Make careful		formed from
	matter). The type of		observations over time. Draw		rocks that
	rock, size of rock		the layers and label.		contain



	pieces and the amount of organic matter affect the property of the soil.	Plenary - explorify https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi ties/zoom-in-zoom-out/tiny-bits-and- pieces		living/dead matter.
Lesson 8: What have I learned?			Children go back to their original mind maps and in a different colour now add new information that they have learned about rocks, soils and fossils. Answer: What did they find most interesting?	



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Year 3 Term

What are	What do teachers	How are we learning:					
we	need to know?	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment		
learning:	Key learning						
Lesson 1:		Teacher to provide key questions for the	Children create a mind				
What do I		children to consider in making their	map detailing what they				
know about		mind maps. Questions to include:-	already know about forces				
forces and		What is a force?	and magnets.				
magnets?		How do things move?					
		What make things speed up or slow down?					
		Teach magnets are used for					
		Which materials are magnetic?					
		What are some different types of magnets?					
Lesson 2:	Before the children	Introduction: Children explore a variety	Children identify pushes	ball, spinning	Children are able		
How can I	investigate, the effect	of objects: ball, spinning top, yo-yo, car	and pulls around them and	top, yo-yo,	to give examples		
get an	of movement on	etc. and consider how they can get	record in way of their	car	of forces in		
object to	different surfaces they	them to move. Use the term push / pull	choosing.		everyday life e.g.		
move?	need to understand	and that his is a force.			pull - opening a		
	that pushes and pulls	Main activity: Children to explore			drawer,		
	make things move.	pushes and pulls around them and			push – close a		
	That a force is in fact	record their findings in tables, charts,			door		
	a push or a pull.	Venn diagrams their choice					
		Plenary – Discuss the different ways of					
	WS objective: gather	recording results particularly Venn					
	and record data to	diagram / tables and what these look					
	help in answering a	like. Allow children to reflect on their					
	question.	recording. Is it clear? Video clip of					
		pushes and pulls in real life:					
		https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/zkw 8q6f					
Lesson 3:	When an object	Show pictures and discuss the purpose	Children carry out the		Children meeting		
Which	moves on a surface,	of an escape lane and the kind of	investigation in groups and		the objective will		
surface is	the texture of the	surfaces, which could slow down	independently record the		be able to take		
best for an	surface and the object	vehicles: wood chippings, grass, gravel,	results in a table		and record		



escape	affect how it moves. It	sand. Explore how far cars go after a hill	(Modelled in previous		accurate
lane?	may help the object to	(down a ramp). In small groups, discuss	lesson.)		measurements
Why?	move better or it may	how they will measure how far the car			using standard
	hinder its movement	goes on different surfaces and how they	In the plenary, they can		units and
	e.g. ice skater	can record this. Emphasise that we are	draw conclusions from		presents findings
	compared to walking	testing the surface, so everything else	their investigations –		in a table (or bar
	on ice in normal	must stay the same to be fair – as a	describing how an object		chart). Can
	shoes.	class list the control variables.	can move on different		compare how
		Groups investigate with each drawing	surfaces. (Comparing the		things move,
	This is a WS focussed	their own 'results table'.	different surfaces)		e.g., <i>it goes</i>
	assessment task: WS:				quicker on wood
	Makes systematic	Plenary: Ask children to explain how the			and slower on
	and accurate	surface makes a difference. As a class,			grass.
	measurements and	can they rank the surfaces?			
	record these in a				
	table and bar chart.				
	TAPS lesson plan Y3				
	Forces – car ramps.				
	https://pstt.org.uk/reso				
	urces/curriculum-				
	materials/assessment				
Lesson 4:	The strongest parts of	Introduction – AfL Provide children with	Children given a post it	Selection of	Children will be
How do	a magnet are the	a variety of magnets and a bag of	note each and after a	magnets and	able to show
magnets	poles. Magnets have	treasure. Allow them to explore the	period to write down one	treasure bag	how magnets
behave?	two poles – a north	materials and find out for themselves.	thing, they have noticed or	of different	attract, repel,
	pole and a south pole.		found out about the	materials.	and can use
	If two like poles, e.g.	Main activity – Discuss children's post	magnets and treasure.		arrows to show
	two north poles, will	its, collating these on a white board			the attraction
	push away from each	grouping similar ideas.	Provide children with bar		and repulsion
	other – repel. If two	Introduce the terms attract and repel - if	magnets and get them to	Bar magnets.	between the
	unlike poles, e.g. a	the children have not used these terms	explore the effects of the		poles of
When do,	north and south will	and demonstrate on an OHP with	poles and record their		magnets.
magnets	pull together – attract.	magnets the effects. Draw out the fact	findings using annotated		
attract /		that when magnets repel – they are	diagrams and key		
repel?		pushing. When attracted, they are	vocabulary.		
		pulling. Use arrows to show direction of			
		force. Look at the different poles N and			



		S using simple red/blue magnets.	Extension/shellenge		
		Emphasise that magnets use a	Extension/challenge – can they determine where the		
		magnetic force and they can act at a	north south poles are of		
		distance the magnets do not need to be	magnets that are not the		
		touching.	simple bar magnets.		Children will be
		0	simple bar magnets.		able to name
		Plenary – can they determine where the			
		north south poles are of magnets that			unmarked poles
		are not the simple bar magnets?	Children compression	Mariaua	Children will be
Lesson 5:	A magnet attracts	Use the children's post its from the	Children carry out a	Various	
What	magnetic material.	previous lesson where it might say that	classification activity to	objects:	able to use their
materials	Iron, nickel, and other	metals are attracted to a magnet? Pose	determine which materials	paperclips	classification
are	materials containing	the question 'Are all metals magnetic?	are magnetic / non-	feather,	evidence to
magnetic?	these, e.g. stainless	Or use <u>concept cartoon</u>	magnetic.	balloon.	determine that
	steel, are magnetic.		Danna an alvair an h-arad	Coins both	some metals, but
		Allow the children to carry out a	Draw conclusions based	magnetic	not all, are
		classification activity to determine	on their evidence.	non-	magnetic.
		whether materials are magnetic and	State what a magnet is	magnetic,	
		which are not magnetic?	and what a magnetic	screws, bolts,	
		Discuss What is the	material is.	scissors etc.	
		Plenary – Discuss - What is the	Extension Make a simula		
		difference between a magnet and a	Extension - Make a simple		
		magnetic material? Look at the maze	magnetic game e.g.		
		game. Can this game be played using	maze/fishing game and		
		attract /repel? I.e. magnets using the	explain how it works using		
		force of pushing to move a car around a	key vocabulary: magnet,		
		course. Need two magnets. Attract is	attract magnetic material.		
		simple, Reinforce contact and not			
		contact forces.			
		Also explorify magnets What's going on:			
		https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi			
	This is the WS	ties/whats-going-on/magnets	Correction investigation	Mark through	Children meeting
Lesson 6:		Use a concept cartoon as a starter: the	Carry out an investigation	Work through	Children meeting
Which is	focussed assessment	bar magnet is the strongest, the biggest	in small groups and	etc.	the objective will
the	task. TAPS lesson	magnet is the strongest, you cannot tell	understand how to make		be able to decide
strongest	plan Y3 forces –	which is the strongest magnet by	the test fair to be able to		on an approach
magnet?	which is the strongest	looking at them. What do you think?	compare the magnets.		to answer the
	magnet?				question, and



	https://pstt.org.uk/reso urces/curriculum- materials/assessment Set up simple practical enquiries, comparative and fair tests	Provide the children with a collection of magnets and other materials (e.g. card, fabric, tissue, thin wood, aluminium foil, paperclips) to explore. Ask them to find out whether the magnets are all equally strong (see below for differentiated approach). As a class, discuss the different ways of testing the same thing, and talk about the advantages and disadvantages of each approach. Discuss why it is a good idea to try different ways of answering a question (-to get a more reliable answer). Carry out the investigations and ask the children to report their findings verbally. Rank the magnets based on evidence from their investigations.		what observations, measurements are needed e.g. place a paperclip at the end of a ruler and the magnet at the other. Move the magnet towards the paperclip and record the distance when it is attracted, or count number of layers of tissue paper the magnet works though.
Lesson 7 What have I learned?			Go back to the mind maps and add information in a different colour. Reflect on previous thoughts and amend as appropriate.	



Plants Year 3 Term							
What are	What do teachers	How are we learning:					
we	need to know?	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment		
learning:	Key learning	- .					
Lesson 1: What do we know about plants?	AfL Elicitation task.		Circus of activities KWL Grid What do you already know about plants? What you want to know? What you have learned in the unit (at end of unit)? Annotated diagrams -Draw a diagram of a flowering plant and label all the parts you know. Explain what these parts do. Children to complete a	Provide lots of pictures of flowering plants. Share question stems: why, how, will, when, I wonder, what happens if			
			question stem with a question about plants that interest them and would like to find out. Teachers to sort questions and select appropriate questions that link with the objectives of the unit.				
Lesson 2: What are the parts of a flower or plant and	Many plants, but not all, have roots, stems/trunks, leaves and flowers/blossom. The roots absorb water and nutrients	Introduction: Brown tubes Explorify <u>https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi</u> <u>ties/zoom-in-zoom-out/brown-tubes.</u> Main activity: Notice similarities and differences between plants.	Class discussion – using evidence to suggest answers to zoom in, zoom out explorify	Children to have brought in a plant from home that they have dug up.	Children achieving will be able to explain the different functions of		
what are the functions of	from the soil and anchor the plant in place. The stem	Research the different functions of the plant. Use books / computer. <u>http://www.saps.org.uk/attachments/arti</u>	Draw annotated diagrams through close observation of the plants they have brought	(This can be a weed!)	the parts of a plant.		



these parts?	transports water and nutrients/minerals around the plant and holds the leaves and flowers up in the air to enhance photosynthesis, pollination and seed dispersal. The leaves use sunlight and water to produce the plant's food. Some plants produce flowers, which enable the plant to reproduce. Note that children can get	cle/1373/SAPS%20book%201%20- %20Parts%20of%20a%20Plant%20- %202016.pdf a useful resource with games to support less abled children in learning the functions of a plant. Are all roots of plants the same? Plenary: Consider what will happen when the leaves or roots are removed from a plant? Discuss how they might find out this question. Allow the children to set up a comparative test as a class and consider how they will collect the evidence. As a class, create a table to record their results. In the next lesson, we will focus on drawing	 in. Label and research the function of the different parts. Focus on the roots and describe similarities and differences between two of the plants in their group. Using evidence. Investigate – set up a comparative test as a class. Invite children to record findings of the class test during the week. Therefore, one table collected as a whole class. 	Books related to plants Two geranium plants or similar.	Those who need more support could: <u>https://w</u> <u>ww.youtube.c</u> <u>om/watch?v=</u> <u>ql6OL7_qFqU</u> Children can act out the different parts of the plant.
	that children can get confused with terms like nutrients and food. Plant 'food' that might be bought and given to plants is dissolved minerals, not food. Plants use the energy of the sun to make their own	next lesson, we will focus on drawing conclusions form their investigation using the evidence they have collected to support their findings. Modelling an investigation using planning boards. <u>https://content.connect.collins.co.uk/Co</u> <u>ntent/ES/Primary/sample/snap_science/</u> <u>Lesson%20plans/897938_SnapSci_pln_3.pdf</u>			
Lesson 3: Do all plants need exactly the same things to be healthy?	food (sugars).	Introduction – Look at the class investigation into removal of leaves from a plant. Use their class table of results and discuss what it shows. Write a conclusion. Model a good answer.	Discussion – whiteboards. Children in pairs to write a conclusion. Provide a sentence starter for them to complete. Use a writing frame to record the evidence collected and to support the writing of a conclusion that this is the case because		Children should be able to explain observations made during investigations.



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	Different plants require different conditions for germination and growth.	Main activity; Children to plan their own simple comparative investigation to find out whether all plants need the same things. Plenary: Recap the functions of parts of the plants by playing plant taboo, loop games P.21-24 Saps booklet <u>https://www.saps.org.uk/attachments/art</u> icle/1374/SAPS%20book%202%20- %20Reproduction%20and%20life%20c ycles%20-%20Pt%201%20- %202016.pdf	Children receive a cactus and parsley plant from the school and set up their own comparative test, collecting results over a two-week period. Children to describe how they are going to ensure that the test is fair by making sure that the plants have the same conditions. Water, light etc., and draw the two plants in their books. The plants will receive minimal water.	Cactus and parsley plant. One of each, for each group.	
Lesson 4: How is water transported within a plant?	This is a WS focussed assessment task. Use the TAPS lesson plan for support.WS Focus: Use straightforward scientific evidence to answer questions or to support their findings The stem transports water and nutrients/minerals around the plant and holds the leaves and flowers up in the air to enhance photosynthesis, pollination and seed dispersal.	Introduction – To set the scene Use explorify https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi ties/whats-going-on/water-colours Main Activity - TAPS activity: The function of a plant stem https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum- materials/assessment Key Question: How is water transported within plants? Knowledge: Investigate the way in which water is transported in plants. Working Scientifically: Use straightforward scientific evidence to answer questions or to support their findings. Plenary – Discuss What happens if a plant does not have a stem? Can the children answer what is the function of	Investigate – set up an observation over time enquiry and observe celery and carnations in coloured water over an agreed period. Children to predict what they would see inside the celery and write a conclusion as modelled in a previous lesson. This information can be used to assess the children's WS skills.	Celery Carnations dye, beakers of water	Assess children's skills of WS. Can they use straightforwar d scientific evidence to answer questions or to support their findings and write a simple conclusion? See TAPS for assessment indicators.



