

## Science Knowledge and skills progression

	Life: All children wil Discovery: The child lives. The children, EYFS	l have the skills to desc lren at Fawbert and Bar through first hand expe Year 1	ribe and understand li nard's will learn abou rience will make their Year 2	ife around them and what it the discoveries scientists own discoveries. Year 3	animals including hun s in the past have mad Year 4	nans need to survive. e in Science and how these Year 5	impact on our everyday Year 6
Plants	<ul> <li>Can describe the similarities and differences of different plants and trees.</li> <li>Describe different types of weather.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants, including deciduous and evergreen.</li> <li>Can identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including trees.</li> <li>Can observe changes across the four seasons.</li> <li>Seasonal changes</li> <li>Can observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies (create weather station).</li> <li>Working scientifically: They begin to take measurements</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants</li> <li>Can find out and describe how plants need water, light and a suitable temperature to grow and stay healthy.</li> <li>Working scientifically: The children answer questions developed with the teacher often through a scenario. The children are involved in planning how to use resources provided to answer the questions using different types of enquiry.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can identify and describe the functions of different parts of flowering plants: roots, stem/trunk, leaves and flowers.</li> <li>Can 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.</li> <li>Can investigate the way in which water is transported within plants.</li> <li>Can explore the part that flowers play in the life cycle of flowering plants, including pollination, seed formation and seed dispersal</li> <li>Working scientifically: The children make systematic and careful observations. The children draw conclusions based on</li> </ul>	Revisit in Snap science unit Our changing world.	Revisit in Snap science unit reproduction in plants and animals and Our changing world.	Revisit in Snap science unit Our changing world.

		initially by	Take	their evidence and		
		comparisons.	measurements	current subject		
		Explore the world	using non-	knowledge.		
		around them and	standard			
		use their senses to	measures.			
		describe what they	They carry out:			
		notice.	tests to classify;			
		The children record	comparative tests;			
		their observations	pattern seeking			
		e.g. using	enquiries; and			
		photographs, videos,	make observations			
		drawings, labeled	over time.			
		diagrams or in	The children			
		writing.	record their			
		The children	measurements e.g.			
		recognise 'biggest	using prepared			
		and smallest', 'best	tables, pictograms,			
		and worst' etc. from	tally charts and			
		their data.	bar charts.			
			Children use their			
			experiences of the			
			world around			
			them to suggest			
			appropriate			
			answers to			
			questions. They			
			are supported to			
			relate these to			
			their evidence.			
Key	Name parts of a		How plants grow			
concepts	plant and describe		and develop.			
	types of weather.		Where seeds and			
			bulbs need to be			
			planted differ.			

Key vocab for plants	Root, stem, leaf, flower	Leaf, flower, blossom, petal, fruit, berry, root, seed, trunk, branch, stem, bark, stalk, bud Names of trees in the local area. Names of garden and wild flowering plants in the local area Weather (sunny, rainy, windy, snowy etc.) Seasons, Sun, sunrise, sunset, day length	As for year 1 plus - light, shade, sun, warm, cool, water, grow, healthy	Photosynthesis, pollen, insect/wind pollination, seed formation, seed dispersal – wind dispersal, animal dispersal, water dispersal			
Links with Snap Science units		Plant detectives Our changing world: plants Sensing seasons	The apprentice gardener	Our changing world How does your garden grow?			
Animals inc humans	<ul> <li>Can make observations of animals.</li> <li>Explain how animals have changed and why changes occur e.g. life cycle.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can identify and name a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals.</li> <li>Can identify and name a variety of common animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores</li> <li>Can describe and compare the structure of a variety of common animals (fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Notice that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults</li> <li>Find out about and describe the basic needs of animals, including humans, for survival (water, food and air)</li> <li>Describe the importance for humans of exercise,</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can 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.</li> <li>Can identify that humans and some other animals have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans.</li> <li>Can identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions.</li> <li>Can construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can describe the changes as humans develop to old age.</li> <li>Working scientifically: They talk about how their scientific ideas change due to new evidence that they have gathered.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can identify and name the main parts of the human circulatory system, and describe the functions of the heart, blood vessels and blood.</li> <li>Can recognise the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way their bodies function.</li> <li>Can describe the ways in which nutrients and water are transported within animals, including humans.</li> <li>Recognise that living things have changed over time and that</li> </ul>

