

Science Long Term Annual Plan

HfL scheme of work

Understanding the World: The Natural World ELG

- Explore the natural world around them, making observations and drawing pictures of animals and plants;
- Know some similarities and differences between the natural world around them and contrasting environments, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class;
- Understand some important processes and changes in the natural world around them, including the seasons and changing states of matter.

<u>Term</u>	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 1	Animals including humans Classifying , carnivores, herbivores, omnivores Seasonal Changes		Materials Identifying everyday materials and their properties, compare and group materials Seasonal Changes		Plants Identifying and naming common wild and garden plants Seasonal changes	
Year 2	Materials Identify and compare suitability of materials, investigate how some materials can change shape	Living things and their habitats Alive or Dead, Habitats, Adaptation,	Living things and their habitats Food chains, requirements of Living Things	Animals including humans Our bodies, Offspring, Life cycle of Frog	Animals including humans Healthy Eating and Exercise and Hygiene	Plants What are plants? Observe how seeds and bulbs grow into plants, requirements needed to grow, walk in the environment
Year 3	Animals including humans	Rocks and soils Compare and group different types of	Forces Magnetism, movement on	Light Sources of light, investigate how	Plants Identify and describe functions,	Plants



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	Nutrition and diet, skeleton and muscles	rock, formation of fossils, features of soil	different surfaces, magnetic materials investigation	shadows are formed and how they change shape and size	life cycle of a flowering plant, explore requirements of plants for life and growth	Pollination, seed formation and seed dispersal
Year 4	Animals including humans Digestion, Teeth and Eating	Materials – solids, liquids and gases Changing state – heating and cooling, the water cycle – evaporation and condensation	Electricity Making circuits, closing and opening circuits, conductors and insulators	Sound Identify how sound is made, pitch, volume, vibrations	Living things and their habitats Food chains (producers, predators & prey), classification of living things	Living things and their habitats Food chains (producers, predators & prey), classification of living things
Year 5	Earth and Space Describing the movement of the earth, moon and other planets, explain day and night	Forces Gravity, air and water resistance Levers, pulleys and gears	Materials Compare and group materials Properties and Uses	Materials Separating mixtures (filtering, sieving, evaporating)	Materials Changes: dissolving, mixing, changing state (reversible and non reversible)	Living things and their habitats Reproduction in plants and animals, Changes in humans over time.
Year 6	Living things and their habitats Classification of micro-organisms, plants and animals	Evolution and inheritance Offspring Adaptation and how this leads to evolution Use of fossils to learn about living things	Animals including humans Circulatory system Impact of diet, exercise and drugs	Light How light travels, understand how we see, shadows	Electricity Circuit symbols, understand how components of a circuit function and how they can be affected.	



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