		the stem? Are there any plants without			
		stems? (Algae and fungi)			
Lesson 5:	Different plants	Introduction: Recap - Do all plants need	Children to look at the two		
Follow up	require different	exactly the same things to be healthy?	plants they have been caring		
to lesson 3.	conditions for		for: cactus / parsley and draw		
10 1855011 5.	germination and	Main activity – drawing conclusions	pictures of the plants after the		
	growth.	from their investigations. Plants	two weeks. How has the		
	growin.	requirements might differ depending on	plant changed from their		
		the plant or its habitat.	initial drawing? Describe any		
			changes they notice and how		
		Plenary: Use explorify looking at plants	the plants differ. What do		
		growing in hot and cold places recap of	these finding suggest? If time		
		KS1.	children can research		
		https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi	different plants and find out		
		ties/odd-one-out/growing-in-hot-and-	where they grow naturally		
		cold-placesDiscuss similarities and			
		differences between the 3 plants:			
Lesson 6:		Introduction – play group memory game	Groups try to describe a	Flowers to	The children
What are		to introduce the different parts of the	flower to a child who has to	dissect. Lilies	should be
the		flower.	draw what they have been	are good as	able to
different		Main activity - Dissect a flower to	told.	are perennial	explain the
parts of a		identify the different parts.		geraniums,	function of the
flower?		http://www.saps.org.uk/attachments/arti	Dissect a flower. Identify and	fuchsias.	parts of the
		cle/1374/SAPS%20book%202%20-	label the different parts.		flowering
		%20Reproduction%20and%20life%20c	Research what the different		plant.
		vcles%20-%20Pt%201%20-	parts do.		
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		Plenary - take the children outside and			
		look at the flowers around the school			
		grounds. Can they find the parts of the			
		plants they had identified in the			
		classroom? Use magnifying glasses			
		outside etc.			
Lesson 7:	The male part of the	Introduction.	Use 3 children. One holds a	Some sticky	Children
What part	flower produces	Model through drama how flowers are	drinks carton and the two	balls made	should be
do flowers	pollen, which is	pollinated by insects.	Velcro balls, another child	with Velcro,	able to draw a
play in the	transferred by insects		just has a drinks carton and	three woolly	labelled



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lifecycle of	to the female part of	Children then draw an annotated	child 3 has nothing. This child	jumpers and	diagram of a
a flowering	other flowers	diagram to show the lifecycle. In	is a bee. The two with drinks	two cartons	flowering
plant?	(pollination).	English, they could write a diary entry of	cartons are flowers. The juice	of fruit juice	plant to show
	This forms seeds,	this explaining pollination from the	being nectar, the balls pollen.	with straws.	its parts, their
	sometimes contained	perspective of the bee.	As the bee comes in for the		role and the
	in berries or fruits.		nectar, the child can stick the		method of
	Seeds are then	Plenary - Use the vocab germinate,	pollen to the jumper. The bee		pollination.
	dispersed in different	pollen, flowers, pollination, seed	then visits another flower		
	ways.	formation, seed dispersal. Play bingo.	where the pollen then sticks		
	Pollination is the	Children choose 3 words. Teacher	to this flower.		
	transmission of pollen	reads out a definition child crosses it off			
	from the anther to the	if they have this word.	Drawing annotated diagrams.		
	stigma of flowers after				
	which fertilisation can		Retrieval of important		
	take place.		vocabulary		
Lesson 8	Seeds are dispersed	Introduction. Explorify	Research, sort and classify	Seeds:	Children
How are	in different ways: wind	Bonkers conkers	seeds based on how they are	Dandelion,	should be
seeds	(parachute or rotor)		dispersed.	sycamore,	able to look at
dispersed?	animals(caught on fur	Provide children with a selection of		silver birch,	the features of
Does this	or ingested) water,	seeds pictures - preferably the real	Extension activity. Design/	acorn,	seeds to
vary from	gravity, explosion. The	thing. Can they sort the seeds? Can	make a seed of their choice	conker,	decide on
plant to	seeds have particular	they discuss how the seeds might be	using junk materials	coconut.	their method
plant?	design features to aid	dispersed? Think of other seeds and	playdough etc. and state how	Tomato,	of dispersal.
	its dispersal.	research how they are dispersed.	it can be dispersed. What	strawberry,	
			features does it have that	cleavers,	
		Explorify odd one out	ensure it can be dispersed in	рорру	
		https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi	that way?		
		ties/odd-one-out/sightseeing-seeds			
Lesson 9		Children should complete the KWL			
What have		grid with what they have learnt.			
I learnt in					
this topic?		Graphic organiser of parts of the plant			
		and functions.			
Can I		http://www.saps.org.uk/attachments/arti			
design the		cle/1374/SAPS%20book%202%20-			
perfect		%20Reproduction%20and%20life%20c			
plant?					
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Children could draw on what they have learned to design a plant. Am I the perfect plant? Design / create a		
new flowering plant. Draw/label and annotate regarding how seeds are dispersed based on research. They		
should name it, and present it as a picture or collage with labels and annotations. What would the plant look		
like that will grow form the seed they designed? What does it need to grow healthily? Where does it live?		



Year 3/ Year A Science Progression in Skills and Knowledge

NC Knowledge	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
Autumn 1: Animals including Humans		
 identify that animals, including humans, need the right types and amount of nutrition, and that they cannot make their own food; they get nutrition from what they eat identify that humans and some other animals have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement. 		
Autumn 2: Light		
 recognise that they need light in order to see things and that dark is the absence of light notice that light is reflected from surfaces recognise that light from the sun can be dangerous and that there are ways to 		
protect their eyes		
 recognise that shadows are formed when the light from a light source is blocked by an opaque object 		
 find patterns in the way that the size of shadows change. 		
Spring 1: Rocks	_	
 compare and group together different kinds of rocks on the basis of their appearance and simple physical properties describe in simple terms how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped within rock 		
recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter		
Spring 2: Forces and Magnets		
 compare how things move on different surfaces notice that some forces need contact between two objects, but magnetic forces can act at a distance 		
 observe how magnets attract or repel each other and attract some materials and not others 		
 compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of whether they are attracted to a magnet, and identify some magnetic materials 		



•	describe magnets as having two poles predict whether two magnets will attract or repel each other, depending on which poles are facing.	
Summ	er 1 and 2: Plants	
•	identify and describe the functions of different parts of flowering plants: roots, stem/trunk,	
	leaves and flowers	
•	explore the requirements of plants for life and growth (air, light, water, nutrients from soil,	
	and room to grow) and how they vary from plant to plant	
•	investigate the way in which water is transported within plants	
•	explore the part that flowers play in the life cycle of flowering plants, including pollination,	
	seed formation and seed dispersal	

Y3/4 Working Scientifically to run throughout all units of learning:	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
 asking relevant questions and using different types of scientific enquiries to answer them 		
 setting up simple practical enquiries, comparative and fair tests 		
 making systematic and careful observations and, where appropriate, taking accurate measurements using standard units, using a range of equipment, including thermometers and data loggers 		
 gathering, recording, classifying and presenting data in a variety of ways to help in answering questions 		



Y3/4 Working Scientifically to run throughout all units of learning:	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
 recording findings using simple scientific language, drawings, labelled diagrams, keys, bar charts, and tables 		
 reporting on findings from enquiries, including oral and written explanations, displays or presentations of results and conclusions 		
 using results to draw simple conclusions, make predictions for new values, suggest improvements and raise further questions 		
 identifying differences, similarities or changes related to simple scientific ideas and processes 		
• using straightforward scientific evidence to answer questions or to support their findings.		



LKS2 Lesson Plans Year 4





Sound		Year 4 Term			
What are	What do teachers	How are we learning:			
we	need to know?	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment
learning:	Key Learning				
Lesson 1:		Circus of activities for the children to	Recording sheet could be		Can children
What do I		explore with key questions to support	used or allow children to		associate a
know about		their thinking and show their	simply record annotated		sound with
sound?		understanding.	diagrams/notes of their		something
		Possible Activities:	findings.		vibrating?
		Rice on drum,			Dether
		Ruler twang	What did you see?		Do they
		Rubber band guitar	What did you hear? What did you feel?		understand
		Tuning fork Plenary: Draw out the knowledge that	what did you leer?		pitch/ loudness?
		sounds are created by a wobble -			100011655 :
		vibration. What is happening? Use			
		explorify what's going on Rice and			
		rhythm			
		https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi			
		ties/whats-going-on/rice-and-rhythm			
Lesson 2:	A sound produces	Refer back to circus of activities and	Children work together to		Child can
How are	vibrations, which	comment on what they saw. Reinforce	produce different sounds.		explain how
sounds	travel through a	that a vibration creates the sound. Can			they made the
made?	medium from the	they demonstrate this with some objects			sounds and
	source to our ears.	in in front of them – explaining what is			what
What is		going on?			happened e.g.
that sound?		Activity-problem solving name that			when you strike a drum
Sound?		sound. Name the sound source and			or pluck a
		consider how the sound is made use			string and
		Explorify			uses a
		https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi			diagram to
		ties/problem-solvers/what-s-that-sound			show how
		Excellent activity			sound travels
		-			to our ear.



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Lesson 3: How do sounds travel?	Different mediums such as solids, liquids and gases can carry sound, but sound cannot travel through a vacuum (an area empty of matter). The vibrations cause parts of our body inside our ears to vibrate, allowing us to hear (sense) the sound.	Introduction: Balloon filled with air/water, children can experience talking on the face of the balloon with another child the other side of the balloon. Can they hear the sound? Scratching underneath a table and ear to table. Coat hanger sounds. Marvin and milo. <u>https://spark.iop.org/musical- coat-hanger</u> All activities that demonstrate sound travels through a medium. Main activity: Explore string telephones	After the investigation, children demonstrate their telephones to the class and explain why their telephone is/is not good.	Children Meeting the objective will be able to talk about the features, which make a good telephone, e.g. all work, when the string is tight,
	WS focussed assessment of WS: Identify differences, similarities or changes related to simple scientific ideas and processes Y4 – string telephones https://pstt.org.uk/reso urces/curriculum- materials/assessment	Y4 TAPS lesson plan Ask a child to help you demonstrate how to use a string telephone. Discuss how this works; vibrations in air, vibrations in string, and the cup amplifies the vibrations, vibrations travel to ear. Provide a range of plastic pots (yoghurt pots) and different types of string/wool. In groups, ask children to investigate what makes the best string telephone.		the bigger cup is better.
Lesson 4: How can I make a louder / quieter sound?	The loudness (volume) of the sound depends on the strength (size) of vibrations, which decreases as they travel through the medium.	Introduction: variety of musical instruments / objects for children to explore. Invite them to make a loud sound. How can they do this? Make a quiet sound. How would we draw an annotated diagram to show this? What is happening? Perhaps use slinky to show the sound waves and what this looks like.	Exploration Annotated diagrams to show learning.	Children will be able to give examples of how to change the volume of a sound e.g. increase the size of vibrations by hitting or



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					blowing harder
Lesson 5: What happens to the sound as I move away?	Sounds decrease in volume as you move away from the source.	Activity: What happens to sound as I move away from the source? Children can investigate this question in different ways. Simply stand at one end of the playground make a sound. Move a step away, make the sound again, move further away etc. Keep going until you cannot hear the sound. How far away can you get before you cannot hear it anymore? Investigate different sounds and record distance before you cannot hear it anymore. Draw bar graph of results. Make a conclusion based on data – sounds decrease as I move away from a source. Loud sounds can travel a greater distance than quiet sounds. Making links between loudness of sounds and distance, they travel.	Children record date in groups. Independently draws a bar graph to show results. Makes a simple conclusion based on evidence either orally or in written form.		Can give examples to demonstrate that sounds get fainter as the distance from the sound source increases
Lesson 6: How can we protect our ears from very loud sounds? What is the best material to insulate sound?	A sound insulator is a material, which blocks sound effectively.	Play a recording of a drill / aeroplane to set the scene and ask the children to consider how they would protect their ears. Use a datalogger to measure the sound. Children set up an investigation to find out what materials are helpful in blocking the sound. Fun Plenary: Fill a balloon with flour and burst it the other side of the field. Demonstrates that light travels faster than sound.			



Lesson 7: What is pitch?	Pitch is the highness or lowness of a sound' Pitch is affected by features of objects producing the sounds. For example, smaller objects usually produce higher pitched sounds. Use TAPS lesson plan Y4 Investigating Pitch https://pstt.org.uk/reso urces/curriculum- materials/assessment WS focussed assessment task: Ask relevant questions and use different types of scientific enquiries to answer them	Show children some homemade 'musical instruments': elastic bands over shoe box, 'straw flute', 'sound sandwich' (lolly stick and straw harmonica), stretched balloon 'drum skin' over tube, glass bottle containing water to blow or tap. Explore how to play them to make a sound and ask the children to suggest which parts are vibrating. Invite children to brainstorm and record questions that they could investigate, focusing on changing pitch. e.g. How does size of the elastic band affect pitch? Children then work in small groups investigating different ways of altering pitch. Plenary – look at musical instruments and consider how high/low sounds are created by the instrument when it vibrates.	Children ask a question and carry out an investigation to answer the question.	Children meeting the objective will be able to ask questions and turn them into a form that can be investigated. E.g., <i>How</i> <i>does the size</i> <i>of the drum</i> <i>affect the</i> <i>pitch?</i> Can say whether outcome was what they expected.
Lesson 8 What have I learned?		Use concept cartoon to capture the children s learning: 13.1 <u>Drums</u> – looks at pitch and volume.	The children could annotate the concept cartoon to show their understanding. They will need to use evidence from the unit to back up their thinking.	



Electricity	Electricity Year 4 Term					
What are we learning:	What do teachers need to know? Key learning	How are we learning: Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment	
Lesson 1: What do I already know about electricity?			Children create a mind map/ poster/annotated diagrams to show what they already know about electricity. Title page for their new unit of work.			
Lesson 2: What needs electricity to work?	Many household devices and appliances run on electricity. Some plug in to the mains and others run on batteries.	Provide children with a variety of pictures of objects to discuss and sort. Plenary: Explorify - odd one out <u>https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi</u> <u>ties/odd-one-out/electrical-appliances</u>	Children talk about the pictures and sort them in various ways and then by those that use electricity / batteries or neither. Sort using a Venn or Carroll diagram tree diagram – their choice.	Pictures to include: e.g. radio, phone, TV, computer, remote control car, shoe, brush, etc.		
Lesson 3: What do you need to make an electrical circuit? What	An electrical circuit consists of a cell or battery connected to a component using wires.	Give children the simple equipment: bulb, bulb holder, wires, battery and battery holder. Ask them to explore the equipment and make a simple circuit. Challenge. Take away the bulb and give them a buzzer then motor. Can they	Make and draw a circuit, labelling the components. Challenge. Take away the bulb and give them a buzzer. Provide photos/pictures of circuits that children have to		Children will be able to make electric circuits, naming the components in that circuit.	
happens if the circuit is not complete?	the circuit, a loose connection or a short circuit, the component will not work.	 make a circuit? A circuit needs to be complete for it to work. Plenary: Explorify Zoom in zoom out - <u>https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi</u> <u>ties/zoom-in-zoom-out/curly-coil</u> How a light bulb works. 	make and decide whether they work.			