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		and mammals,	eating the	Working scientifically:	Working	fossils provide
		including pets).	right	The children consider	scientifically:	information about
		• Can identify,	amounts of	their prior knowledge	The children select	living things that
		name, draw and	different	when asking questions.	from a range of	inhabited the Earth
		label the basic	types of food,	They independently use	practical resources	millions of years ago.
		parts of the	and hygiene	a range of question	to gather evidence	Recognise that living
		human body		stems. Where	to answer questions.	things produce
		and say which	Working	appropriate, they	They recognise	offspring of the same
		part of the body	scientifically:	answer these questions.	when secondary	kind, but normally
		is associated	Make careful		sources can be used	offspring vary and
		with each sense.	observations to	The children make	to answer questions	are not identical to
			support	systematic and careful	that cannot be	their parents.
		Working	identification,	observations.	answered through	Identify how animals
		scientifically:	comparison and		practical work.	and plants are
		While exploring the	noticing change.			adapted to suit their
		world, the children	They use			environment in
		develop their ability	appropriate			different ways and
		to ask questions.	senses, aided by			that adaptation may
		Where appropriate,	equipment such as			lead to evolution.
		they answer these	magnifying glasses			
		questions.	or digital			Working scientifically:
		They begin to take	microscopes, to			They talk about how new
		measurements,	make their			discoveries change
		initially by	observations.			scientific understanding.
		comparisons.	They carry out:			0
		They carry tests out:	tests to classify;			
		to classify, compare	comparative tests;			
		and make	pattern seeking			
		observations over	enquiries; and			
		time.	make observations			
		The children record	over time.			
		their observations	They classify using			
		e.g. using	simple prepared			
		photographs, videos,	tables and sorting			
		drawings, labeled	rings.			
		diagrams or in				
		writing.				
Key	Describe the		Describe life cycles		Describe the	Describe the human
concepts	features of animal		and what animals		different functions	circulatory system.
	and how they		need to survive.		of the digestive	Describe how diet,
	change over time.		Describe how		system and how the	exercise, drugs and life
			hygiene practices		body absorbs water.	style have an inpact on
			helps prevent			the way our bodies
						function. Link to PSHCE.

			illnesses and infections.				Describe how offspring inherite their features and why they are not ideitical to their parents. How animals adapt to their environments.
Key vocab for Animals inc humans		Head, body, eyes, ears, mouth, teeth, leg, tail, wing, claw, fin, scales, feathers, fur, beak, paws, hooves Names of animals experienced first- hand from each vertebrate group Parts of the body including those linked to PSHE teaching. Senses – touch, see, smell, taste, hear, fingers (skin), eyes, nose, ear and tongue	Offspring, Reproduction, Growth, Child, Young/Old stages (examples - chick/hen, baby/child/adult, caterpillar/butterf ly), Exercise, Heartbeat, Pulse, Breathing, Hygiene, Germs, Disease, Nutrition, Food types (examples – meat, fish, vegetables, bread, rice, pasta)	Nutrition, nutrients, carbohydrates, sugars, protein, vitamins, minerals, fibre, fat, water, skeleton, bones, muscles, support, protect, skull, ribs, spine, muscles, joints	Digestive system, digestion, mouth, teeth, saliva, oesophagus, stomach, small intestine, nutrients, large intestine, rectum, anus, teeth, incisor, canine, molar, premolars, herbivore, carnivore, omnivore, producer, predator, prey, food chain	Digestive system, digestion, mouth, teeth, saliva, oesophagus, stomach, small intestine, nutrients, large intestine, rectum, anus, teeth, incisor, canine, molar, herbivore, carnivore, omnivore	Heart, pulse, rate, pumps, blood, blood vessels, transported, lungs, oxygen, carbon dioxide, nutrients, water, muscles, cycle, circulatory system, diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle Offspring, sexual reproduction, vary, characteristics, suited, adapted, environment, inherited, species, fossils
Links with Snap Science units		Animal antics Looking at animals Our senses	Take care Growing up	Amazing bodies	Where does all that food go?	Circle of life	Body pump Body health
Materials	<ul> <li>Talk about features of their own immediate environment.</li> <li>Link with Geography</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made</li> <li>Can identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass,</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can identify and compare the suitability of a variety of everyday materials, including wood, metal, plastic, glass, brick, rock, paper and cardboard for</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can compare and group together different kinds of rocks on the basis of their appearance and simple physical properties.</li> <li>Can describe in simple terms how fossils are formed when things that have lived are</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can compare and group materials together, according to whether they are solids, liquids or gases.</li> <li>Can observe that some materials change state</li> </ul>	Can compare and group together everyday materials on the basis of their properties, including their hardness, solubility, transparency, conductivity (electrical and	

