Blakehill Primary School

Science Overview

Year	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Rec	Similarities and Differences between themselves and others.	Explain similarities and differences in relation to places. Changing states of matter - ice Know the difference between man-made vs. natural	Knows the properties of some materials and can suggest some of the purposes they are used for. (Plan, design and make a boat).
Year 1	Animals including humans Identify animals Identify, draw and label parts of the body senses Everyday materials Identify group and sort everyday materials based on properties	Animals including Humans Identify and name common animals form 5 classification groups Herbivores and carnivores Describe structure of animals	Seasonal Change 4 seasons Name seasons Observe and describe weather using appropriate vocabulary, Describe varying lengths of day Plants Identification and naming a variety of plants Identify parts of a plant Describe basic structure of plants
Year 2	Uses of everyday materials Identification Comparison Suitability Changing Shape solids shapes squashing, bending, twisting and stretching	Animals including humans Living Things Compare contrast living and not living Animals including humans have offspring Child to adult Plants Growing plants Observe and describe how a plant grows – seed to plant What healthy plants need to grow	Living Things and their Habitats Identify that most plants and animals live in habitats and rely on each other Identify and name plants and animals in their habitats Animals including Humans Feeding and exercise – simple food chains Basic needs for life, human exercise
Year 3	Rocks and soils Compare and group according to properties Describe fossil formation Recognise that soils are made from rocks. Forces Explore movement on different surfaces Magnetism Attract and repel Magnetic and non magnetic materials	Animals Including Humans Movement and feeding Skeletons Nutrition Plants What plants need Explore plant requirements. How this can vary from plant to plant	Plants Parts of plants Describe the functions of different parts of flowering plants: roots, stem/ trunk, Transportation of water,Life cycles Light and Shadow Light sources Reflected light Light is needed to see How to protect from the sun Light creates shadows
Year 4	States of matter Solids, liquid and gases Compare and group materials Changing state – heating and cooling Water cycle, evaporation and condensation Temperature Living things Grouping living things Classification Using Keys, Habitats	Electricity Electrical appliances Construct simple circuits Identify possible faults in circuits Know how a switch works conductors and insulators Sound Relationship between vibration and sound Journey of sound Pitch, volume	Living Things Dangers to living things Construct food chains, producers, consumers, predators and prey Animals Including Humans Human nutrition Basic function of digestive system Teeth and simple functions
Year 5	Materials – changes of state Solids, liquids and gases, Dissolving Separating mixtures Filtering, sieving etc Reversible/ irreversible change Heating, melting, burning	Properties of materials Solubility, transparency, electrical/thermal conductors Everyday uses of materials	Light Light and sight Light travels Journey of light and the process of sight
	Forces Gravity Air resistance Water resistance Friction Mechanisms and pulleys	Animals including humans and living things in their habitats Life cycles Reproduction plants and animals Changes in humans birth to old age	Earth and Space Earth movements Solar system Moon movements Night and day

Year	Living things	Animals including humans	Animals Including Humans
6	Classifying living things	adaptation ,evolution	Our bodies
•	According to common observable		Circulatory system
	characteristics, microorganisms		Function of heart/ blood vessels,
			blood
	eta andata.		Diet and exercise
	<u>Electricity</u>		Transportation of nutrients
	Changing circuits		Transportation of matricines
	Associate brightness of a lamp/ volume		
	of a buzzer with voltage		
	Recognise and use electrical symbols for		
	components		
	Different circuits		