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Lesson 4:	A switch can be	Energy stick – human circuit –	Make a switch using the	Children need
How can I	added to a circuit to	reinforces idea of a complete circuit to	equipment provided and draw	to not only
make a	turn the component on	make the buzzer / bulb light up. Make a	an annotated diagram to	recognise that
bulb turn	and off.	break in the circuit - the stick stops	illustrate understanding of	the switch
on and off?		glowing / buzzing. Complete the circuit	what is going on.	turns the bulb
		the stick glows. Liken this to a switch		on and off but
		turning something on and off.		also the fact
				that it opens
		Show the children the materials:		and closes
		paperclip, drawing pins, and card.		the circuit.
		Challenge them to make a switch and		
		include this in their circuit.		
		Greater challenge would be to provide a		
		variety of materials: paperclips, rubber		
		bands, drawing pins, foil, and pegs.		
		Challenge them to make their bulb turn		
		on and off using a simple switch.		
		Plenary – look at a variety of switches –		
		peg, paperclip, folded card. How do		
		they all work?		
Lesson 5:	Metals are good	Look at one of the circuits the children	Types of Enquiry focus:	Children
Does it	conductors. Non-	made in the previous lesson. Focus on	Classification Inc. prediction	meeting the
conduct	metallic solids are	the switch and the fact that it is allowing	Children to create a small	objective will
electricity?	insulators except for	the electricity to flow through and	circuit to test whether objects	be able to
	graphite (pencil lead).	complete the circuit. If the switch is	are conductors or insulators	describe the
	Water, if not	open, what materials can be used to	(e.g. a circuit with a bulb,	circuit and
	completely pure, also	bridge this gap in the circuit?	which lights when a gap in	explain how
	conducts electricity.	Introduce the term conduct.	the circuit is bridged).	their results
	Working	Display and discuss a news story about	The stability of the second state	(orally/written
	Scientifically LO	soldiers wearing 'smart' clothing which	The children then need to	form) show
	Focus for	conducts electricity:	produce a radio or video	that (in
	assessment TAPS	http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/technology-	message to send to the	general)
	PLAN Does it conduct	17580666	soldier explaining what he	metals
	<u>electricity</u>	Introduce the terms conductor/insulator.	needs to do to produce a	conduct
	Reporting on	Example context: Why would a soldier	working circuit therefore	electricity and
L	findings from	need to be able to conduct electricity?	enabling his GPS. The	other



	enquiries, including	Give the scenario of a soldier in the	children need to explain why		aterials do
	oral and written	desert that has ripped part of his 'smart'	they are confident that this	not	t.
	explanations,	clothing and therefore lost part of the	will work providing scientific		
	displays or	circuit in his GPS system. As he has no	evidence to reassure the		
	presentations of	other navigation guides, he is unable to	solider. The children need to		
	results and	provide his location for rescue. Explain	provide a list of all possible		
	conclusions using	that the soldier has a pack containing a	conductors (in case of		
	scientific evidence	variety of objects. Objects from the pack	damage) when the solider		
	of their investigation	will need to be used to complete a	comes to use them.		
	to support their	circuit to activate the GPS.			
	findings.				
	-	Provide a collection of objects/ materials			
		(including different metals and plastics).			
		Ask them how they could find out			
		whether electricity can pass through the			
		materials and help them plan how to put			
		the materials into a gap in a circuit with			
		a bulb or buzzer to test them. Ask the			
		children to focus on recording their			
		results and explaining what the results			
		show.			
		Plenary – for fun use energy stick and			
		place different objects in the circuit.			
Lesson 6:		Have some wires for children to handle.	Challenge the children to		
Can I make		Discuss what they are made of –metal	make their own wires to		
a complete		wires, covered in plastic (discuss why).	complete a circuit.		
circuit?		Draw out plastic is an insulator and	Provide materials: foil, cling		
		metal a conductor. Use explorify inside	film kitchen roll, paperclips,		
What		out Zoom in Zoom out activity.	battery bulb and bulb holder.		
materials		https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi			
are used to		ties/zoom-in-zoom-out/inside-out			
make the		Ask a child to make a simple circuit with			
wire in a		the equipment: bulb, bulb holder,			
circuit?		battery, battery holder and wires.			
		Discuss different parts of the circuit and			
		the materials used. Notice that a			
		complete circuit has metal parts. Set a			



		challenge by removing the wires and using the equipment provided so the children make their own wires to complete the circuit.		
Lesson 7: What effect does a switch have in a circuit?		Make a game using a circuit – link to DT. Use switches to add to circuits to solve particular problems e.g. pressure switch for a burglar alarm.		Children will be able to explain incorporate a switch into a circuit to turn it on and off.
Lesson 8: What have I learned? How does a torch work?	This activity allows the children to use all their knowledge to consider what is happening. Complete circuit/switch and conductors/insulators.	Look at a torch and think about the different parts.	Can they dismantle a torch and then put it back together again? The children should produce a piece of writing explaining how the torch works. Annotated diagrams with all key words used.	



States of Ma		Year 4 Term			
What are	What do teachers need	How are we learning:		-	
we learning:	to know? Key learning	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment
Lesson 1:	AfL elicitation task.	Provide the children with the key vocabulary for the topic. Solid, liquid, gas, state change, melting, freezing, melting point, boiling point, evaporation, condensation, temperature, and water cycle. Read the words to the children if needed. A concept map may need modelling.	Children to create a concept map including arrows or concept sentences stating how the words link.	Key vocabulary on flashcards for children to use.	
Lesson 2: What do we know about solids, liquids and gases?	A solid keeps its shape and has a fixed volume. A liquid has a fixed volume but changes in shape to fit the container. A liquid poured keeps a level, horizontal surface. A gas fills all available space; it has no fixed shape or volume.	Introduction – children name some solids liquids and gases – teacher lists these on the board. Assess how diverse the list is. Provide a variety of objects for the children to discuss and consider whether they are solids, liquids or gases. These objects should be different to the ones the children mentioned, so more diverse. What makes a solid, a solid? Plenary – raisins in lemonade. What is going on?	Children list different solids, liquids gases on white boards. Using a given set of materials children sort them into groups and classify why. Thereby thinking about the properties of solids / liquids/ gases. Children put some raisins in the lemonade and have to explain what is going on using the vocabulary solid, liquid and gas.	Materials / pictures for children to sort: Toothpaste, rice, sand, ketchup, air freshener, perfume, Lemonade raisins	Children will be able to name properties of solids, liquids and gases.
Lesson 3: Is it always easy to tell whether something is a solid, liquid or gas?	Granular and powdery solids like sand can be confused with liquids because when poured they form a heap and they do not keep a level surface	Explore two activities with the children. Solids - focus on rice, sand, flour. Observe their behaviour when pouring. Draw out that although we can pour the rice, it is small particles. Explain you can pick up one particle. Sand and	Children to write a simple explanation informing an alien form another planet why it is not always easy to tell whether something is a sold, liquid or gas. In their explanations, they		Children will be able to justify why something is a solid or liquid.



	when tipped. Each individual grain demonstrates the properties of a solid.	 flour are the same – made up of lots of small particles. Children observe foam burst shower gel in a container over time. In a few minutes, it will fill the cup with foam. Gas filled bubbles. Can they describe verbally what is going on? Using evidence from these investigations, can they write a reply to the initial question? 	will need reference the properties of these materials and the evidence of the activities that they have just carried out.		
Lesson 4: What makes a material change its state?	Melting is a state change from solid to liquid. Freezing is a state change from liquid to solid	Read Michael Rosen's poem 'Chocolate' whilst children hold a chocolate button in their hand. Allow children to investigate chocolate melting. What variables affect the chocolate melting? What do they want to find out? Model how to plan an investigation using planning boards – support now so that later in topic there is the chance to assess this skill. Plenary: Draw out the conclusion that heating causes materials to change state. Finish with fun discussion activity	Children choose something to investigate and carry out the investigation. A photo of their investigation and brief description of how they set it up – making it fair will be enough evidence.	Chocolate different types, bowls and hot water or hot water bottles, foil trays to place the chocolate in. Further activity/ Enrichment: <u>ASE chocolate</u> <u>factory primary</u> <u>upd8 resource</u>	From their investigations, children will be able to explain what affects how quickly a solid melts.
Lesson 5: What temperature is it? Maths link?	This is an assessed WS activity for this unit. Use the TAPS lesson plan for support.	TAPS – Measuring temperatures. Take accurate measurements in carousel of temperature activities - see TAPS lesson plan.	Children record temperatures in a given table.	Variety of Thermometers Bowls of water/liquids of differing temperatures.	Assess whether the children can - Make reasonably accurate measurements of temperature



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	WS focus: Take accurate measurements using standard units, using a range of equipment including thermometers and data loggers				independently using units of measurement.
	The freezing point of water is 0C. Boiling is a change of state from liquid to gas when a liquid reaches a specific temperature and bubbles of the gas are in the liquid. Water boils when heated to 100C.				
Lesson 6: What is going on?	Children need to experience a variety of materials and know that they can melt if subjected to a high enough temperature. Notice that things solidify when cooled.	Children observe a candle burning over time and make observations as to how the materials change. Then blow the candle out and observe. Heating/Melting - a candle burning Cooling/solidifying - blow out the candle and observe the liquid wax Can the children give further examples of materials that will change when they are heated or cooled? Plenary - Can metal melt?	Observational drawings – explanation of what's going on using the key vocabulary: Solid, liquid, heated, melts, cools, solidifies. List of further examples.		Children will be able to give examples of things that melt and know that their melting points may vary.
Lesson 7a: What is evaporation?	Evaporation is the same state change as boiling (liquid to gas), but it happens slowly	Give children a piece of sugar paper and ask them to make a handprint on the paper with water. Where has the	Children describe what they notice. Can use O.P.O.E. technique to support		



Very short lesson prior to lesson 7b.	at lower temperatures and only at the surface of the liquid.	water gone? Introduce new vocabulary evaporation and water vapour.	discussion.(Observe, predict, observe, explain)	
Lesson 7b: Where is the best place to dry your washing? How does temperature affect the rate of evaporation?	This is the assessed WS activity for this unit. Use the TAPS lesson plan for support. WS Focus: Set up a fair test Y4 – Materials drying <u>https://pstt.org.uk/reso</u> <u>urces/curriculum-</u> <u>materials/assessment</u> Evaporation happens more quickly if the temperature is higher, the liquid is across a larger surface area or it is windy.	Plan an investigation to reach a conclusion within a real-life context, e.g. Where is the best place to dry your washing? Children to explain what conditions are needed to dry materials by evaporation. Make a list (warm, dry, and windy). Discuss different places to investigate. In mixed groups, children to decide on the type of material (cloth/paper towels), quantity of water, locations to test evaporation (e.g. could arrange washing lines in different locations around the school) and how often to observe/check. Provide measuring equipment including thermometers, jugs, and rulers. N.B. Paper towels can dry in an afternoon (heavy fabric will take longer).	Children plan an investigation and record this planning. Carry out the investigation and verbally report the conclusions. Written evidence should just be on the planning of the investigation.	Children meeting the objective will be able to carry out a fair test and say what is changed and that other factors could affect evaporation if not kept the same, e.g. <i>I will</i> <i>keep the</i> <i>sameamount</i> <i>of water, size of</i> <i>material.</i>
Lesson 8a: What is condensation ?	Condensation is the change back from a gas to a liquid caused by cooling	Use concept cartoon: <u>Condensation</u> Also, provide a tin filled with ice cubes that they can observe. What do they see on the outside of the tin? Introduction to lesson 9b. Very short lesson.	Children discuss.	Children will be able to explain why there is condensation of the outside of an icy water cup.
Lesson 8b: What is the water cycle?	Water at the surface of seas, rivers etc. evaporates into water vapour (a gas). This rises, cools and condenses back into a	Introduce the activity by playing the memory game: Picture outside – children in teams, one child goes and returns to describe what they saw to the team drawer, next child goes out,	In English can they write an extended piece of writing telling the story of the water cycle by pretending to be a droplet of water that starts life	Children will be able to present their learning of the water cycle in a range of ways.



	liquid forming clouds. When too much water has condensed, the water droplets in the cloud get too heavy and fall back down as rain, snow, sleet etc. and drain back into rivers etc. This is precipitation. This is the water cycle.	returns and describes. Compare their drawing to the real. What would they add or delete to improve their drawings? Mark / draw in a different colour. Focus on key vocabulary and discuss what is happening. Then make a mini model of the water cycle <u>https://www.science-</u> <u>sparks.com/make-a-mini-water-cycle/</u>	falling from a cloud or comic strip etc.	
Lesson 9: What have I learned?			Children go back to their initial concept maps and add new connections in a different colour or using the same, words create a new concept map showing the connections they can now make.	



Animals Including Humans

Year 4 Term

What are	What do teachers	How are we learning:				
we	need to know?	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment	
learning:	Key learning					
Lesson 1:			What do I know about teeth,			
			the digestive system and			
			food chains? Create mind			
			maps about each of these.			
Lesson 2:	Humans have four	Children should eat an apple			Children	
What teeth	types of teeth: incisors	considering what teeth they use to eat			should be	
do we have	for cutting; canines for	the apple.			able to point	
and why do	tearing; and molars	Use mirrors to look at their own teeth.			to the three	
we need	and premolars for	Consider which teeth are used for what			different types	
them?	grinding (chewing).	purpose. Use books/internet to research			of teeth in	
		these different teeth and make notes.			their mouth	
Why do we		Finally, with modelling clay try to make			and talk about	
have		a model of the different teeth and take a			their shape	
different		photo. Label the teeth with the different			and why	
teeth?		names and explain what they do.			different types	
					of teeth are	
		Explorify			needed for	
		https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi			eating and	
		ties/the-big-question/why-do-we-have-			chewing food.	
		different-teeth				
Lesson 3:	This is a WS	Discuss how children look after their			Children	
Why do we	assessment task. Use	teeth.			meeting the	
get tooth	the TAPS lesson plan	Could use video			objective can	
decay?	for support. Y4 teeth	http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-			order liquids	
	https://pstt.org.uk/reso	<u>nBSQQHYdkE</u>			according to	
	urces/curriculum-	Explain that we will be using hard-boiled			damage done	
	materials/assessment	eggs to investigate tooth decay.			to eggs and	
	WS focussed	As a class set up a fair test to			suggest	
	assessment objective	investigate the affects that different			reasons why.	
	Use results to draw	liquids have on teeth e.g. cola, water,			Able to raise	
	simple conclusions,	vinegar, milk, sports drink and orange			further	
	suggest	juice.			questions,	