ļ	metal, water,	particular	trapped within	when they are		thermal), and	
	and rock.	uses.	rock.	heated or		response to	
	Can describe	Can find out	• Can recognise that	cooled, and		magnets.	
	the simple	how the	soils are made from	measure or	•	Can name some	
	physical	shapes of solid	rocks and organic	research the		materials that	
	properties of a	objects made	matter.	temperature at		will dissolve in	
ļ	variety of	from some		which this		liquid to form a	
	everyday	materials can	Link with Geography	happens in		solution. and	
ļ	materials.	be changed by	rivers with a locational	degrees Celsius		describe how to	
	Can compare	squashing	study of the Lake	(°C).		recover a	
	and group	bending.	district and it's	Can identify the		substance from a	
ļ	together a	twisting and	mountains formed by	nart played by		solution	
	variety of	stretching	different rocks Further	evanoration and		Conuco	
ļ	overvdev	su cumig.	link to water cycle	condensation in	-	knowledge of	
	everyudy materials on the		mink to water tytle.	the water cyclo		solide liquide and	
	have af their	Working	Working scientifically:	and accordate		solius, liquius allu	
	dasis of their	cciontifically	They plan	the rate of		gases to decide	
	simple physical	The shildren are	investigations that they	the rate of		now mixtures	
	properties.	i ne children are	investigations that they	evaporation		might be	
	TA7 1 '	involved in	would like to carry out	with		separated,	
	Working	planning now to	to answer questions.	temperature.		including through	
	scientifically:	use resources	They gather evidence to	147 L		filtering, sieving	
ļ	While exploring the	provided to	answer the questions	Working		and evaporating.	
	world, the children	answer the	posed.	scientifically:	•	Can give reasons,	
	develop their ability	questions using	The children	Given a range of		based on	
	to ask questions.	different types of	sometimes decide how	resources, the		evidence from	
ļ	Where appropriate,	enquiry.	to record and present	children decide for		comparative and	
	they answer these	Make careful	evidence.	themselves how to		fair tests, for the	
	questions.	observations to	They record	gather evidence to		particular uses of	
	They begin to take	support	classifications e.g. using	answer the		everyday	
	measurements,	identification,	tables, Venn diagrams,	question.		materials,	
ļ	initially by	comparison and	Carroll diagrams.	They use a range of		including metals,	
	comparisons.	noticing change.	They communicate	equipment for		wood and plastic.	
	Explore the world	They use	their findings to an	measuring length,	•	Can demonstrate	
ļ	around them and	appropriate	audience both orally	time, temperature		that dissolving.	
	use their senses to	senses, aided by	and in writing, using	and capacity. They		mixing and	
	describe what they	equipment such as	appropriate scientific	use standard units		changes of state	
	notice.	magnifying glasses	vocabulary.	for their		are reversible	
	Children to use	or digital	The children draw	measurements.		changes	
	practical resources	microscopes, to	conclusions based on	The children select		Can overlain that	
ļ	to answer questions	make their	their evidence and	from a range of	•	can explain that	
ļ	They carry tests out	observations	current subject	nractical resources		some changes	
ļ	to classify compare	The children use	knowledge	to gather evidence		result in the	
ļ	and make	nactical resources	Children answer their	to answer questions		formation of new	
ļ	anu make	practical resources	own and others'	to answer questions.		materials, and	
		provided to gather	own and others		1	that this kind of	

