

LONG TERM PLAN YEAR 6				
Autumn I	Autumn 2	Spring I		
Domain: Electricity (physics)	Domain: Living things and their habitats (biology)	<u>Domain</u> : Light (physics)		
Key concepts: energy	Key concepts: classification	Key concepts: energy		
End points: Students have an understanding of the key domains of knowledge and can use key concepts (knowing that: declarative/substantive knowledge) to make links between the domains				
Students can use declarative/substantive knowledge (knowing that) to work scientifically (knowing how: procedural/disciplinary knowledge)				
Students have an understanding of some of the major issues our planet is facing and what they can do to help; this is because our science curriculum has a focus on sustainability				
Broken down knowledge covered	Broken down knowledge covered	Broken down knowledge covered		
Know how voltage affects the volume of a buzzer and/or brightness of a bulb	Know how plants, micro-organisms and animals are categorised into groups based on observable characteristics	Know that light travels in straight lines		
Know how volume and/or brightness are affected by the use of different components	Know examples of groups and sub-groups (invertebrates such as spiders, snails, worms, insects/ vertebrates such as birds, mammals, fish, amphibians and reptiles)	Know that we see a light source, or an object that light shines upon, because light shines from the source or object into our eyes		
Know how conventional symbols are used on a circuit diagram		Know why a shadow forms the same shape as the object that casts it		
<u>Key vocabulary</u> : circuit diagram, circuit symbol, voltage	<u>Key vocabulary</u> : vertebrates, fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds, mammals, warm-blooded, cold-blooded, invertebrates, insects, spiders, snails, worms, flowering, non-flowering, mosses, ferns, conifers	<u>Key vocabulary</u> : straight lines, light rays		
 Common misconceptions larger-sized battenies make bulbs brighter a complete circuit uses up electricity components in a circuit that are closer to the battery get more electricity 	 Common misconceptions all micro-organisms are harmful mushrooms are plants 	 Common misconceptions we see objects because light travels from our eyes to the object 		
Previous knowledge Year 4: Know electrical safety hazards / Know the difference between mains and battery Know common conductors (metal (not all metals), liquids)	<u>Previous knowledge</u> EYFS: there many types of animals and they live in different places	Previous knowledge Year 3: Know that light is needed to see things and that dark is the absence of light / Know that some materials reflect more light than others (opaque,		



and insulators (wood, paper, plastic) / Know how to create a simple circuit: bulb, cell/battery, wire, buzzer, motor, switch / Know that a switch opens or closes a circuit and that links to whether the bulb will light up or not/ Know why a bulb may not light (e.g., switch, broken circuit)	Year 2: Know the terms 'living', 'dead' and 'never been alive' / Know the meaning of the terms 'habitat' and 'microhabitat' / Know how habitats vary and how specific animals and plants are suited to specific ones / Know and example of a simple food chain (e.g., grass - cow - human)	transparent, translucent) / Know that the light from the sun can damage our eyes / Know that shadows form when the light from a light source is blocked by an opaque object and why shadows can vary in size and direction
	Year 4: Know reasons for grouping animals (e.g., vertebrates, invertebrates) / Know how to use a classification key to group, identify and name plants (flowering including grasses and non-flowering such as ferns and mosses) and animals / Know dangers posed to animals based on environmental change (population, development, litter, deforestation) and the positive effects of nature reserves, garden ponds or ecologically planned parks	
	Year 5: Know differences in the life cycle of an amphibian, bird, insect and mammal / Know differences between sexual (animals and plants) and asexual (plants) reproduction	
Previous key vocabulary Year 3: electricity, electrical appliance/device, mains, plug, electrical circuit, complete circuit, component, cell, battery, positive, negative, connect/connections, loose connection, short circuit, crocodile clip, bulb, switch, buzzer, motor, conductor insulator metal non-metal symbol	Previous key vocabulary EYFS: names of different types of animals, some names of places where animals live. See EYFS Science Educational Programme document for more information. Year 2: living, dead, never been alive, suited, suitable, basic needs food food chain shelter move feed water air	<u>Previous key vocabulary</u> Year 3: light, light source, dark, absence of light, surface, shadow, reflect, mirror, Sun, sunlight, dangerous
	survive, survival, names of local habitats (e.g. pond, woodland etc.), names of micro-habitats (e.g. under logs, in bushes etc.), conditions, light, dark, shady, sunny, wet, damp, dry, hot, cold, names of living things in the habitats and micro-habitats studied	
	Year 4: classification, classification keys, environment, habitat, human impact, positive, negative, migrate, hibernate, vertebrate, invertebrate, flowering, non-flowering	
	Year 5: cycle, reproduce, sexual, sperm, fertilises, egg, live young, metamorphosis, asexual, plantlets, runners, cuttings	