improvements and	e.g., I thought
raise further	sports
questions.	drink/orange
	juice was a
	'healthy' drink
	but it was not,
	l wonder
	whether these
	drinks contain
	a lot of sugar?
Lesson 4a: Food enters the body Children should eat something and then Eat a biscuit and diarise the	Children will
Whatthrough the mouth.draw an annotated diagram of what theyjourney through the body	be able to
happens to Digestion starts when think happens. AfL	draw the main
the food I the teeth start to break	parts of the
eat? the food down. As Main activity: Play group memory game	digestive
saliva is added and to introduce the different parts of the	system onto a
the tongue rolls the digestive system and then groups can Groups try to describe the	human
food into a ball. research the functions. Adding notes to digestive system to a child	outline.
Food is swallowedthe group diagram.who has to draw what they	
from the mouth. have been heard being	
Food passes down described. Real picture given	
the oesophagus to the for them to compare What did	
stomach. In the they do well, what do they	
stomach, food is need to improve? P.65 Look	
churned around with think talk book Gaynor	
other chemicals, Weavers.	
which are added in	
the stomach, and	
broken into small	
pieces.	
The food then passes	
into the small	
intestine.	
Lesson 4b: The small intestine Model Demonstration: Take photographs of each	Children
Whatremoves nutrients https://www.stem.org.uk/system/files/eli part of the digestive system	should be
hannana ta fuana tha faad. Tha hanna	
happens tofrom the food. Thebrary-for the children to annotatethe food Inutrients leave thein the children to annotate	able to use diagrams or a



eat? What happens in each part of the digestive system?	digestive system (to be used by the body). The rest of the food then passes into the large intestine. The large intestine removes water for use elsewhere in the body. What is left is then stored in the rectum until it leaves the body through the anus when you go to the toilet.	resources/legacy_files_migrated/35136- KS2ActivitySheet_humanbody_4.pdf Using old tights, bananas, orange juice, water through to demonstrate food journey through the body	after the event, describing what was happening.	model to describe the journey of food through the body explaining what happens in each part
Lesson 5: Can you tell what an animal eats from its teeth?		Identifying and classifying: <i>Skulls and teeth – match type of teeth to type of eater.</i> <i>Create a classification tree to sort using terms carnivore, omnivore and herbivore</i> <i>Plenary -</i> How do the teeth of carnivores and herbivores differ and why?	Provide children with pictures of animals and their teeth. Some pictures in resource: <u>https://www.stem.org.uk/elibr</u> <u>ary/resource/32715</u> Children sort the pictures into groups. Then identify which teeth belong to omnivores / herbivores and carnivores. Describe the differences.	Children should be able to explain how the teeth in animal skulls show they are carnivores, herbivores or omnivores
Lesson 6: Who's eating what? Are you eating plastic for dinner?		Look at the pictures of the animals in the previous lesson. Identify the different groups and demonstrate a simple food chain based on resources in <u>https://www.stem.org.uk/elibrary/resourc</u> <u>e/32715</u> E.g. grass, zebra, lion. Introduce vocabulary producer, predator and prey. Reinforce through game played in Y2 <u>https://www.stem.org.uk/resources/elibr</u>		Children should be able to create food chains.



	ary/resource/34119/education-pack- food-chainsFoxes and rabbits game. Play game to model food chain but now use the terms producer, prey and predator.Also possibility of using Primary upd8 resource Food chains – <u>Are you eating</u> plastic for dinner?Links teeth, digestion and food chains.	
Lesson 7 What have I learned?	add	back to mind maps and d what they have learnt in ifferent colour.



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	need to know?	How are we learning:	Dunil learning activity	Dessuress	Accession
we		Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment
learning:	Key learning	Discuss two of the held's to the shildness			
Lesson 1:	Living things live in a	Discuss two of the habitats the children	Recap of Y2: Children to		
What is a	habitat, which	have drawn.	choose a habitat and draw a		
habitat?	provides an environment to which	Identify similarities and differences between them.	picture to represent that		
	they are suited (Year	If they have not identified different	habitat labelling the plants and animals that they might		
	2 learning).	habitats perhaps look at arctic and	find there. They should		
		desert habitats:	explain why we might find		
		Watch <i>the first 2 ¹/₂ minutes</i> of this	these plants/animals in that		
		BBC clip:	habitat. Complete the		
		https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-	sentences		
		video/science-ks2ks3-how-animals-	This is a habitat. A habitat		
		have-adapted/z4y76v4	is		
		 What special features, or 			
		adaptations, does the Arctic fox			
		have?			
		What adaptations does the			
		desert fox have?			
		Owls - how are they adapted to the			
		habitat			
		https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/zv7			
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Lesson 2: How can		Provide children with a variety of pictures of animals. These should		Pictures of the different	
		include pictures of animals they named		animal	
we group living		in lesson 1. <i>Children to use pictures and</i>		groups: lion,	
things?		descriptions to put animal into groups in		giraffe, hippo,	
		different ways (e.g. where they live,		snake, bird,	
		what they eat, how they move, how		fish,	
		many legs, etc.)		- ,	
Lesson 3:	WS focus gather,	Use TAPS lesson PLAN Y4 Local	Local environment study		Children
What can	record, and classify	Environment study. Survey of local	noticing animals and plants		meeting the
we identify	data?	environment.	locally. Use pooters to collect		objective will

Year 4 Term

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and classify in our local environme nt?			minibeasts. Group the animals / plants		be able to identify that animals and plants that are classified in a number of possible ways including vertebrates and invertebrates, flowering and non-flowering plants.
Lesson 4: What is a classificatio n key?	Living things are classified in different ways according to their features (grouped). Classification keys to identify and name living things.	Using a set of pictures teacher models progression - sorting into two groups using a single chosen criteria e.g. wings / no wings. Then model how to choose two criteria to create an intersecting Venn diagram. In small groups provide the children with pictures to play 'Guess who', asking questions that can only be answered with yes or no to identify which animal has been chosen. Show how to make a classification key. Based on: Lesson 3 ASE and http://www.saps.org.uk/attachments/arti cle/560/SAPS%20Grouping%20&%20cl assification%20-%20PartE.pdf	Children create simple sorting groups and finally keys.		Assess children's ability to create a key.
Lesson 4: Name that plant. Can I use a key to identify an unknow plant?		p.25-29 Classification book https://www.saps.org.uk/attachments/art icle/1377/SAPS%20book%205%20- %20Grouping%20and%20Classification %20-%202016.pdf Activity related to buttercups to pick out observable characteristics and similarities and differences.	Using a key with buttercups. Children use a key to identify the buttercup/picture they have been given.		Children will be able to use a classification key to identify an unknow plant.



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Lesson 5: Can I find leaves in my locality and create a key to identify them?	Recap the trees that children have learned in Y1. Assess WS objective: record findings using a key.	Use Woodland Trust materials to find typical leaves. <u>http://www.treetoolsforschools.org.uk/ac</u> <u>tivities/pdfs/pdf_leaf_spotter_sheet.pdf</u> Collect the fallen leaves from the trees. Back at school identify similarities and differences and create keys to identify the leaves.	Create a key to identify trees in the local environment.	Assess children's ability to create a key independently of 4, 5 or 6 leaves. The making of keys has been modelled, they have used a key now need to show that they can create one Independently
Lesson 6: Why do environme nts change and how does this affect living things?	These environments may change naturally e.g. through flooding, fire, earthquakes etc. Humans also cause the environment to change. This can be in a good way (i.e. positive human impact, such as setting up nature reserves) or in a bad way (i.e. negative human impact, such as littering). These environments also change with the seasons; different living things can be	Use pictures as a stimulus of environmental change: 1. natural - flooding, drought 2. man – negative pollution on beaches – use David Attenborough clip 3. man – positive creating nature reserves, tree planting Children should research a positive and negative example and present their findings picture of environment annotated or a description provided of impact in poster format or a way of their choosing. <u>Explorify</u> – What if we did not plant trees? <u>https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi</u> <u>ties/what-if/we-did-not-plant-trees</u>	Creation of posters	Children will be able to give examples of how an environment may change both naturally and die to human impact.



	found in a habitat at different times of the vear.			
Lesson 7: What have I learned?		from the topic. Invite the key children to write a short piece env of writing to include these hat words hur imp	assification y vironment bitat man pact sitive gative	



Year 4/ Year B: Science Progression in Skills and Knowledge

Year 4/ Year 6	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
 identify how sounds are made, associating some of them with something vibrating recognise that vibrations from sounds travel through a medium to the ear find patterns between the pitch of a sound and features of the object that produced it find patterns between the volume of a sound and the strength of the vibrations that produced it recognise that sounds get fainter as the distance from the sound source increases. 		
Autumn 2: Electricity		
 identify common appliances that run on electricity construct a simple series electrical circuit, identifying and naming its basic parts, including cells, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzers identify whether or not a lamp will light in a simple series circuit, based on whether or not the lamp is part of a complete loop with a battery recognise that a switch opens and closes a circuit and associate this with whether or not a lamp lights in a simple series circuit recognise some common conductors and insulators, and associate metals with being good conductors 		
Spring 1 and 2: States of Matter		
 compare and group materials together, according to whether they are solids, liquids or gases observe that some materials change state when they are heated or cooled, and measure or research the temperature at which this happens in degrees Celsius (°C) identify the part played by evaporation and condensation in the water cycle and associate the rate of evaporation with temperature 		



Summer 1: Animals including humans	
 describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans 	
 identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions 	
 construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey. 	
Summer 2: Living things and habitats	
 recognise that living things can be grouped in a variety of ways explore and use classification keys to help group, identify and name a variety of living things in their local and wider environment 	
 recognise that environments can change and that this can sometimes pose dangers to living things 	

Year 4/ Year B: Science Progression in Skills and Knowledge

Y3/4 Working Scientifically:	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
 asking relevant questions and using different types of scientific enquiries to answer them 		
 setting up simple practical enquiries, comparative and fair tests 		
 making systematic and careful observations and, where appropriate, taking accurate measurements using standard units, using a range of equipment, including thermometers and data loggers 		
 gathering, recording, classifying and presenting data in a variety of ways to help in answering questions 		



Y3/4 Working Scientifically:	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
 recording findings using simple scientific language, drawings, labelled diagrams, keys, bar charts, and tables 		
 reporting on findings from enquiries, including oral and written explanations, displays or presentations of results and conclusions 		
 using results to draw simple conclusions, make predictions for new values, suggest improvements and raise further questions 		
 identifying differences, similarities or changes related to simple scientific ideas and processes 		
 using straightforward scientific evidence to answer questions or to support their findings. 		



UKS2 Lesson Plans Year A 5/6





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Year 6 Term

What are	What do teachers	How are we learning:			
we	need to know?	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment
learning:	Key learning				
Lesson 1:	AfL – elicitation task	Using some of the key vocabulary	Mind maps/concept maps of		
What do I		children need to mind map what they	4 of the key words from the		
know?		know about these ideas and say how	unit:		
		they think they might be connected.	evolution		
			inheritance		
			adaptation		
			fossils		
Lesson 2:	All living things have	Inheritance.		Photos to	
What	offspring of the	Introduction – Using photos of yourself	Matching exercise –	match	
features do	same kind. Features	(or friends or celebrities) and parents or	explaining reasoning using		
we inherit?	are inherited from	children- can the children match the	vocab introduced.	Generation	
	parents due to	children to the parents. E.g. Cameron		of Traits	
What is	sexual reproduction.	Douglas, Michael Douglas, Kirk		activity	
inheritance?	The offspring are	Douglas. What clues were there for the		sheets	
	not identical to their	family groups? Use the word 'characteristics' 'inherited'.			
	parents and vary from each other.	Main activity: Generation of traits	Carry out generation of traits		
		activity:	activity. Answer questions		
	The book Molliebird	https://teach.genetics.utah.edu/content/	posed and explain reasoning.		
	could be used to	heredity/files/Traits-Generations.pdf			
	support all the NC	Teacher led.			
	objectives:		Class discussion		
	https://pstt.org.uk/re	Plenary: Use <u>explorify</u> odd, one out			
	sources/resources-	(half-and-half) and discuss what			
	available-through-	characteristics have been inherited.			
	tts/the-molliebird	https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi			
		ties/odd-one-out/half-and-half			
Lesson 3:	Plants and animals	Adaptation.	Children research either		Children will
How are	have characteristics	Use: chapter 10. Slides 4 -7.	snake or lizard and then		be able to
living things	that make them	https://www.millgatehouse.co.uk/smeres	annotate their picture slide 6		give examples
adapted to	suited (adapted) to	ources/ Split the class in half and give	or 7 with its key adaptations		of how plants
	their environment.	each child a statement about either a	and why needed. How this		and animals



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their environment? Lesson 4: How do organisms evolve?	If the environment changes rapidly, some variations of a species may not suit the new environment and will die. If the environment changes slowly, animals and plants with variations that are best suited survive in greater numbers to reproduce and pass their characteristics	lizard or a snake from slide 4 or 5. Give the children time to research further information about their animal. Use the example of the horse to model expectations. Slide 20: Characteristic and how that enables it to survive. Two part annotation required. Slide 8. Use prompt cards (slide 9) for support. Plenary – class annotation of a plant e.g. cactus. Key features/characteristics thick waxy skin, large fleshy stems, spikes, shallow widespread roots. Class discuss and annotate how the adaptations enable the plant to survive. Evolution: Use Darwin's finches are a good example. Model activity to demonstrate evolution and how the finches evolved. https://www.stem.org.uk/system/files/eli brary- resources/legacy_files_migrated/35875- Y6Evolution-DarwinsFinches.pdf Provide groups of children with a food source and beaks of tweezers, chopsticks, pegs etc. Which bird can collect enough food to survive? What would happen if the environment looked different? Would the same bird survive?	adaptation enables the animal to survive. Children write an explanation of what this shows. Explain what would happen if the environment looked different?	have adapted to their environments. They will identify characteristics that will make a plant or animal suited or not suited to a particular habitat.
Lesson 5: What is the story of the peppered moth?	on to their young. Over time, these inherited characteristics become more	Introduction – Explorify odd one out https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi ties/odd-one-out/amazing-adaptations	Discussion Write a comic strip story of how the peppered moth evolved over time.	Can explain why the dominant colour of the peppered



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	dominant within the	Main activity - The story of the peppered		moth changed
	population.	moth. Use book Moth by Isabel		over a very
		Thomas. Environments can change		short period.
		https://askabiologist.asu.edu/peppered-		
		moths-game/		
Lesson 6:	Over a very long	Fossils		Children
What is a	period, these	Introduction what is a fossil? Recap Y3	Make a fossil sandwich.	should be
fossil?	characteristics may	If needed, make a fossil sandwich or		able to
	be so different to	activity done in Y3 making the fossil if		explain what a
	how they were	not previously done. See Y3 rocks.		fossil is in
	originally that a new	Fossils are in sedimentary rock. The		simple terms.
	species is created.	bread represents the rock; jellybeans		
	This is evolution.	represent the fossil.		Children will
				be able to
		Then use: chapter 10. Slide 11	Drawings of animals based	give examples
		https://www.millgatehouse.co.uk/smeres	on fossil evidence.	of fossil
		ources/ Give each group one of the		evidence to
		fossil images on slide 11. Stick this onto	Analysis of own and	support the
		a large piece of paper, discuss, and	scientist's drawings	theory of
		draw what they think the rest of the	comparing and contrasting.	evolution.
		animal may have looked like. Give them		
		another bone and ask them to discuss		
		and edit their drawings based on this		
		new evidence. Finally give them the		
		third bone and edit pictures. Once		
		completed provide them with slide 14,		
		(16, 17) The scientists drawings based		
		on all the evidence available. Ask them		
		to compare their drawings with the		
		scientists.		
		Plenary Who was Mary Anning?		
		https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zd		
		8fv9q/articles/zf6vb82		
Lesson 7:	WS focussed	Y6 TAPS lesson plan fossil habitats	Discussion	Children
What can we	objective:	Provide children with photos (or better		meeting the
learn from	Identifying	still real or resin) fossils (trilobite,	Research	objective will
fossils?	scientific evidence	ammonite, ichthyosaurus).		be able to:



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	that has been used	Discuss what the animals could have	Design a habitat – draw and		identify
	to support or	looked like- back up with evidence using	label creature and its habitat.		physical
	refute ideas or	secondary sources. Discuss what they	Make comparisons with		characteristics
	arguments. Y6	could have eaten (link to teeth) or where	modern creatures.		from fossil
	TAPS lesson plan	they could have lived (provide details of			evidence Plus
	fossil habitats.	where fossils found).			can suggest
	https://pstt.org.uk/re	Children to design a habitat that the			where the
	sources/curriculum-	animal could have survived in when it			creature might
	materials/assessme	was alive millions of years ago. Draw			have lived,
	<u>nt</u>	and label the creature in its habitat.			and what we
		Make comparisons to modern			can learn from
		creatures. e.g. whales- sea living			fossils using
		prehistoric creatures, birds to many			correct
		prehistoric creatures			scientific
					vocabulary
Lesson 8			Go back to original mind		
What have I			maps / concept maps and		
learned?			add to them in a different		
			colour or make a new version		
			showing their learning.		