observations over	evidence to	questions based on	They follow their	change is not	
time.	answer questions	observations they have	plan to carry out:	usually	
The children record	generated by	made, measurements	observations and	reversible,	
their observations	themselves or the	they have taken or	tests to classify;	including changes	
e.g. using	teacher.	information they have	comparative and	associated with	
photographs, videos,	They carry out:	gained from secondary	simple fair tests;	burning and the	
drawings, labeled	tests to classify;	sources. The answers	observations over	action of acid on	
diagrams or in	comparative tests;	are consistent with the	time; and pattern	bicarbonate of	
writing.	pattern seeking	evidence.	seeking.	soda.	
The children	enquiries; and		Children are		
recognise the	make observations		supported to	Working	
'biggest and	over time.		present the same	scientifically:	
smallest', 'best and	The children		data in different	Children	
worst' etc. from	record their		ways in order to	independently ask	
their data.	measurements e.g.		help with answering	scientific questions.	
	using prepared		the question.	The children select	
	tables, pictograms,		Children interpret	from a range of	
	tally charts and		their data to	practical resources to	
	bar charts.		generate simple	gather evidence to	
			comparative	answer their	
			statements based on	questions. They carry	
			their evidence. They	out fair tests,	
			begin to identify	recognising and	
			naturally occurring	controlling variables.	
			patterns and causal	Children use the	
			relationships.	scientific knowledge	
			Following a	gained from enquiry	
			scientific	work to make	
			experience, the	predictions they can	
			children ask further	investigate using	
			questions which can	comparative and fair	
			be answered by	tests.	
			extending the same	They evaluate, for	
			enquiry.	example, the choice of	
			1 7 -	method used, the	
				control of variables.	
				the precision and	
				accuracy of	
				measurements and	
				the credibility of	
				secondary sources	
				used.	

Key concepts	I can describe different materials.		Objects are made from one or more material due to their suitability for the task. Objects made of some materials can be changed. This can be a property of the material or depend on how the material has been processed e.g. thickness.		Solid, liquid and gases. How sand can be mistaken for a liquid. Melting, freezing, boiling point, evaporation, condensation. Water cycle		
Key vocab for materials		Object, material, wood, plastic, glass, metal, water, rock, brick, paper, fabric, elastic, foil, card/cardboard, rubber, wool, clay, hard, soft, stretchy, stiff, bendy, floppy, waterproof, absorbent, breaks/tears, rough, smooth, shiny, dull, see-through	Suitable/unsuitabl e, use/useful, hard/soft, stretchy/stiff, rigid/flexible, waterproof/absor bent, strong/weak, rough/smooth, transparent/opaq ue, shape, push/pushing, pull/pulling, twist/twisting, squash/squashing, bend/bending, stretch/stretching	Rock, stone, pebble, boulder, grain, crystals, layers, hard, soft, texture, absorb water, soil, fossil, marble, chalk, granite, sandstone, slate, soil, peat, sandy/chalk/clay soil	Solid, liquid, gas, state change, melting, freezing, melting point, boiling point, evaporation, temperature, water cycle	Thermal/electrical insulator/conductor, change of state, mixture, dissolve, solution, soluble, insoluble, filter, sieve reversible/non- reversible change, burning, rusting, new material Absorbent, thermal conductivity, melting, solid, liquid, gas, dissolve, solution, soluble.	
Links with Snap Science units		Everyday materials	Materials: Shaping up Materials: Good choices	Rock detectives	In a state	Everyday materials Marvellous mixtures All change Get sorted!	

Living	Mako	6	Can ownlows	Powigit in Our Changing	6	Decognize that	-	Can decembe the		
things	observations	•	and compare	World' nlants	•	living things can		differences in the		Can describe how
and their	about living		the		1	he grouned in a		life cycles of a		living things are
habitats	things and		differences		1	variety of ways		me cycles of a		classified into broad
nabitats	their		hotwoon			Furley of ways		amphihian an		groups according to
	onvironments		things that are		•	Explore and use		incost and a hird		groups according to
	environments.		linings that are					Degerike the		common observable
			nving, dead,			keys to help	•	Describe the		based on similarities
			and unings			group, identify		changes as		based on similarities
			ullat llave			and name a		numans develop		in all din a mi mo
			never been			variety of living		to old age.		anganiama planta
			alive.			things in their	тл	/]-;		organisms, plants
		•	Can identify			local and wider	VV	orking		and animals.
			that most			environment	SC	cientifically:	•	Can give reasons for
			living things		•	Recognise that		niiaren		classifying plants
			live in nabitats		1	environments	in	idependently ask		and animals based
			to which they		1	can change and	SC	cientific questions		on specific
			are suited and			that this can				characteristics.
			describe now			sometimes pose			•	Can describe
			different			dangers and				the life process
			nabitats			have an impact				of reproduction
			provide for			on living things.				in some plants
			the basic			1.				and animals.
			needs of		VV e	orking			•	Can recognise
			aliferent kinds		SCI	entifically:				that living things
			of animals and		Th	ley recognise				have changed
			plants, and		wr	ien secondary				over time and
			now they		SO	urces can be used				that fossils
			depend on		to	answer questions				provide
			each other		tha	at cannot be				information
		•	Can identify		an	swered through				about living
			and name a		pr	actical work.				things that
			variety of		1					inhabited the
			plants and		1					Earth millions of
			animals in		1					years ago.
			their habitats,		1				•	Can recognise
			including		1					that living things
			micro-		1					produce
			nabitats.		1					offspring of the
		•	Lan describe		1					same kind, but
			how animals		1					normally
			obtain their		1					offspring vary
			tood from		1					and are not
			plants and		1					identical to their
			other animals,							parents.

