



	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Nursery						
Reception	Animal adventures		Changing seasons		I am a scientist	Our beautiful planet
Year 1	Forces and space: seasonal changes	Materials: everyday materials	Animals: sensitive bodies	Animals: comparing animals	Plants: introduction to plants	Making connections: investigating science through stories
Year 2	Living things: habitats	Living things: microhabitats	Materials: uses of everyday materials	Animals, including humans: life cycles and health	Plants: plant growth	Making connections: plant-based materials
Year 3	Animals: movement and nutrition	Forces and space: forces and magnets	Materials: rocks and soil	Energy: light and shadows	Plants: plant reproduction	Making connections: does hand span affect grip strength?
Year 4	Animals including humans: digestion and food	Energy: electricity and circuits	Materials: states of matter	Energy: sound and vibrations	Living things: classification and changing habits	Making connections: how does the flow of liquids compare
Year 5	Materials: mixtures and separation	Materials: properties and changes	Forces and space: Earth and space	Living things: life cycles and reproduction	Forces and space: unbalanced forces	Animals: human timeline Making connections: does the size of an asteroid affect the diameter of its impact crater?
Year 6	Living things: classifying big and small	Energy: light and reflection	Living things: evolution and inheritance	Energy: circuits, batteries and switches	Animals: circulation and health	Making connections: are some glasses safer than others?