Forces Year 5 Term					
What are	What do teachers	How are we learning:			
we learning:	need to know? Key learning	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment
Lesson 1: What do I already know?			Provide children with the key vocabulary for the unit and a KWL grid. Find out what they already know about forces and what they would like to know.		
Lesson 2: Why do objects fall to the Earth?	A force causes an object to start moving, stop moving, speed up, slow down or change direction. Gravity is a force that acts at a distance. Gravity pulls everything to the Earth. Gravity causes unsupported objects to fall.	Introduction: Use 3 images: parachutist, acorn on a tree and kicked ball. Which is the odd one out? Teacher to drop and ball. What do the children notice (all fall). Introduce gravity as a force that acts between the Earth and an object pulling it down. Use Explorify to discuss – What if there was no gravity PMI this question. <u>https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi</u> ties/what-if/there-was-no-gravity	Post its to collate thoughts on odd one out. PMI – no gravity Children show effect of gravity on objects through annotated diagrams. Typical example of Earth and ball dropped at various points on the World.		Children will be able to demonstrate the effect of gravity acting on an unsupported object.
Lesson 3: How can we measure force?		Reinforce that gravity is a force that acts between the Earth and an object pulling it down. All objects on Earth are pulled to the centre of the Earth – how can we measure this pull? Introduce force meters and that we measure force in newtons. Plenary - Our weight can be different on different planets because gravity is different. Our mass is the same on all planets but our weight is different because of the effect of gravity. Weight is mass x gravity. Weight is the force of	Activity: Children have a variety of objects that they can put in plastic poly – pockets and use the force meters to measure the force. Take accurate readings and record in a table. Order their results.	Force meters Variety of classroom objects: scissors, pencil case, mug, calculator etc.	



		gravity on an object; this is measured in Newtons (N). Could use: Ogden Trust materials playdough picnic		
		https://www.ogdentrust.com/resources/p hizzi-practical-planetary-picnic		
Lesson 4: Investigatin g falling objects. How does air resistance affect a falling object?	This is the WS focussed assessment task. TAPS plan Y5 spinners <u>https://pstt.org.uk/reso</u> <u>urces/curriculum-</u> <u>materials/assessment</u> WS: Measure, taking repeat readings Air resistance, water resistance and friction are contact forces that act between moving surfaces. The object may be moving through the air or water, or the air and water may be moving over a stationary object.	Introduction. Teacher to play devil's advocate. Which paper will fall first green / blue? Use the same paper but scrunch one up. Discuss what is happening. Introduce vocab - air resistance and define. Make sure key question is not up at the start of the lesson. Activity: Look at a video of a parachutist. What variables affect the time it takes for the parachute to fall? Children to investigate. Make either parachutes or spinners. Use TAPS lesson plan spinners as a guide. Plenary: Show video clip Prof Brian Cox and discuss the effect of no air resistance. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Qye FQPSbk	Activity Explore, make, and drop a spinner. In groups consider variables and formulate a question <i>e.g.</i> <i>How does the length of</i> <i>wing/number of paper</i> <i>clips/size of paper affect</i> <i>the time it takes to fall?</i> Group roles may be useful e.g. dropper, timer, recorder, fair test checker. Groups or individuals to draw graphs then consider patterns in results.	The children meeting the objective will be able to take repeat measurements and either choose the middle value or find the mean average (may need support to find mean) to plot points on a line graph and comment on the pattern, e.g. <i>the</i> <i>more paper</i> <i>clips, the longer</i> <i>it took.</i> Some explanation in terms of air
Lesson 5: What is		Introduction: Rub hands together what is happening two surfaces in contact	Children explore the effect of friction in terms of	Children will be able to give
friction?		easily slide over each other, produces heat. This is friction. Then use	creating a hovercraft and exploring its movement	examples of when it is
Why do we need to know about		toothbrushes. Not easy to slide over each other.	over different surfaces. Draw conclusions based on evidence. Which	beneficial to have low resistance.
friction?		Main activity – Hovercraft investigation	surface does it travel the	1531310105.



		Plenary: Discuss what it would be like to live in a world without friction.	furthest? Why? Research examples of greater and less friction in real life. List.	
Lesson 6: How much force is needed to overcome friction?		Activity: Set challenge of Egyptians and moving large stones to build the pyramids (or similar idea sport focus). Set up an investigation to measure the force needed. Based on Explorify <u>https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi</u> <u>ties/problem-solvers/move-large-stones</u>	Explore moving a brick over different surfaces. How much force is needed? How can we reduce friction? Set up an investigation and take measurements and record results.	
			Extension: Does increasing the weight affect the force/angle of slope Using brick in shoe box (add a kg weight) and friction slope pull with a force meter and record in Newtons	
Lesson 7: What shapes travel easiest through water?	Use TAPS lesson plan Aquadynamics. Focus on degree of trust in the results	Introduction- Discuss the term water resistance. What do they think this means? Should be able to refer back to air resistance and use this information to define what water resistance is. Activity Discuss test results and their trustworthiness. Use the test results to predict which shapes will fall through the water the fastest. If time, challenge	Comparative drop tests – using play dough; reshape to improve each design Would objects fall at the same rate in different liquids? Extension: create streamline boats – testing speed along a section of drainpipe	Children meeting the objective will be able to evaluate how effectively variables were controlled, e.g. We couldn't get the position the same because some shapes turned over at the surface
		pairs to change the shape so that it falls quickly through the water.		slowly, so we didn't know



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		Plenary – link to everyday life and shapes of speedboats etc.		whether to time from when it went in the water, or when it had turned over.
Lesson 8: What do gears, levers and pulleys do?	A mechanism is a device that allows a small force to increase to a larger force. The pay back is that it requires a greater movement. The small force moves a long distance and the resulting large force moves a small distance, e.g. a crowbar or bottle top remover. Pulleys, levers and gears are all mechanisms, also known as simple machines.	Introduction: As a class define, what they think the vocab lever, gear and pulley is. Set task that after exploring the activities we want to define this vocabulary Main activity: Carousel of activities to explore: Gears – use a bike or maths clock that uses gears and foundation gear construction kit Explore what is happening. Exploring the rotation of turns of bike peddles to rotate the rear wheel of a bike into a higher gear and lower gear. Levers – Balance ruler on a fulcrum. Put a weight one end and push down with their finger at the other. Explore effect. See saw idea. Pulleys – Use dowel and cotton reels and string and try lifting a filled milk carton. Jolly roger flag idea. Pull down string to lift weight. Plenary – Look back at initial definitions – do we want to amend these? Finish with Explorify-Cogs in the kitchen https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi ties/odd-one-out/cogs-in-the-kitchen What do the mechanisms do? Make work easier - i.e. allow a smaller force to have a greater effect.	Children draw annotated diagrams of each explaining what is going on in the different activities. Draw a general conclusion as to what these machines do. I.e. allow a smaller force to have a greater effect. Make life easier!	Children will be able to demonstrate how pulleys, levers and gears work and can demonstrate the effects of these – how a small force can result in a larger force.



Lesson 9: What have I learned?	Go back to KWL grid and complete the section of what they have learnt.
	Challenge extension task: Make a product that involves a lever, gear or pulley for use in a Wallace & Gromit film. Draw annotated diagrams to explain thinking. Note children applying creative higher order thinking.



Living Things and Their Habitats

Year 5 Term

What are	What do teachers	How are we learning:				
we	need to know?	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment	
learning:	Key learning					
Lesson 1: What do I know?	AfL elicitation task As part of their life cycle, plants and animals reproduce. Most animals reproduce sexually. This involves two parents where the sperm from the male fertilises the female egg.		Children write definitions for the key vocabulary of the unit. Using the pictures children should ask questions related to the lifecycles of these animals. What do they want to know about these animal lifecycles?	Provide a list of the key vocabulary and pictures of a variety of animals at various stages of their lifecycle.		
Lesson 2: What is a lifecycle?	WS focussed assessment task Report and present findings from enquiries, in oral and written forms such as displays and other presentations, using appropriate scientific language.	Intro - <u>https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi</u> <u>ties/whats-going-on/coming-out-to-play</u> butterfly form chrysalis Main activity – use TAPS lesson plan <u>https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum-</u> <u>materials/assessment Y5</u> Lifecycle research.	Children to research two different lifecycles. -		Children meeting the objective will be able to select relevant facts from their research compare the life cycles of different animals and present their findings in an appropriate	



Lesson 3: How do different animals grow and change? Compare and contrast.	Animals, including humans, have offspring, which grow into adults. In humans and some animals, these offspring will be born live, such as babies or kittens, and then grow into adults. In other animals, such as chickens or snakes, there may be eggs laid that hatch to young, which then grow to adults. Some young undergo a further change before becoming adults e.g. caterpillars to butterflies. This is	Focus on the four animal groups: mammal, amphibian, insect, bird. Watch this 6 minute clip. It describes many life cycles, including amphibians (frogs), insects (butterflies) and birds (ospreys). https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class- clips-video/science-ks2ks3-the-life- cycles-of-different-organisms/zvh8qp3 Discuss similarities and differences between the different animal groups, also using information children gleaned from their research. Children to record the similarities and differences of two lifecycles. Resources from Lesson 4 Animal lifecycles very good. <u>https://www.ase.org.uk/ase- coronavirus-hub-primary-remote- learning-resources#year5</u>	Children select two animals and complete a graphic organiser comparing and contrasting the two animals. In groups, the children could make mobiles of the lifecycle of one of the animal groups studied or create a game or drama to represent the lifecycle. Insect – butterfly Amphibian – frog Bird Mammal	Children meeting the objective will be able to draw the lifecycle of a range of animals identifying similarities and differences between the lifecycles.
Lesson 3b How do the gestation periods of different animals compare?	metamorphosis. Extension/Enrichme nt lesson.	Resources form lesson 5 Gestation of mammals extremely good. https://www.ase.org.uk/ase-coronavirus- hub-primary-remote-learning- resources#year5	Children can drw a graph and compare the gestation periods for different mammals and look for patterns.	
Lesson 4: What is the difference between incomplete and complete		Look at the lifecycle of the butterfly. It would be great if the class had caterpillars and observed the changes over real time creating a diary of these changes using annotated diagrams and	Children show the difference between the two in a format of their choice.	



metamorpho sis?		scientific vocabulary. This is an example of complete metamorphosis. Complete metamorphosis has 4 distinct stages: egg, larva, pupa, and adult . Incomplete metamorphosis has 3 distinct stages: egg, nymph, and adult. Compare this to an example of incomplete metamorphosis.		
Lesson 5: How do plants reproduce including flowering plants? What is the lifecycle of a flowering plant?		Recap of Y3 – pollination and seed dispersal. Provide the children with the key vocabulary, which they should discuss in pairs: pollination, anther, stigma, pollen, seed dispersal, seed germination. From this, they should produce a piece of writing/or a notated diagram. Plenary - Use lesson 2 Pollination to show sexual reproduction of flowering plants. <u>https://www.ase.org.uk/ase- coronavirus-hub-primary-remote- learning-resources#year5</u>	Children should write an extended piece of writing to explain the process of reproduction in flowering plants or annotated diagrams showing the lifecycle of the plant.	Do the children understand the process of sexual reproduction in plants? Do their explanatory texts explain the lifecycle of a flowering plant?
Lesson 6: What is the difference between sexual reproduction and asexual reproduction in plants?	Plants reproduce both sexually and asexually. Bulbs, tubers, runners and plantlets are examples of asexual plant reproduction, which involves only one parent. Gardeners may force plants to reproduce asexually by taking cuttings. Sexual reproduction occurs through	Use resources form Lesson 1 Plant reproduction for support https://www.ase.org.uk/ase-coronavirus- hub-primary-remote-learning- resources#year5	Children can draw / explain how plants reproduce. A4 paper split in half one side sexual reproduction in plants the other side explaining asexual reproduction. Can they give examples of plants that reproduce in these ways?	Children meeting the objective will be able to explain the difference between sexual and asexual reproduction and give examples of how plants reproduce in both ways.



	pollination, usually involving wind or insects.		
Lesson 8 What have I learned?		Using the same vocabulary given at the start of the unit the children should now write definitions for the key vocabulary of the unit. Reflect on any changes they have made i.e. I used to think	
		but now I knowbecause	



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Year 5 Term

What are	What do teachers	Io teachers How are we learning:				
we	need to know?	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment	
learning:	Key learning					
Lesson 1:	When babies are	This content needs to be taught	Provide the children with four			
What do I	young, they grow	alongside PSHE. The new statutory	PowerPoint slides:			
know?	rapidly. They are very	requirements for relationships and				
	dependent on their	health education can be found below:	Baby			
Can you	parents. As they	 Statutory guidance on Physical 	Child			
describe	develop, they learn	health and mental wellbeing	Adolescent (puberty)			
the	many skills. At	(primary and secondary).	Mature adult			
different	puberty, a child's body		Older adult			
stages of a	changes and develops	Other useful guidance includes:				
human's	primary and	 Joint briefing on teaching about 	Children should annotate			
life from	secondary sexual	puberty in KS2 from PHSE	these slides with the key			
baby, child,	characteristics. This	Association and Association for	information.			
adolescent,	enables the adult to	Science Education				
mature	reproduce.	Briefing on human's development and				
adult, older	This content needs to	reproduction in the Primary Curriculum				
adult?	be taught alongside	from PHSE Association and Association				
	PSHE.	for Science Education.				
Lesson 2:	WS focussed	Use TAPS lesson plan for support Y5	Children measure different		Children	
What could	assessment task	Growth survey.	groups of children recording		meeting the	
we	Take measurements	https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum-	information. They should		objective will	
measure to	with increasing	materials/assessment	create a scatter graph of		be able to	
show how	accuracy and	Groups decide e.g. forearm length, arm	results and identify any		measure	
humans	precision.	span, foot length, etc. Discuss how we	patterns or anomalies explain		accurately in	
develop as		could measure this and the number of	reasoning whey this might be		cm and mm	
they grow		children/adults we would need to	the case.		and record	
older?		measure. How accurate do our			data in a	
		measurements need to be? Decide on			scatter graph	
		how many decimal places or unit.			suggest	
		Ensure that children understand that			reasons for a	
		they also need to record the age of the			pattern, and	
		person.			identify any	
					anomalies.	