using the idea		Can identify how
of a simple		animals and
food chain,		plants are
and identify		adapted to suit
and name		their
different		environment in
sources of		different ways
food.		and that
		adaptation may
Working		lead to evolution.
scientifically:		
, and the second s		Working scientifically
The children		They decide what observation
answer questions		measurements to make over
developed with		and for how long They look
the teacher often		natterns and relationships u
through a		suitable sample
scenario		suitable sample.
Take		
measurements		
using non-		
standard		
measures		
Make careful		
observations to		
support		
identification		
comparison and		
noticing change		
They carry out		
tests to classify:		
comparative tests:		
nattern seeking		
enquiries and		
make observations		
over time		
The children		
record their		
measurements e g		
using prepared		
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tables, pictograms,		
har charts		
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		They classify using simple prepared tables and sorting rings. Children use their experiences of the world around them to suggest appropriate answers to questions. They are supported to relate these to their Key evidence.		
Key concepts	Name common livings things and describe where you would find it e.g. Woodlouse under a rock and fish in the sea.	All objects are either living, dead or have never been alive. A habitat provides the basic needs of the animals and plants – shelter, food and water. Within a habitat there are different micro-habitats. The conditions of the habitat affect which plants and animals live there.	Living things can be classified – classification keys. Living things live in a habitat which may change naturally positivity and negatively.	Living things can be formally grouped according to characteristics. Animals can be divided into two main group which have common characteristics: vertebrates and invertebrates and invertebrates. Vertebrates can be divided into five small groups: fish; amphibians; reptiles; birds; and mammals. Invertebrates can be divided into a number of groups, including insects, spiders, snails and worms. Plants can be divided broadly into two main groups: flowering plants; and non-flowering plants.

Key vocab for living things and their habitats	Names of living things, ocean, sea, woods		Living, dead, never been alive, suited, suitable, basic needs, food, food chain, shelter, move, feed Names of local habitats e.g. pond, woodland etc. Names of micro- habitats e.g. under logs, in bushes etc.		Classification, classification keys, environment, habitat, human impact, positive, negative, migrate, hibernate		Vertebrates, fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds, mammals, invertebrates, insects, spiders, snails, worms, flowering and non- flowering
Links with Snap Science units			Our changing world What is your habitat?		Human impact Our changing world	Reproduction in plants and animals	Our changing world Nature library
Light and sound	Continuous provision: Making shadows. Noticing how shadows are made using torches, sun etc.	Continuous provision: Noticing how shadows change at different times of the day. Notice how living things in the environment cast shadows (links with seasonal changes.)	Continuous provision: How shadows change due to the seasons (links with seasonal changes.)	<ul> <li>Can recognise that they need light in order to see things and that dark is the absence of light.</li> <li>Can notice that light is reflected from surfaces.</li> <li>Can recognise that light from the sun can be dangerous and that there are ways to protect their eyes.</li> <li>Covered in KS1 so only short recap may be needed.</li> <li>Can recognise that shadows are formed when the light from a light source is blocked by a solid object.</li> <li>Can find patterns in the way that the size of shadows change.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can identify how sounds are made, associating some of them with something vibrating.</li> <li>Can recognise that vibrations from sounds travel through a medium to the ear.</li> <li>Can find patterns between the pitch of a sound and features of the object that produced it.</li> <li>Can find patterns between the strength of the</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Can 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.</li> <li>Can 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.</li> <li>Can use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain why shadows have the same shape as the objects that cast them.</li> <li>Working scientifically They choose a type of enquiry to carry out and</li> </ul>

