Year						
1	Seasonal Change	<b>Everyday Materials</b>	<b>Everyday Materials</b>	Seasonal Change	Plants	Animals, including
						humans
	Observe changes	Distinguish between	Distinguish between	Observe changes	Identify and name a	
	across the four	an object and from	an object and from	across the four	variety of common	Identify and name a
	seasons	the material it is	the material it is	seasons	plants	variety of common
	Observe and describe	made.	made.	Observe and describe	Identify and describe	animals in the 5
	changes to the	Identify and name a	Identify and name a	changes to the	the basic structure of	groups
	weather associated	variety of everyday	variety of everyday	weather associated	a variety of common	Carnivores, herbivores
	with the seasons and	materials	materials	with the seasons and	flowering plants.	and omnivores
	how the day length	Describe the simple	Describe the simple	how the day length		Compare the structure
	varies.	properties of a variety	properties of a variety	varies.		of a variety of animals
		of everyday materials.	of everyday materials.			including pets
		Find out how the	Find out how the			
		shapes of some solid	shapes of some solid			
		objects can be	objects can be			
		changed.	changed.			



2	All living things and their habitats	All living things and their habitats	Uses of everyday materials	Uses of everyday materials	All living things and their habitats	Plants
	Explore and compare living, dead and things that have never been alive. Identify habitats to which animals are suited and how 4the habitats provide for their b5asic needs Ide6ntify and name a variety of plants and animals in their habitats, including micro-habitats Describe how animals obtain food from plants and other animals, using simple food chains and identify and name different sources of food.	Explore and compare living, dead and things that have never been alive. Identify habitats to which animals are suited and how 4the habitats provide for their b5asic needs Ide6ntify and name a variety of plants and animals in their habitats, including micro-habitats Describe how animals obtain food from plants and other animals, using simple food chains and identify and name different sources of food.	Identify and compare the uses of everyday materials Compare how things move on different surfaces.	Identify and compare the uses of everyday materials Compare how things move on different surfaces.	Explore and compare living, dead and things that have never been alive. Identify habitats to which animals are suited and how 4the habitats provide for their b5asic needs Ide6ntify and name a variety of plants and animals in their habitats, including micro-habitats Describe how animals obtain food from plants and other animals, using simple food chains and identify and name different sources of food.	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



3	Light	Forces and Magnets	Plants	Rocks	Rocks	Animals and including humans
	Recognise light needed for seeing and that it is reflected from different surfaces Explore shadows and find patterns that determine the size of shadows Identify the dangers of sunlight	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 materials on the basis of whether they are attracted to a magnet Describe magnets as having two poles Predict whether two magnets will attract or repel each other	Functions of parts of plants Requirements of plants for life and growth and how they vary from plant to plant Investigate the way 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.	Compare and group different rocks based on their appearance and simple physical properties  Describe in simple new terms how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped within rock  Recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter.	Compare and group different rocks based on their appearance and simple physical properties  Describe in simple new terms how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped within rock  Recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter.	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 animals have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement.



4	Sound	Electricity	Animals, including	Living Things and their	States of Matter	Sound
			humans	Habitats		
	Identify how sounds	Identify common			Compare and group	Identify how sounds
	are made, associating	appliances that run on	Describe the simple	Recognise that	materials according to	are made, associating
	them with vibrations	electricity	functions of the basic	environments can	whether they are	them with vibrations
	Find patterns between	Construct a series of	parts of the digestive	change and that this	solids, liquids and	Find patterns between
	the pitch of a sound	simple circuits,	system in humans	can pose dangers to	gases	the pitch of a sound
	and features of the	identifying and	Identify different	living things. (Text –	Observe that some	and features of the
	object that produced	naming basic parts,	types of teeth in	Window)	materials change state	object that produced
	it	including cells, wires,	humans and their	Use classification keys	when they are heated	it
	Find patterns between	bulbs, buzzers and	simple functions	to assign living things	or cooled, and	Find patterns between
	the volume of a sound	switches.	Construct and	found in the local and	measure the	the volume of a sound
	and the strength of	Identify whether or	interpret a variety of	wider environment to	temperature at which	and the strength of
	the vibrations that	not a lamp will light in	food chains,	groups	this happens.	the vibrations that
	produced it.	a series circuit	identifying producers,		Identify the part	produced it.
		Recognise that a	predators and prey		played by evaporation	
		switch opens and			and condensation in	
		closes a circuit			the water cycle and	
		Recognise some			associate the rate of	
		common conductors			evaporation with	
		and insulators, and			temperature	
		associate metals with				
		being good				
		conductors.				



5	Animals, including humans	Living things and their habitats	Properties and Changes of Materials.	Forces	Earth and Space
	Describe the changes as humans develop from birth to an old age	Describe how things are classified into broad groups according to common observable characteristics and based on similarities and differences, including microorganisms plants and animals.	Compare and group materials based on evidence from comparative and fair tests, including hardness, solubility, transparency, conductivity (electrical and thermal) and response to magnets.  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 normally reversible, including changes associated with burning and the reaction of acid on bicarbonate of soda.	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 Understand that force and motion can be transferred through mechanical devices such as gears, pulleys, levers and springs and allow a smaller force to have a greater effect.	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.



6	<b>Evolution and</b>	Light	Electricity	Electricity	Animals including	Living things and their
	Inheritance				humans	habitats
		Understand that light	Associate the	Associate the		
	Recognise that living	appears to travel in	brightness of a lamp	brightness of a lamp	Identify and name the	Describe how living
	things have changes	straight kinds	or the volume of a	or the volume of a	main parts of the	things are classified
	over time and that	Use the idea that light	buzzer with the	buzzer with the	human circulatory	into broad groups
	fossils provide	travels in straight lines	number and voltage of	number and voltage of	system and explain	according to common
	information about	to explain that objects	cells used in the circuit	cells used in the circuit	the functions of the	observable
	living things that	are seen because they	Compare and give	Compare and give	heart, blood vessels	characteristics and
	inhabited the Earth	give out or reflect light	reasons for variation	reasons for variation	and blood.	based on similarities
	millions of years ago	into our eyes	in how components	in how components	Recognise the impact	and differences,
	Recognise that living	Use the idea that light	function, including the	function, including the	of diet, exercise, drugs	including micro-
	things produce	travels in straight lines	brightness of bulbs,	brightness of bulbs,	and lifestyle ion the	organisms, plants and
	offspring of the same	to explain why	the loudness of	the loudness of	way their body	animals
	kind, bit normally	shadows have the	buzzers and the on/off	buzzers and the on/off	functions	Give reasons for
	offspring vary and are	same shape as the	position of switches	position of switches	Describe the way in	classifying plants and
	not identical to their	objects that cast	Use recognised	Use recognised	which nutrients and	animals based on
	parents	them, and to predict	symbols when	symbols when	water are transported	specific
	Identify how animals	the size of shadows	presenting a simple	presenting a simple	within animals,	characteristics.
	and plants are	when the position of	circuit in a diagram.	circuit in a diagram.	including humans.	
	adapted to suit their	the light source				
	environment in	changes.				
	different ways and					
	that adaption may					
	lead to evolution.					