Lesson 3: What happens during puberty?	WS LO Reporting and presenting findings from enquiries in written forms	Children go to different year groups to measure specified number of children. Bring data together to create class table. Ask groups to create scatter graphs to present the data, can use ICT to do this Possibility of interviewing school nurse to support children's understanding of puberty.	Prior to visit children write questions they want to know about puberty. (Teacher vet the questions!) After visit children present work as an information leaflet or answers to a problem page. E.g. What happens to a person when they go through puberty?	Children achieving the objective will be able to: present findings clearly and explain the changes that take place in boys and girls during puberty.
Lesson 4: What have I learned about human developme nt?			Go back to the PowerPoint slides and children add any new information they have learned in a different colour.	



Year 5/ Year A Science Progression in Skills and Knowledge

NC Knowledge	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
Autumn 1: Evolution and inheritance		
 recognise that living things have changed over time and that fossils provide information about living things that inhabited the Earth millions of years ago recognise that living things produce offspring of the same kind, but normally offspring vary and are not identical to their parents identify how animals and plants are adapted to suit their environment in different ways and that adaptation may lead to evolution. 		
Autumn 2: Light		
 recognise that light appears to travel in straight lines use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain that objects are seen because they give out or reflect light into the eye explain that we see things because light travels from light sources to our eyes or from light sources to objects and then to our eyes use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain why shadows have the same shape as the objects that cast them. 		
Spring 1 and 2: Forces		
 explain that unsupported objects fall towards the Earth because of the force of gravity acting between the Earth and the falling object identify the effects of air resistance, water resistance and friction, that act between moving surfaces recognise that some mechanisms, including levers, pulleys and gears, allow a smaller force to have a greater effect. 		



NC Knowledge	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
Summer 1: Animals including animals		
 describe the changes as humans develop to old age. 		
Summer 2: Livings things and habitats		
 describe the differences in the life cycles of a mammal, an amphibian, an insect and a bird describe the life process of reproduction in some plants and animals 		

Year 5/ Year A Science Progression in Skills and Knowledge

Y5/6 Working:	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
 planning different types of scientific enquiries to answer questions, including recognising and controlling variables where necessary 		
 taking measurements, using a range of scientific equipment, with increasing accuracy and precision, taking repeat readings when appropriate 		
 recording data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams and labels, classification keys, tables, scatter graphs, bar and line graphs 		



Y5/6 Working:	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
using test results to make predictions to set up further comparative and fair tests		
 reporting and presenting findings from enquiries, including conclusions, causal relationships and explanations of and degree of trust in results, in oral and written forms such as displays and other presentations 		
 identifying scientific evidence that has been used to support or refute ideas or arguments. 		



UKS2 Lesson Plans Year B 5/6





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Year 6 Term

What are we	What do teachers	How are we learning:				
learning:	need to know? Key learning	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment	
Lesson 1: What do I think is happening inside and outside my body when I exercise?	AfL Elicitation	Take the children outside and engage them in a physical activity for 5 minutes. Return to the classroom and ask the children to draw and annotate a large- scale drawing of a body. Plan this activity in small groups or individually. Plenary – share the key vocabulary. Children can add this to their posters in a different colour or underline key words	The children should draw a large body outline and annotate it, recording to what they think is happening outside and inside the body during exercise.	Paper pens		
Lesson 2: What is the circulatory system?	The heart pumps blood in the blood vessels around to the lungs. Oxygen goes into the blood and carbon dioxide is removed. The blood goes back to the heart and is then pumped around the body.	that they had already identified. Group work: 1 child goes outside the room to look a model of the inside of the human body. The child comes back in and must describe to other members of their group what they saw. Members of the group draw this based on their description. Groups can research the functions. Adding notes to the group diagram. Use Siemans circulatory system model to support research : <u>https://35058.stem.org.uk/humanbody/in</u> <u>dex.html</u> .	Group activity – recreating a diagram of the circulatory system. Correct diagram given to children and they reflect on work and comment on what they did well and what they need to improve – improving work by using a different colour Based on P.65 Look think talk book Gaynor Weavers Carry out research and add to their diagrams.			
Lesson 3: Why do we need to pump blood	Children have looked at the theory and carried out research - now need to model it to	Use following resources as a support to model the circulatory system as a class or similar resource. <u>https://www.stem.org.uk/system/files/eli</u> <u>brary-</u>	Children act out the system. Extension. Hot seat a child (red blood cell) to create an audio tour to explain the	Red blood cells Red / blue felt tip pens.	Can they use the role-play model to explain the main parts of	



around the body? How does the circulatory system work? Lesson 4:	support their understanding. Nutrients, water and	resources/legacy_files_migrated/24893- The Circulation Game_Notes_and_Wo rksheets.pdf This model is a simple version and does not show the double circulatory system but is useful to show what is happening at a simple level. Use the internet to show diagrams of	journey - what is happening in the system? Children orally describe the circulatory system to each other. Extension – sickle cell cards	the circulatory system and their role?
What is in our blood?	oxygen are transported in the blood to the muscles and other parts of the body where they are needed. As they are used, they produce carbon dioxide and other waste products. Carbon dioxide is carried by the blood back to the heart. The cycle starts again as it is transported back to the lungs to be removed from the body. This is the human circulatory system.	 blood vessels. Children make blood. First make plasma – add water to two drops of yellow food colouring in a bottle. Plasma carries things like nutrients around our body so the children could add a sprinkle of salt to represent minerals found in plasma. Red blood cells carry oxygen around the body. Represent this by mixing Cheerios with red food colouring. When the red Cheerios are in the plasma, they will turn red too. This represents the plasma in our blood. White blood cells – add a small number of white marshmallows. They help fight infection. White blood cells are bigger than red – they help protect us from infections. Raisins can represent platelets. 	Make representations of what is in our blood. Research the different parts of blood and t their function. Children could photograph or draw annotated diagrams and explain how the different parts in blood have special functions. Extension – how are the different parts of the blood carried around our body? Leads into next session.	
Lesson 5: How do we get the nutrients from our food?	Some children might still need to make the connection between lesson 3 and 4.	You may need to recap the digestive system – see Y4 Lesson 4b animals including humans. Use resource from: <u>https://www.millgatehouse.co.uk/smeres</u>		Children achieving the objective will be able to: draw a diagram of the circulatory



	Aodelling the transportation of blood and nutrients and		system and label the parts
•	vater around the body.		and annotate
script slide 6 copied below. Children			it to show
show what is happening (model on			what the parts
	Children create an		do
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	explanation text e.g.		Produce a
	Espresso / explanation text		piece of
			writing that
Demonstration of the transportation			demonstrates
process including delivery of nutrients			the key
and removal of waste products.			knowledge
			e.g. explanation
			text, job
			description of
			the heart
Lesson 6: Children carry out a Use resources from in the zone – Re	Record results of exercise	Stethoscope	
	and pulse rates in a table	– found in	
	orm.	the 'in the	
	Draw conclusions from the	zone box'	
	lata.		
exercise? Measuring own heart rate before and			
after an activity.			
Observe differences in heart rate in			
different exercises.			
Plenary – discuss children's results. Devise a class conclusion along the			
lines of 'The harder I exercise, the faster			
my heart beats.'			
Lesson 7: WS focussed TAPS Y6 Heart rate headstands lesson			Children
	Discussion		meeting the
happens to TAPS Y6 heart rate <u>https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum-</u>			objective will
	Carrying out a test		be able to:
rates when WS Use test result Ask children to think about factors that			use their data
we do a to make could change their pulse rate. List their Gr	Group recording of results in		to make
	a table/graph		predictions



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Investigation into which groups of people have a higher or lower resting pulse rate? Loosely based on idea with lesson 2 in the zone. <u>https://www.s</u> tem.org.uk/eli brary/resourc e/34279	up further comparative and fair tests Pattern seeking – exploring heart rates for different groups of people.	increases during exercise: emphasise that blood carries oxygen around the body and that when you exercise the muscles in your body need more oxygen so your heart works harder to supply more oxygen. Discuss with the children how to plan and carry out a test into headstands or similar to see if there are any patterns between people. Consider how long the headstand should last, how many measurements should be made, how many people should be tested, how to carry out the tests safely. Ask the children to carry out the test and record results as a group (tables or graphs). Focus individual recording on explanation of what their data shows, their explanations, degree of trust in results and making further predictions. Extension based on their results what do you think the pulse rate would be if a child from another class carried out the same test.	Individual recording on explanation of what their data shows, their explanations, degree of trust in results and further predictions.		linking how hard the heart has to work with the heart rate, <i>e.g.</i> When you are upside down the distance that the blood needs to be pumped upwards is greater, so your heart works harder and beats faster.
Lesson 8 What effect do drugs have on my body?		Invite outside speakers to support e.g. Police education officers to talk about negative effect of drugs / nurse to talk about positives.	Asking questions Own research into drugs e.g. smoking and effect on body Drawing conclusions - Bullet point positives and negatives of drugs.	Visiting speaker	
Lesson 9: What does a healthy lifestyle mean?		Class discussion on what this means in terms of diet, exercise and drugs. Mind map ideas for each.	Children Present information learned e.g. in a health leaflet describing impact of drugs and lifestyle on the body		



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Earth in Sp	ace	Year 5 Term			
What are we	What do teachers need to know?	How are we learning: Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment
learning: Lesson 1:	Key learning AfL – elicitation	True / False / Not sure activity based on P.142 Active assessment book	True / False not sure series of statements that children		
	activity to find out knowledge and misconceptions.	(Thinking, Learning and Assessment in Science) Stuart Naylor. Typical question might be: Day and night are caused by the Earth spinning on its axis.	have to categorise.		
Lesson 2: What other planets are there in our solar	The Sun is a star. It is at the centre of our solar system. There are 8 planets (can choose to name them,	Find out what planets the children already know and what they know about them. Start to create a fact file for a Hitchhikers Guide to the solar system.	Create a scaled model of the solar system to show the relative sizes of the planets.		
system? How big are they? How far away from the	but not essential). These travel around the Sun in fixed orbits.	Look at: 1. Sizes of planets: create a scaled model of 'human ' solar system Ogden Trust materials playdough planets:	Create a pocket solar system – take this home and explain what this shows to members of their family.		
Sun are they?		https://www.ogdentrust.com/assets/gen eral/phizzi practical playdough planets .pdf 2. Distance from sun: https://www.ogdentrust.com/assets/gen	Start creating fact files for the Planets include QR code links to video graphics based on their research.		
		eral/Phizzi_Practicals_solar-system- pocket.pdf Plenary Zoom in Zoom out The Great red spot.			
		https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi ties/zoom-in-zoom-out/the-great-red- spot			
Lesson 3/4: How can	WS focus for assessment –	Introduction use Explorify: Maps of the solar system. Odd/one/out discussion.	Discussion		Children meeting the
we describe	identifying scientific evidence that has		Role play		objective will be able to:



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the	been used to	https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi	Research	P	Present
movement	support or refute	ties/odd-one-out/maps-of-the-solar-		p	lanet
of planets,	ideas or arguments.	<u>system</u>		re	esearch
including	TAPS lesson plan Y5	Role play the planets around the sun.		c	learly,
the earth	-Solar system	Really pick out why it is a heliocentric	Writing of an extended piece	d	emonstrating
around the	research	not geocentric. Evidence. Allow children	of work.	a	n
sun?	https://pstt.org.uk/reso	to research, role play, form a debate		u	nderstanding
	urces/curriculum-	before composing an extended piece of		O	f the planet's
	materials/assessment	work related to WS objective for a		p	osition in the
		scientific journal. Use handout		S	olar system
		Heliocentric model of the Universe for		re	eferring to
		support.			cientists
		TAPS lesson plan Solar System		fi	ndings to
		research			upport their
					deas.
Lesson 5:	Earth takes 365 ¹ ⁄ ₄	Use starting point concept cartoon 14.1	Discuss and annotate	C	Children
What	days to complete its	24 Hours.	concept cartoon with their	m	neeting the
causes day	orbit around the Sun.	Modelling - the children can represent	initial thoughts.		bjective will
and night?	The Earth rotates	the Earth. In this model the children	5		e able to
Ű	(spins) on its axis	should form a circle, all facing outwards,	Children model what's	0	rally or in
	every 24 hours. As	and then link arms. Select a child to	happening		ritten form
	Earth rotates half	represent the UK and another Australia		e	xplain the
	faces the Sun (day)	and label them with a sticker. As the	Describe this to other's -		arth's
	and half is facing	Earth rotates they will see when the	reflect on their explanations	rc	otation on its
	away from the Sun	respective countries are in daylight and	and improve.	a	xis, causing
	(night).	when in darkness. They should also be	•		ay and night.
		able to say when it is sunrise, midday,	Draw annotated diagrams		ttps://pstt.org
		sunset or night in their country	and create a voice over to		uk/application
		according to how much of the light	explain or write an		iles/8714/70
		source they can see.	explanation.		1/6048/Y5eg
		With these models the globe / Earth			pace_Orbit_
		should rotate in anticlockwise direction if	Go back to concept cartoon		xpln.pdf
		we are looking at it from the North Pole.	and in a different colour add		<u> </u>
		Handout 4 day and night. Also	their thoughts now, based on		
		modelling with globe and torch/Blu Tac.	research and understanding.		
			research and understanding.		



