



EYFS (ELGs)	National Curriculum theme	Year 1 and Year 2	Year 3 and Year 4	Year 5 and Year 6
	Biology			
Explore the natural world around them, making observations and drawing pictures of animals and plants; Know some similarities and differences	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. 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. 	 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. 	Children will revisit these objectives and build on them in: Living things and their habitats
between the natural world around them and contrasting		Children will use scientific skills to investigate: Links to: PSHCE – YEAR B TERM 1/2	<u>Children will use scientific skills to investigate:</u> <u>Links to:</u> PSHCE – • identify that animals, including humans, need	Year A:
environments, drawing on their experiences and	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 	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	 describe the changes as humans develop to old age. identify and name the main parts of the human circulatory system, and describe the functions of
what has been read in class;		 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. 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. 	have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement. • 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. Children will use scientific skills to investigate: Links to: PSHCE –	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. <u>Children will use scientific skills to investigate:</u> Pulse rate and the effect of exercise The components of blood The structure of the heart <u>Links to:</u> English – writing explanation text on blood and the circulatory system PSHCE – healthy living such as the effect of smoking, alcohol and diet



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	<u>Children will use scientific skills to investigate:</u> <u>Links to:</u> PSHCE –		i trainard school
Living things and their 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. Children will use scientific skills to investigate: Links to: 	 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. <u>Children will use scientific skills to investigate:</u> <u>Links to:</u> PSHCE – 	 Year A: describe how living things are classified into broad groups according to common observable characteristics and based on similarities and differences, including micro-organisms, plants and animals give reasons for classifying plants and animals based on specific characteristics. Children will use scientific skills to investigate: Links to: English – Geography – Oceans topic Year B: 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. Children may investigate: Links to: PSHCE – Health education
Evolution and inheritance			 Year B: •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. <u>Children will use scientific skills to investigate:</u> Darwin's finches Local fossil finds (Charmouth – looking at real examples, Lyme Regis – Mary Anning) <u>Links to:</u>





EVEC	Notional Curriculum	Veer 1 and Veer 2	Veer 2 and Veer 4	Veer F and Veer C
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	theme			
	Chemistry			
Understand some important processes and changes in the natural world around them, including changing states of matter.	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. <u>Children will use scientific skills to</u> <u>investigate:</u> <u>Links to:</u> English – 	Children will recap and build upon the objectives from key stage 1 during the following units: Light – transparency of materials, whether they can reflect light Sound – which materials insulate sound	Year B: • 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. <u>Children will use scientific skills to investigate:</u> <u>Links to:</u> English –





Materials and their properties	 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. <u>Children will use scientific skills to</u> <u>investigate:</u> <u>Links to:</u> English – 		
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. <u>Children may investigate:</u> <u>Links to:</u> English – 	Objectives from Year 3/4 will be revisited and built upon in the following topic: Evolution and inheritance
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. <u>Children may investigate:</u> <u>Links to:</u> English – 	Objectives from Year 3/4 will be revisited and built upon in the following topic: Materials and their Properties





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	Physics			
Understand some important processes and changes in the natural world around them, including the seasons.	Seasonal changes (Year 1/2)	 observe changes across the four seasons observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies. <u>Children will use scientific skills to</u> <u>investigate:</u> <u>Links to:</u> English – 		Year B: • 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. <u>Children will use scientific skills to investigate:</u> <u>Links to:</u> English –
	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 a solid object find patterns in the way that the size of shadows change. <u>Children will use scientific skills to investigate:</u> 	 Year A: 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. Children will use scientific skills to investigate: Links to: English –





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Sound	 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. <u>Children will use scientific skills to</u> <u>investigate:</u> <u>Links to:</u> English – 	The sound objectives from Year 3/4 will be revisited and built upon in the following topics: Music – musical instruments and their families Electricity unit of science Children may investigate: Sound insulators – which materials insulate sound the best? Grouping instruments based on their family but also looking at the pitch and volume of sounds Use dataloggers to investigate sound levels in different positions in school
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. 	Year A: • 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. <u>Children will use scientific skills to investigate:</u> <u>Links to:</u> English –



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	<u>Children will use scientific skills to</u> <u>investigate:</u> <u>Links to:</u> English –	
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. <u>Children will use scientific skills to</u> <u>investigate:</u> <u>Links to:</u> English – 	 Year A: 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. <u>Children will use scientific skills to investigate:</u> <u>Links to:</u> English –





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	PLAN	Planning	• ask questions about what they have seen or experienced.	 asking simple questions and recognising that they can be answered in different ways 	 asking relevant questions and using different types of scientific enquiries to answer them setting up simple practical enquiries, comparative and fair tests 	 planning different types of scientific enquiries to answer questions, including recognising and controlling variables where necessary
(ILLS	DO	Observing	 comment on similarities and differences e.g. between natural environments at school, materials, seasons or living things. with support, use simple equipment to make observations 	 observing closely, using simple equipment performing simple tests identifying and classifying 	 making systematic and careful observations and where appropriate, taking accurate measurements using standard units, using a range of equipment, including thermometers and data loggers 	 taking measurements, using a range of scientific equipment, with increasing accuracy and precision, taking repeat readings where appropriate
SCIENTIFICALLY SKILLS		Recording	• children to record their observations and findings.	 gathering and recording data to help in answering questions 	 gathering, recording, classifying and presenting data in a variety of ways to help in answering questions recording findings using simple scientific language, drawings, labelled diagrams, keys, bar charts, and tables 	 recording data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams and labels, classification keys, tables, scatter graphs, bar and line graphs
WORKING	REVIEW	Concluding	 begin to use what they have observed and experienced to answer questions children use the senses to comment on what they have seen or experienced. 	• using their observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions	 reporting on findings from enquiries, including oral and written explanations, displays or presentations of results and conclusions identifying differences, similarities or changes related to simple scientific ideas and processes using straightforward scientific evidence to answer questions or to support their findings 	• 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.
		Evaluating			•using results to draw simple conclusions, make predictions for new values, suggest improvements and raise further questions.	 using test results to make predictions to set up further comparative and fair tests. identifying scientific evidence that has been used to support or refute ideas or arguments





Children will carry out investigations involving different types of enquiry:



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- Comparative/fair testing
- Research
- Observation over time
- Pattern seeking
- Identifying, grouping and classifying
- Problem solving