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	vibrations that	justify their choice.
Working scientifically:	produced it.	They decide what
The children make	Can recognise	observations or
systematic and careful	that sounds get	measurements to make
observations.	fainter as the	over time and for how
They plan	distance from	long. They look for
investigations that they	the sound	patterns and
would like to carry out	source	relationships using a
to answer questions.	increases.	suitable sample.
They gather evidence to		During an enquiry, they
answer the questions	Working	make decisions e.g.
posed.	scientifically:	whether they need to:
The children draw	They use a range of	take repeat readings (fair
conclusions based on	equipment for	testing); increase the
their evidence and	measuring length,	sample size (pattern
current subject	time, temperature	seeking); adjust the
knowledge.	and capacity. They	observation period and
	use standard units	frequency (observing
	for their	over time); or check
	measurements.	further secondary
	The children select	sources (researching); in
	from a range of	order to get accurate
	practical resources	data (closer to the true
	to gather evidence	value).
	to answer questions.	Children present the
		same data in different
	They follow their	ways in order to help
	plan to carry out:	with answering the
	observations and	question.
	tests to classify;	In their conclusions,
	comparative and	children: identify causal
	simple fair tests;	relationships and
	observations over	patterns in the natural
	time; and pattern	world from their
	seeking.	evidence; identify results
	Children are	that do not fit the overall
	supported to	pattern; and explain their
	present the same	findings using their
	data in different	subject knowledge.
	ways in order to	
	help with answering	
	the question.	
	The children	
	identify ways in	

			which they adapted their method as they progressed or how they would do it differently if they repeated the enquiry. Children use their evidence to suggest values for different items tested using the same method e.g. the distance travelled by a car on	
Key concepts		Identify sources of light. Explain how we see objects and when we cannot see them. The light from the sun can damage our eyes and therefore we should not look directly at the sun. Know how we can protect our eyes. How shadows are formed.	surface. How sound transfers from the source to our ears. What factors effect the volume of sound.	Light appears to travel in straight lines, and we see objects when light from them goes into our eyes. The light may come directly from light sources, but for other objects some light must be reflected from the object into our eyes for the object to be seen. Objects that block light (are not fully transparent) will cause shadows. Because light travels in straight lines the shape of the shadow will be the same as the outline shape of the object.
Key vocab for light and sound		Light, light source, dark, absence of light, transparent, translucent, opaque, shiny, matt, surface, shadow, reflect, mirror,	Sound, source, vibrate, vibration, travel, pitch (high, low), volume, faint, loud, insulation	As for Year 3 - Light, plus straight lines, light rays

				sunlight, dangerous		
Links				Can you see me?	Good vibrations	Light up your world
with Snap						
units						
Electricity	Continuous provision: Children to experiment with wires, cells and bulbs.	Continuous provision: Children to experiment with wires, cells and bulbs to make a simple circuit.	Continuous provision: Children to experiment with wires, cells and bulbs to make a simple circuit and make changes to their circuit e.g. make the bulb brighter.		<ul> <li>Can identify common appliances that run on electricity.</li> <li>Can construct a simple series electrical circuit, identifying and naming its basic parts, including cells, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzers.</li> <li>Can 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.</li> <li>Can recognise that a switch opens and closes a circuit and associate this with whether or not a lamp lights in a simple series circuit.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can associate the brightness of a lamp or the volume of a buzzer with the number and voltage of cells used in the circuit.</li> <li>Can 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.</li> <li>Can use recognised symbols when representing a simple circuit in a diagram.</li> <li>Working scientifically They choose a type of enquiry to carry out and justify their choice. Children present the same data in different ways in order to help with answering the question. They talk about how new discoveries change scientific understanding.</li> </ul>

			Can recognise some common conductors and insulators, and associate metals with being good conductors.     Working	In their conclusions, children: identify causal relationships and patterns in the natural world from their evidence; identify results that do not fit the overall pattern; and explain their findings using their
			scientifically: The children select from a range of practical resources to gather evidence to answer questions. They follow their plan to carry out: observations and tests to classify; comparative and simple fair tests; observations over time; and pattern seeking. Following a scientific evnerience the	subject knowledge. They identify any limitations that reduce the trust they have in their data.
			children ask further questions which can be answered by extending the same enquiry.	
Key concepts			How to include a switch into a circuit. Metals are good conductors so they can be used as wires in a circuit. Non- metallic solids are insulators except for graphite (pencil lead). Water, if not completely pure, also conducts	Adding more cells to a complete circuit will make a bulb brighter, a motor spin faster or a buzzer make a louder sound. If you use a battery with a higher voltage, the same thing happens. Adding more bulbs to a circuit will make each bulb less bright. Using more