Spring 2	Summer I/2		
Domain: Evolution and inheritance (biology) Revisit fossils knowledge from the Year 4 domain 'Rocks'	Domain: Animals including humans (biology)		
Key concepts: cells, evolution, genetic information	Key concepts: organisms require a supply of energy, human body, nutrition		
End points: Students have an understanding of the ke declarative/substantive knowledge) to make links	ey domains of knowledge and can use key concepts (knowing that: between the domains		
Students can use declarative/substantive knowledge (knowing that) to work scientifically (knowing how: procedural/disciplinary knowledge)			
Students have an understanding of some of the major issues our planet is facing and what they can do to help; this is because our science curriculum has a focus on sustainability			
Students appreciate the importance of science in	our ever-changing, complex world		
Broken down knowledge covered Know that fossils provide evidence of changes to living things over time	Broken down knowledge covered Know the names and functions of the main parts of the human circulatory system (heart, blood vessels and blood)		
Know that living things produce offspring of the same kind that aren't usually identical to their parents	Know the impact of diet, exercise, drugs, and lifestyle on the healthy functions of the human body		
Know examples of adaptation and evolution aiding survival in an environment	Know ways that nutrients and water are transported within the human body		
Key vocabulary: offspring, sexual reproduction, vary, characteristics, adapted, inherited, species, evolve, evolution	Key vocabulary: circulatory, system. heart, pulse, rate, pumps, blood, blood vessels, transported, lungs, oxygen, carbon dioxide, cycle, circulatory system, diet, drugs, lifestyle		
Common misconceptions • adaptation occurs during an animal's lifetime: giraffes' necks stretch during their lifetime to reach higher leaves and animals living in cold environments grow thick fur during their life	 Common misconceptions your heart is on the left side of your chest the heart makes blood the blood travels in one loop from the heart to the lungs and around the body when we exercise, our heart beats faster to work the muscles more some blood in our bodies is blue and some blood is red we just eat food for energy 		



 offspring most resemble their parents of the same sex, so that sons look like fathers all characteristics, including those that are due to actions during the parent's life such as dyed hair or footballing skills, can be inherited cavemen and dinosaurs were alive at the same time. 	 all fat is bad for you all dairy is good for you protein is good for you, so you can eat as much as you want foods only contain fat if you can see it all drugs are bad for you.
<u>Previous knowledge</u> No direct previous knowledge as this domain just comes up in Year 6. However, links can be made with the domains of animals, including humans, living things and their habitats, rocks and plants.	Previous knowledge EYFS: Animals (including humans) grow and change and as things grow and change, they have specific needs. / There are many different animals and they live in different places. / Names and information about different animals.
Also, in EYFS children learn that animals (including humans) grown and change and that as they grow and change, they have specific needs. Previous knowledge on fossils (Year 3):	rear 1: Identify and name a range of common animals and know their key characteristics: fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds, mammals (incl. pets) / Know the diets of carnivores, herbivores and omnivores / Know the key parts of the human body (head, neck, arms, elbows, legs, knees, face, ears, eyes, hair, mouth, teeth) and the sense associated to them (taste, hearing, sight, smell, touch)
Know the process of fossilisation for animals and plants	Year 2: Know that animals produce offspring that grow into adults / Know that animals need food, water and air to survive / Know the importance of diet, exercise and hygiene for humans
	Year 3: Know that animals and humans get nutrition from the food they eat (they cannot make their own food) / Know the importance of a balanced diet for health and survival / Know the five main food groups: vitamins and minerals (fruits and vegetables), carbohydrates (potatoes, bread, pasta), proteins (meat, fish, eggs, beans), dairy (cheese, milk) and fats (oils and spreads) / Know that skeletons and muscles within different animals aid support, movement and protection. <i>Skull: protects the brain Ribcage:</i> <i>protects lungs and heart Backbone: protects the spinal cord</i>
	Year 4: Know the functions of body parts linked to the digestive system: mouth, tongue, teeth, oesophagus, stomach, small and large intestine, anus / Know different types of teeth in humans and their functions: incisors (cut), canines (tear/rip), premolars and molars (grind/chew) / Know how to construct food chain diagrams that identify producers, predators and prey



	Year 5: Know the stages within development and growth of humans: foetus, baby, childhood, adolescence, adulthood, old age / Know the changes that happen to humans during puberty / Know that gestation periods differ between animals including humans (e.g., humans- 9 months, dogs - around 61 days, cats - around 64 days, elephants - as long as 22 months)
<u>Previous key vocabulary</u>	Previous key vocabulary
EYFS: baby, toddler, children, teenager, adult	EYFS: names of pets, farm animals, zoo animals, minibeasts, names of animal
	young, names of animals and groups of animals from different habitats
Year 3: Fossil	around the world. See EYFS Science Educational Programme document for more information.
	Year I: 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 human body including those within the school's RSE policy, senses, touch, see, smell, taste, hear, fingers, skin, eyes, nose, ears, tongue, carnivore, herbivore, omnivore
	Year 2: offspring, reproduction, growth, baby, toddler, child, teenager, adult, old person, names of animals and their babies (e.g. chick/chicken, kitten/cat, caterpillar/butterfly), survive, survival, water, food, air, exercise, heartbeat, breathing, hygiene, germs, disease, food types (e.g. meat, fish, vegetables, bread, rice, pasta, dairy)
	Year 3: nutrition, nutrients, carbohydrates, sugars, protein, vitamins, minerals, fibre, Fat, water, skeleton, bones, muscles, joints, support, protect, move, skull, nibs, spine,
	Year 4: digestive system, digestion, mouth, tongue, teeth, saliva, oesophagus, stomach, small intestine, large intestine, rectum, anus, incisor, canine, molar, premolar, producer, predator, prey
	Year 5: puberty, the vocabulary to describe sexual characteristics in line with the school's RSE policy