Lesson 6: Why does the sun appear to move across the sky?	As the Earth rotates, the Sun appears to move across the sky. The Sun, Earth and Moon are approximately spherical.	Introduction – Use Explorify What's going on Earth https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi ties/whats-going-on/earth Make first-hand observations of how shadows caused by the Sun change through the day. Research – compare times of day at different places on the Earth through the internet. Maths Whizz Y6 time zones. Video references form ISS / time lapse.	Children set up a shadow clock and collect data and graph it. Make reference to the position of the sun that causes the shadow. Relate this back to Earth rotating on its axis.	Children should be able to explain evidence gathered about the position of shadows in term of the movement of the Earth and show this using a model. They will also be able to explain verbally, using a model, why we have time zones.
Lesson 7: Why does the Moon appear to change shape over time?	The Moon orbits the Earth. It takes about 28 days to complete its orbit.	Introduction - Explorify What if there was no moon? https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi ties/what-if/there-was-no-moon Modelling - use a model to explain how the Earth moves in relation to the Sun and the Moon moves in relation to the Earth. Children take on the role of Earth, sun and moon and take turns to experience each of these. Use handout 2 moon phases.	Discussion Modelling – explain thinking Make moon diaries over a period of a month. Draw what they see every 4 days giving 7 pictures – identify patterns in data. Compare their pattern with research www.planetaria.org.uk Use annotated diagrams to show movement of moon.	Children will be able to use diagrams to show the movement of the Earth and Moon in relation to the Sun.
Lesson 8:	Y5 plan TAPs Craters	TAPs crater investigation Activity	Carry out investigation	Children meeting the



What happens when different meteors crash into the surface of the moon?	https://pstt.org.uk/reso urces/curriculum- materials/assessment Record data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams and labels, classification keys, tables, scatter graphs, bar and line graphs	Children to investigate the formation of 'craters' by dropping meteors (e.g. marbles or balls) into a tray of sand and observing the craters produced. Introduce by looking at photos/websites of impact craters. As a class drop a variety of different spherical objects into the sand and measure the diameter of the craters, creating a class graph. As a class, consider what could be changed and measured (could use a sticky note planning board) and allocate different variables to different groups of children (height of drop, size of meteor, type of sand). Ask each group to make measurements and record them in a table/graph of their own design.	Record data in a table Plot graph	objective will be able to: make decisions about what to record and where to put information in a simple table/graph. With support, can calculate/plot mean or median if repeat measurement s have been taken.
Lesson 9: What have I learned?		Introduction Explorify Celestial objects <u>https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi</u> <u>ties/odd-one-out/celestial-objects</u>	Use the same set of true / false / not sure statements and ask children to repeat the exercise – comment on what evidence they now have to support any change in thinking.	



Handout 1 – Helliocentric Model

National Curriculum 2014 Objectives

Physics – Earth and Space:

• Y5 describe the movement of the Earth, and other planets, relative to the Sun in the solar system

The misconception!

- The Sun moves around the Earth.
- The Earth lies at the centre of the solar system, with the sun and the planets orbiting around it.
- Planets have a shared orbit around the Sun, meaning that they follow the same path rather than have their own defined orbit a classic misconception.



The correct science.

Pupils need to understand how the geocentric model of the solar system (Earth at the centre of the Universe as believed by Ptolemy) gave way to the heliocentric model (Sun at the centre of the solar system as first described by Copernicus).

The modern heliocentric model has the sun at the centre of the solar system with the eight planets, their moons and asteroids orbiting around it. Each planet orbits the sun on its own ecliptic plane. The moon orbits the Earth whilst the Earth orbits the Sun.

Pluto has been downgraded to a dwarf planet as it does not meet the three basic criteria for describing a planet as defined by the International Astronomical Union, these being:

1. It is in orbit around the Sun.

2. It has sufficient mass to assume a nearly round shape.

3. It has "cleared the neighbourhood" around its orbit which means that there are no other bodies of comparable size other than its own satellites in its vicinity in space.



Practical strategies to support pupil's learning.

Get the children to create a fruit solar system using various fruits. This will help students grasp the various sizes of planets in our Solar System using mostly fruit with some other items. The class discussion before the activity encourages students to take an educated guess as to which planet each item represents.

Reference: http://www.nationalstemcentre.org.uk/elibrary/resource/7336/fruit-solar-system

This BBC video <u>http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p00n6zgy</u> shows a model of the solar system being created with fruits and also uses toilet paper to show the relative distances between the planets and the sun.

The Winchester materials provide planet clue cards. (P.8.) Children can work in teams, using the evidence within the cards, to order the planets.

http://www.winchestersciencecentre.org/_files/Planetarium/7D09EDD92BE2A7D8D29CEC855D9BFC17.pdf

Investigate relative distances of planets from Sun using a scale of 1cm = 1000km. Select one child to be the Sun and to be the point from where all measurements will be taken, you may want children to round their distance to the nearest 0.5m,

58,000 = 58cm Mercury, 108,000 = 108cm or 1m 8cm Venus, 150,000 = 150cm or 1m 50cm Earth, 228,000 = 2m 28cm Mars, 778,000 = 7m 78cm Jupiter, 1,427,000 = 14m 27cm Saturn, 2,871,000 = 28m 71cm Uranus, 4,498,000 = 44m 98cm Neptune,

Get the children to stand in line and look at distances between planets, what do they notice?

Reference: Misconceptions in Primary Science. Michael Allen. McGraw Hill, Open University Press. 2010. P. 181



Day and Night - Handout 4

National Curriculum 2014 Objectives

Physics – Earth and Space:

• Y5 Use the idea of the Earth's rotation to explain day and night and the apparent movement of the sun across the sky.

The misconception!

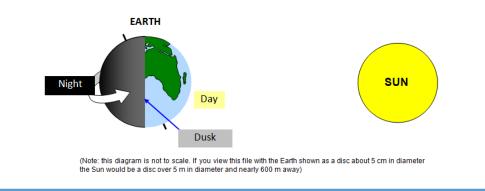
- The sun moves around the Earth once a day; this is why day and night occur or the Earth goes around the Sun once a day. (Danaia and McKinnon 2007)
- Night comes because the moon blocks sunlight.
- The sun and moon swap places causing day and night

The correct science.

The Earth rotates on its axis. The Earth's axis is an imaginary line that passes through the North and South poles and it is slanted at a 23.5 degree angle. It rotates once every twenty four hours. Whilst it is rotating on its axis the Earth is also orbiting the Sun (once every 365¼ days).Whilst half of the world is in daylight half of the world experiences night. It is because of this rotation that we have day and night. The earth rotates from East to West which explains the rising and setting of the sun. The sun is stationary; it is our rotation of the Earth that causes day and night.



http://www.schoolphysics.co.uk/age11-14/glance/Astronomy/Day_and_night/index.html#top





Practical strategies to support pupil's learning.

The concept of day and night is best taught through demonstrating with a strong light source and a globe of the Earth. The light source (Sun) should remain stationary whilst the globe slowly rotates on its axis through 360 degrees. If blue tac is used to show where the UK is on the globe and then it rotates the children will see when it is daylight and nighttimes in the UK. This will also help them to appreciate sunrise and sunset and how the sun appears to move across the sky.



In a similar model the children an can represent the Earth. In this model the children should form a circle, all facing outwards, and then link arms. Select a child to represent the UK and another Australia and label them with a sticker. As the Earth rotates they will see when the respective countries are in daylight and when in darkness. They should also be able to say when it is sunrise, midday, sunset or night in their country according to how much of the light source they can see.

With these models the globe / Earth should rotate in anticlockwise direction if we are looking at it from the North Pole.

Reference: Misconceptions in Primary Science, Michael Allen, McGraw Hill Open University Press, 2010, P.185-191

http://www.childrensuniversity.manchester.ac.uk/interactives/science/earthandbeyond/sunrisesunset/



Properties and Changes of Materials

Year 5 Term

What are	What do teachers	How are we learning:				
we learning:	need to know? Key learning	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment	
Lesson 1:		Provide children with the key words for	Allow children to sort the	List of key		
What do I		this unit of work: Y4 - solid, liquid, gas,	words into those that they	vocabulary for		
already		evaporation, condensation,	know/do not know. Using	the unit.		
know?		Y5 -Thermal/electrical	the list of words, they know			
		insulator/conductor, change of state,	- write definitions of each of			
Initial		mixture, dissolve, solution, soluble,	the words and state how			
elicitation task		insoluble, filter, sieve, reversible/non-	confident they are that this			
		reversible change, burning, rusting, new	is what the word means.			
		material				
		NB Some Y4 vocab is included here as				
		the children really need to know these				
		words to understand the concepts				
		applied to separating materials				
Lesson 2:	Materials have	Discuss with the children words from	Using a given set of	Materials: e.g.		
Can you	different uses	lesson 1 to describe the properties of	materials the children can	cork, coins		
compare and	depending on their	materials. Provide them with a selection	test the materials in respect	(magnetic non-		
group	properties and state	of materials to handle. Allow them to	of hardness, conductivity,	magnetic)		
materials	(liquid, solid, gas).	think about the materials and consider	response to magnets and	sponge, tin foil,		
based on	Properties include	ways to sort them based on the	then sort them according to	rubber,		
specific	hardness,	materials properties. They may need to	criteria that they have	paperclip, etc.		
properties?	transparency,	devise tests to determine whether the	chosen. They should			
	electrical and	material is e.g. an electrical conductor.	decide which method of			
	thermal conductivity	Show a range of ways that they could	sorting they are going to			
	and attraction to	present their sorting: Carroll diagram,	use to communicate their			
	magnets.	Venn diagrams, branching database.	findings.		<u></u>	
Lesson 3:	Some materials will	Observation over time enquiry using	Children carry out the	Flour, sugar,	Children will	
Do materials	dissolve in a liquid,	different powders e.g. talc, sugar, salt,	testing of different materials	coffee, talc,	be able to	
disappear	form a solution while	sand etc. Identify which materials will	and determine whether	sand, beakers,	explain what	
when they	others are insoluble,	dissolve.	they dissolve or not. Can	water, skittles	dissolving	
dissolve?	and form sediment.	Dienery estivity https://www.esisters	they then answer the		means, giving	
		Plenary activity: <u>https://www.science-</u>	original question posed?		examples.	
		sparks.com/skittles-experiment/ Use	How do they know when or			



		observe, predict, observe, and explain to structure the discussion. If they observe closely, they should observe that the s does not dissolve because it is made of paper.	if a material has dissolved? What has happened to it? Get children to place some skittles on a white saucer and cover with water. Children should explain what is happening in this simple observation over time activity using evidence to support their explanations.		
Lesson 4: What factors will affect the rate of sugar dissolving?	Use this activity to focus teach the children in understanding this skill. Fair testing - enquiry TAPs Dissolving Plan: Ask questions and plan enquiry Plan scientific enquiry to answer question and recognise and control variables where necessary	Activity: Ask children to think of everyday example of dissolving solids in water (e.g. sugar in tea, salt in cooking water). Ask them to suggest ways of making the sugar dissolve faster (e.g. stirring, temperature of the water, size of sugar grains, volume of water). Ask them to choose a factor to investigate and to plan a fair test. Carry out tests and discuss outcomes Plenary: challenge question. How could we get the sugar back? Evaporate the water off. Set this up to observe over time.	Children should plan and carry out a fair test enquiry to answer the question they have decided to investigate.	Sugar, beakers, thermometers, timers, water.	Children meeting the objective will be able to plan a fair test identifying one thing to change, one thing to measure/obse rve and important factors to keep the same.
Lesson 5: How could you clean this dirty water? How could you separate out different	Observation over time enquiry Mixtures can be separated by filtering, sieving and evaporation	Use: Practical action resource Ditch the Dirt <u>https://practicalaction.org/schools/ditch-</u> <u>the-dirt/</u> The classroom activity enables pupils to investigate ways of making dirty water cleaner through sieving and filtering and	Children design and test a filter system to clean dirty water. Take a photograph; draw an annotated diagram to explain the materials they have used to make their filter and what is happening. Opportunity to	Dirty water samples, 2litre pop bottles, selection of materials to make the filter: Marbles, gravel, sand, cotton wool,	Children will be able to name equipment used for filtering and sieving.



mixtures or solutions?		to explore ways of making water safe to drink.	carry out further research into filters in real life.	cloth, tights, filter paper, hand towels.	
Lesson 6: Which materials are best for their purpose? Investigating thermal insulation.	WS LO Use test results to make predictions to set up further comparative and fair tests TAPs Plan Insulation layers lesson plan.	Investigation 1:- How can I keep my drink warm? Which cup would be best? TAPS plan insulation layers. AND / OR Investigation 2: Provide 4 bags and allow children to investigate which bag for life would be best for the shopkeeper to invest in for his /her customers? Children devise tests to determine which is best. Plenary: Use explorify activity All ground up. Racetrack made of a particular material for a particular purpose. https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi ties/zoom-in-zoom-out/all-ground-up	Before the lesson show, the children different cups of hot water, e.g. paper cup, stacked paper cups, thermos mug. Measure the temperature of the water and repeat after about one hour (at the beginning and end of lunchtime). Activity Use the results of the pre- activity to make predictions about insulations (a good insulator has more layers / traps air / made of). Provide a collection of different materials and invite the children to discuss their ideas about which might be good for keeping the drink warm. The children could order the materials according to the best insulators.		Can use test evidence gathered about different properties to suggest an appropriate material for a particular purpose
Lesson 7: Can you reverse a material's change in state? Why are some changes irreversible?	Misconceptions exist around reversible and irreversible changes, including around the permanence or impermanence of the change. There is confusion between physical/chemical	Discuss reversible / irreversible. What does this mean? Use loaf of bread and cut it – discuss that although shape has changed it is still that loaf of bread. Physically it is the same. Make some burnt toast. Describe what has happened. Chemical change has occurred and if I put this piece back with the loaf, it would not be the same. Draw out the fact that reversible changes	Children to create a table of examples of reversible / irreversible changes. Drawing writing presenting information in a suitable format.		Children will be able to describe some simple reversible and non- reversible changes to materials,



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What	changes and	mean that we can get the original			giving
happens	reversible and	materials back whereas irreversible a			examples.
when you	irreversible changes.	new material has been made which may			
burn	They do not	be useful.			
materials?	correlate simply.	Teacher demo of burning some different			
	Chemical changes	materials – children notice what			
	result in a new	happens each time – ash (carbon)			
	material. These are	observations of different materials.			
	mostly irreversible.	Plenary look at the creation of a new			
	Physical changes	material through a chemical change.			
	are often reversible	Either show or do activity based on			
	but may be	explorify What's going on - Fire fighting			
	permanent. These	https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi			
	do not result in new	ties/whats-going-on/fire-fighting			
	materials e.g. cutting				
	a loaf of bread. It is				
	still bread, but it is				
	no longer a loaf.				
	The shape, but not				
	the material, has				
	changed.				
Lesson 9:	This is the WS Skill	Start with explorify activity: balloon	Children should plan and		Children
What affects	for focus	surprise	carry out a fair test enquiry		meeting the
the amount	assessment:	https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi	to answer the question they		objective will
of gas	Fair testing -	ties/whats-going-on/fire-fighting	have decided to		be able to
produced	enquiry	Then ask the question what could affect	investigate.		plan a fair test
when vitamin	Plan: Ask	the amount of gas produced? Amount of	-		identifying
C tablets are	questions and plan	tablet, amount of water, temperature of			one thing to
added to	enquiry	water etc.			change, one
water?	Plan scientific				thing to
	enquiry to answer				measure/obse
	question and				rve and
	recognise and				important
	control variables				factors to
	where necessary				keep the
	-				same.



