

# Science

## Unit Overview 2025/2026



*By the end of the academic year, the units will cover all the required year group skills and knowledge criteria.*

Year Group	Autumn	Spring	Summer
<b>EYFS</b>	Understanding the World		
<b>Year 1</b>	Everyday Materials - <i>identifying, compare and describing the properties</i> Seasonal Changes - <i>Autumn/Winter</i>	Animals inc. Humans - <i>How we grow</i> <i>Identifying Different Animal groups</i> Seasonal Changes - <i>Spring</i>	Plants - <i>Identifying and naming different plants</i> Seasonal Changes - <i>Summer</i>
<b>Year 2</b>	Animals inc. Humans - <i>Growth and survival</i> Everyday Materials - <i>identifying and describing.</i>	Habitats - <i>Living Things</i> Everyday Materials - <i>Changing shape</i>	Living Things - <i>Animals (Ducklings)</i> Living Things - <i>How plants grow</i>
<b>Year 3</b>	Rocks and Soils - <i>Rock formation, types of rocks and fossils.</i> Forces and Magnets	Animals inc. Humans - <i>Healthy eating &amp; exercise, skeletons and Muscles.</i> Light and Shadow	Plants - <i>Helping Plants Grow</i> <i>Identifying and naming parts of a plant.</i>
<b>Year 4</b>	Electricity - <i>Circuits and components</i> Sounds and Vibrations	States of matter - <i>Solids, liquids and gases.</i>	Animal diets, teeth and digestion. Living things and their habitats - <i>Classification and Interdependence.</i>
<b>Year 5</b>	Earth and Space - <i>The Solar System</i> Forces	Changing Materials - <i>Reversible and Non-Reversible changes.</i>	Animals inc. Humans - <i>Reproduction</i> Animals inc. Humans - <i>Life Cycles</i>
<b>Year 6</b>	Light - <i>How we see, reflection and refraction.</i> Electricity - <i>Testing and comparing</i>	Classification of Living Things	Evolution & Inheritance Humans and Health - <i>The circulatory system</i>