					electricity.		motors or buzzers, each motor will spin more slowly and each buzzer will be quieter. Turning a switch off (open) breaks a circuit so the circuit is not complete and electricity cannot flow. Any bulbs, motors or buzzers will then turn off as well.
Key Vocab Electricity					Electricity, electrical appliance/device, mains, plug, electrical circuit, complete circuit, component, cell, battery, positive, negative, connect/connection s, loose connection, short circuit, crocodile clip, bulb, switch, buzzer, motor, conductor, insulator, metal, non-metal, symbol		Circuit, complete circuit, circuit diagram, circuit symbol, cell, battery, bulb, buzzer, motor, switch, voltage
Links to snap science units					Switched on		Danger! Low voltage
Earth, Sun and Moon (Forces)	Links with seasonal changes/lights and Shadows	Links with Seasonal changes/Light and Shadows.	Link with Materials unit 'Shaping up' and Seasonal changes/Light and Shadows.	<ul> <li>Links with Seasonal changes/Light</li> <li>Can compare how things move on different surfaces.</li> <li>Can notice that some forces need contact between</li> </ul>		Link with Space unit <ul> <li>Can explain that <ul> <li>unsupported</li> <li>objects fall</li> <li>towards the Earth</li> <li>because of the</li> <li>force of gravity</li> <li>acting between</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

two objects, but	the Earth and the
magnetic forces can	falling object.
act at a distance.	Can identify the
Can observe how	effects of air
magnets attract or	resistance. water
repel each other	resistance and
and attract some	friction, which act
materials and not	between moving
others describe	surfaces.
magnets as having	Can recognise
two poles.	that some
Can predict	mechanisms,
whether two	including levers,
magnets will	pulleys and gears.
attract or repel	allow a smaller
each other,	force to have a
depending on	greater effect.
which poles are	0
facing.	Understand the
• Can compare and	Earth orbits the
group together a	sun and that the
variety of everyday	sun does not
materials on the	move.
basis of whether	• Can describe the
they are attracted	movement of the
to a magnet, and	Moon relative to
identify some	the Earth.
magnetic materials.	• Can describe the
	Sun. Earth and
Working scientifically:	Moon as
The children consider	approximately
their prior knowledge	spherical bodies.
when asking questions.	• Can use the idea
They independently use	of the Earth's
a range of question	rotation to
stems. Where	explain day and
appropriate, they	night and the
answer these questions.	apparent
The children make	movement of the
systematic and careful	sun across the
observations.	sky.
Children answer their	-
own and others'	Working scientifically
questions based on	

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		observations they have	Children	
		made, measurements	independently ask	
		they have taken or	scientific questions.	
		information they have	The children select	
		gained from secondary	from a range of	
		sources. The answers	practical resources to	
		are consistent with the	gather evidence to	
		evidence.	answer their	
			questions They carry	
			out fair tests	
			recognising and	
			controlling variables	
			Collect measuring	
			Select measuring	
			equipment to give the	
			most precise results	
			e.g. ruler, tape	
			measure or trundle	
			wheel, force meter	
			with a suitable scale.	
			Children use the	
			scientific knowledge	
			gained from enquiry	
			work to make	
			predictions they can	
			investigate using	
			comparative and fair	
			tosts	
			They tall shout how	
			the size of each in the side of the size o	
			their scientific ideas	
			change due to new	
			evidence that they	
			have gathered.	
			They evaluate, for	
			example, the choice of	
			method used, the	
			control of variables,	
			the precision and	
			accuracy of	
			measurements and	
			the credibility of	
			secondary sources	
			used.	

Key concepts	A magnet attracts magnetic material. The strongest parts of a magnet are the poles. Repealing and attracting. Contact and non- contact forces.	Gravity Air resistance water resistance	
Key vocab Earth, Sun and Moon	Contact force, non- contact force, magnetic force, magnet, strength, bar magnet, ring magnet, button magnet, horseshoe magnet, attract, repel, magnetic material, metal, iron, steel, poles, north pole, south pole	Force, gravity, Earth, air resistance, water resistance, friction, mechanisms, simple machines, levers, pulleys, gears	
Links to snap science unit	The power of forces	Feel the force Earth and Beyond	