Lesson 10:	Provide the vocab for the	Assess
What have I	unit and their original	whether the
learned?	definitions. Are there any	children's
	definitions that they now	knowledge
	want to amend? Allow them	has moved on
	to improve these in a	and their
	different colour or rewrite.	confidence in
	How confident are they that	using
	this is what the word	scientific
	means?	vocabulary.



Electricity		Year 6 Term			
What are we	What do	How are we learning:			
learning:	teachers need to know? Key learning	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment
Lesson 1a: What do I know?			Practical starter – using the equipment can you make the light bulb work? Draw and annotate their work		
Lesson 1b: How can I correctly represent a circuit?		Use the children's work as a starter. They have probably drawn pictures. Discuss is this easy to read? Model the correct way of drawing a circuit and show the symbols. Making and drawing circuits using correct symbols.	Can play games matching symbols and pictures using cards from: <u>http://primary.cleapss.org.uk/</u> <u>Resource/E230p-CIRC-KIT-</u> <u>Teaching-Electric-</u> <u>Circuits.aspx</u> These cards can also be used to support less able children making and drawing their circuits. Children make different circuits and draw a circuit diagram. This diagram can be given to another child to make to see if it works and can be read.		Children will be able to communicate structures of circuits using circuit diagrams with recognised symbols.
Lesson 2: Which of the circuit diagrams show working circuits? Problem solving	WS assessment opportunity: Reporting and presenting findings from enquiries	Introduction – play bingo. Children draw symbol on their whiteboards teacher holds up component. Getting children used to the symbols. Use Ogden Trust materials – circuit analysts to compare and give reasons for variations in how components function.	Children are given a set of circuit diagram cards to analyse and construct. They test each circuit to see if it works. When they find one that doesn't, the children draw a corrected version. They need to report their findings back explaining reasoning.		See Ogden Trust materials for example of work at expected level. To write a formal letter to the manager of the company,



Lesson 3: How can I make a bulb shine brighter?	including conclusions and explanations of results in written form WS focussed assessment: Plan a scientific enquiry to answer a	Use TAPS lesson plan: Y6 Bulb brightness: <u>https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum-</u> <u>materials/assessment</u> Children investigate how they can	Each group report their question and list their variables (what to measure, what to change, what to keep the same) to the class for	suggesting which of the engineers is making mistakes and which engineers work accurately. Children meeting the objective will be able to: Identify a
	question, recognising and controlling variables.	change the brightness of the bulb using the full range of equipment available. In pairs/groups, use planning devices (Post-it Planners) to generate a list of variables which could be changed in their circuit. Each group/pair select the variable they wish to change and how they will measure the effect of this change and use this to form a scientific question. Draw the test circuit.	feedback	range of circumstances that may affect the brightness of the bulb and define a succinct scientific question to test
Lesson 4:	Adding more cells to a complete circuit will make a bulb brighter, a motor spin faster or a buzzer make a louder sound. If you use a battery with a higher voltage, the same thing happens. Adding more bulbs	Use concept cartoon Circuits 10.7: The lamp is brighter if you use a bigger battery. It is brighter if you use more batteries It is brighter if you use a bigger lamp It is brighter if you use more lamps. Allow the children time to discuss. Look at the batteries and voltage.	Using information from the previous lesson the children should explore any of the other statements that they are not sure of. Provide the equipment and allow them to explore the scenario. Making conclusions. They should take the statements and provide evidence to support or refute the statement.	The children need to appreciate that adding more cells to a complete circuit will make a bulb brighter, a motor spin faster or a buzzer make



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	to a circuit will make each bulb less bright. Using more motors or buzzers, each motor will spin more slowly and each buzzer will be quieter.		Can they then apply their thinking to what would happen if you used a motor instead of a bulb? What if we added more bulbs but only had one battery? Form a generalisation.		a louder sound. If you use a battery with a higher voltage, the same thing happens.
Lesson 5 -8 Link to DT and Engineering: Can I use a switch in a circuit and apply what I know to solve a problem?		A series of 4 lessons where the children make a super sucker: https://www.stem.org.uk/elibrary/resourc e/35625 It provides a practical context in which children focus on electric circuits, motors and batteries to build their own mini-vacuum cleaner. The series of four lessons begins by introducing the engineering problem and asking the children to solve the problem. In the second lesson children, take a detailed look at a hairdryer identifying its different parts and their functions. Applying previous learning about circuits, they then look at motors and fans, focussing on how differences in design change the effectiveness of the fan. They then make a switch for their device. In lesson, three children work in groups to design and build their own vacuum cleaner, thinking about materials and component parts and how they will work to solve the initial problem. Finally, the class discuss their different solutions and evaluate their designs against the initial criteria.			Children will be able to predict results and answer questions by drawing on evidence gathered to solve a problem.



Lesson 9:	https://www.ogdentrust.com/assets/gen	Children make a scribblebot.	
What have I	eral/Phizzi_Practicals_scribblebot.pdf	Take photos draw diagrams,	
learned?		explain how it works using	
Can I apply my	Children could explore changing the	the key vocabulary from the	
understanding	features of the scribblebot to see how it	unit.	
of electricity to	affects its behaviour. They could try		
make a	changing the position of the motor, pens		
scribblebot?	or cork to explore how these variables		
	affect scribblebot movement.		



Living Things and Their Habitats

Year 5 Term

What are	What do teachers	How are we learning:				
we	need to know?	Teaching input:	Pupil learning activity	Resources	Assessment	
learning:	Key learning					
Lesson 1: What do I know?	AfL elicitation task As part of their life cycle, plants and animals reproduce. Most animals reproduce sexually. This involves two parents where the sperm from the male fertilises the female egg.		Children write definitions for the key vocabulary of the unit. Using the pictures children should ask questions related to the lifecycles of these animals. What do they want to know about these animal lifecycles?	Provide a list of the key vocabulary and pictures of a variety of animals at various stages of their lifecycle.		
Lesson 2: What is a lifecycle?	WS focussed assessment task Report and present findings from enquiries, in oral and written forms such as displays and other presentations, using appropriate scientific language.	Intro - <u>https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/en/activi</u> <u>ties/whats-going-on/coming-out-to-play</u> butterfly form chrysalis Main activity – use TAPS lesson plan <u>https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum-</u> <u>materials/assessment Y5</u> Lifecycle research.	Children to research two different lifecycles. -		Children meeting the objective will be able to select relevant facts from their research compare the life cycles of different animals and present their findings in an appropriate	



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Lesson 3:	Animals, including	Focus on the four animal groups:	Children select two animals		Children
How do	humans, have	mammal, amphibian, insect, bird. Watch	and complete a graphic		meeting the
different	offspring, which	this 6 minute clip. It describes many life	organiser		objective will
animals grow	grow into adults. In	cycles, including amphibians (frogs),	Comparing		be able to
and change?	humans and some	insects (butterflies) and birds (ospreys).	Set and and a set and a set and a set and a set a		draw the
Compare and	animals, these	https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-	\subseteq \subseteq \subseteq contrasting		lifecycle of a
contrast.	offspring will be	clips-video/science-ks2ks3-the-life-	the two animals.		range of
	born live, such as	cycles-of-different-organisms/zvh8qp3	In groups, the children could		animals
	babies or kittens,	Discuss similarities and differences	make mobiles of the lifecycle		identifying
	and then grow into	between the different animal groups,	of one of the animal groups	:	similarities
	adults. In other	also using information children gleaned	studied or create a game or		and
	animals, such as	from their research. Children to record	drama to represent the		differences
	chickens or snakes,	the similarities and differences of two	lifecycle.		between the
	there may be eggs	lifecycles.	 Insect – butterfly 		lifecycles.
	laid that hatch to		 Amphibian – frog 		
	young, which then	Resources from Lesson 4 Animal	- Bird		
	grow to adults.	lifecycles very	- Mammal		
	Some young	good. <u>https://www.ase.org.uk/ase-</u>			
	undergo a further	coronavirus-hub-primary-remote-			
	change before	learning-resources#year5			
	becoming adults				
	e.g. caterpillars to				
	butterflies. This is				
	metamorphosis.				
Lesson 3b	Extension/Enrichme	Resources form lesson 5 Gestation of	Children can drw a graph and		
How do the	nt lesson.	mammals extremely good.	compare the gestation		
gestation		https://www.ase.org.uk/ase-coronavirus-	periods for different		
periods of		hub-primary-remote-learning-	mammals and look for		
different		resources#year5	patterns.		
animals					
compare?					
Lesson 4:		Look at the lifecycle of the butterfly. It	Children show the difference		
What is the		would be great if the class had	between the two in a format		
difference		caterpillars and observed the changes	of their choice.		
between		over real time creating a diary of these			
incomplete		changes using annotated diagrams and			
and complete					
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metamorpho sis? Lesson 5:		scientific vocabulary. This is an example of complete metamorphosis. Complete metamorphosis has 4 distinct stages: egg, larva, pupa, and adult . Incomplete metamorphosis has 3 distinct stages: egg, nymph, and adult. Compare this to an example of incomplete metamorphosis. Recap of Y3 – pollination and seed	Children should write an	Do the
How do plants reproduce including flowering plants? What is the lifecycle of a flowering plant?		dispersal. Provide the children with the key vocabulary, which they should discuss in pairs: pollination, anther, stigma, pollen, seed dispersal, seed germination. From this, they should produce a piece of writing/or a notated diagram. Plenary - Use lesson 2 Pollination to show sexual reproduction of flowering plants. <u>https://www.ase.org.uk/ase- coronavirus-hub-primary-remote- learning-resources#year5</u>	extended piece of writing to explain the process of reproduction in flowering plants or annotated diagrams showing the lifecycle of the plant.	children understand the process of sexual reproduction in plants? Do their explanatory texts explain the lifecycle of a flowering plant?
Lesson 6: What is the difference between sexual reproduction and asexual reproduction in plants?	Plants reproduce both sexually and asexually. Bulbs, tubers, runners and plantlets are examples of asexual plant reproduction, which involves only one parent. Gardeners may force plants to reproduce asexually by taking cuttings. Sexual reproduction occurs through	Use resources form Lesson 1 Plant reproduction for support <u>https://www.ase.org.uk/ase-coronavirus-</u> <u>hub-primary-remote-learning-</u> <u>resources#year5</u>	Children can draw / explain how plants reproduce. A4 paper split in half one side sexual reproduction in plants the other side explaining asexual reproduction. Can they give examples of plants that reproduce in these ways?	Children meeting the objective will be able to explain the difference between sexual and asexual reproduction and give examples of how plants reproduce in both ways.



	pollination, usually involving wind or insects.		
Lesson 8		Using the same vocabulary	
What have I		given at the start of the unit	
learned?		the children should now write	
		definitions for the key	
		vocabulary of the unit. Reflect	
		on any changes they have	
		made i.e. I used to think	
		but now I knowbecause	



Year 6/ Year B Science Progression in Skills and Knowledge

NC Knowledge	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
Autumn 1: Animals including humans		
 identify and name the main parts of the human circulatory system, and describe the functions of the heart, blood vessels and blood 		
 recognise the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way their bodies function 		
 describe the ways in which nutrients and water are transported within animals, including humans 		
Autumn 2: Earth and space		
 describe the movement of the Earth, and other planets, relative to the Sun in the solar system 		
 describe the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth 		
 describe the Sun, Earth and Moon as approximately spherical bodies 		
 use the idea of the Earth's rotation to explain day and night and the 		
apparent movement of the sun across the sky.		
Spring 1 and 2: Properties and changes in materials		
 compare and group together everyday materials on the basis of their 		
properties, including their hardness, solubility, transparency, conductivity		
(electrical and thermal), and response to magnets		
 know that some materials will dissolve in liquid to form a solution, and 		
describe how to recover a substance from a solution		
• use knowledge of solids, liquids and gases to decide how mixtures might		
be separated, including through filtering, sieving and evaporating		
• give reasons, based on evidence from comparative and fair tests, for the		
particular uses of everyday materials, including metals, wood and plastic		
 demonstrate that dissolving, mixing and changes of state are reversible changes 		
 explain that some changes result in the formation of new materials, and 		
that this kind of change is not usually reversible, including changes		
associated with burning and the action of acid on bicarbonate of soda.		



NC Knowledge	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
Summer 1: Electricity		
 associate the brightness of a lamp or the volume of a buzzer with the number and voltage of cells used in the circuit compare and give reasons for variations in how components function, including the brightness of bulbs, the loudness of buzzers and the on/off position of switches use recognised symbols when representing a simple circuit in a diagram. 		
Summer 2: Living things and habitats		
 describe how living things are classified into broad groups according to common observable characteristics and based on similarities and differences, including microorganisms, plants and animals give reasons for classifying plants and animals based on specific characteristics. 		

Year 6/ Year B Science Progression in Skills and Knowledge

Y5/6 Working Scientifically:	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
 planning different types of scientific enquiries to answer questions, including recognising and controlling variables where necessary 		
 taking measurements, using a range of scientific equipment, with increasing accuracy and precision, taking repeat readings when appropriate 		



Y5/6 Working Scientifically:	Pupils not securing learning	Pupils achieving depth in learning
 recording data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams and labels, classification keys, tables, scatter graphs, bar and line graphs 		
 using test results to make predictions to set up further comparative and fair tests 		
 reporting and presenting findings from enquiries, including conclusions, causal relationships and explanations of and degree of trust in results, in oral and written forms such as displays and other presentations 		
 identifying scientific evidence that has been used to support or refute ideas or arguments. 		