

Rationale

- It is our duty at Brompton & Sawdon CP, as a mainstream school, to provide a curriculum that is **ambitious** and **challenging** for **all** learners (where practical).
- This curriculum must fulfil the requirements set out in the **National Curriculum**. However, at Brompton, we go **beyond** these expectations, delivering a **deep**, as well as a **broad and balanced**, curriculum, which also reflect the needs, **rural context** and interests of our pupils.
- Whilst it is important that students have the opportunity to experience this depth of learning and experience their year group's curriculum and expectations, this should not be at the expense of **mastery** and **long-term retention**.
- When a student has not mastered a year group's curriculum, it is important that leaders and teachers **adapt** their curriculum, resources and practice. This may require teachers to 'secure' previous year group's expectations.
- At Brompton & Sawdon CP we firmly believe that **mixed-aged classes** are a benefit and not a necessity or hindrance; they allow students to progress at their own rate, whether that is allowing students to build on their strengths and looking at the next years' curricula or allowing students the time and support to secure understanding of previous year groups' curricula.
- We recognise, at Brompton, that students' **starting points** and previous educational experiences vary significantly. Our curriculum allows all students, especially the **disadvantaged**, to achieve their potential.

The following whole-school Science curriculum reflects the above rationale. It also sets out how Brompton & Sawdon CP plan for and deliver (and go beyond) the National Curriculum. This is a 'working document'; teachers and leaders adapt the following based on the 'impact' on students.

This plan outlines <u>what</u> is taught (Intent), as well as <u>when</u>, <u>where</u>, <u>why</u>, <u>how</u> it is taught (Implementation). It breaks down the school's Science curriculum into each dimension of the subject and then by year group. This allows teachers to clearly see the progression and sequence that skills need to be taught, so they can adapt their practice (if required). (The WORKING SCIENTIFICALLY element of the Science curriculum is woven into the other dimensions of the curriculum.)



SCIENCE - WORKING SCIENTIFICALLY - Years 1-6

Intent - What is taught? (Objectives)	Milestones	Implementation –
Beyond?	(Skills progression)	When, How, Where and Why?
 Year 1 and 2 Students will: Ask simple questions and recognising that they can be answered in different ways Observe closely, using simple equipment Perform simple tests Identify and classifying Use their observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions 	 Milestone 1 Ask simple questions. Observe closely, using simple equipment. Perform simple tests. Identify and classify. Use observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions. Gather and record data to help in answering questions. 	Year 1 Use all types of investigation to explore learning. Identifying and grouping of materials for a purpose - e.g. choosing the best material for bridge building. Researching - e.g. planets, the solar system, animals, plants and habitats. Observing changes over time - e.g. the changes to our forest during forest schools. Performing simple tests - e.g. STEM colour walking
 Gather and recording data to help in answering questions. 		Year 2 Making constructions using different materials to assess the most appropriate material choice. Identified and classified the most appropriate material when met with an external force. Made adjustments to the structures following identification of weaknesses in structures. Collated data to show which were most and least effective.
 Year 3 and 4 Students will: Ask relevant questions and using different types of scientific enquiries to answer them 	 Milestone 2 Ask relevant questions. 	Year 3 Use fair testing to assess the strengths of structures, strengths and weaknesses of magnets.



 Set up simple practical enquiries, comparative and fair tests Make systematic and careful observations and, where appropriate, taking accurate measurements using standard units, using a range of equipment, including thermometers and data loggers Gather, recording, classifying and presenting data in a variety of ways to help in answering questions Record findings using simple scientific language, drawings, labelled diagrams, keys, bar charts, and tables Report on findings from enquiries, including oral and written explanations, displays or presentations of results and conclusions Use results to draw simple conclusions, make predictions for new values, suggest improvements and raise further questions Identify differences, similarities or changes related to simple scientific ideas and processes Use straightforward scientific evidence to answer questions or to support their findings. 	 Set up simple, practical enquiries and comparative and fair tests. Make accurate measurements using standard units, using a range of equipment, e.g. thermometers and data loggers. Gather, record, classify and present data in a variety of ways to help in answering questions. Record findings using simple scientific language, drawings, labelled diagrams, bar charts and tables. Report on findings from enquiries, including oral and written explanations, displays or presentations of results and conclusions. Use results to draw simple conclusions and suggest improvements, new questions and predictions for setting up further tests. Identify differences, similarities or changes related to simple, scientific ideas and processes. Use straightforward, scientific evidence to answer questions or to support their findings. 	 Compile data to show findings following scientific questioning. Follow systematic processes to gather data and evidence. Effective use of language, labelling and drawing. Create wind charms to identify changes in the weather and accurately record findings. Year 4 Different enquiry types used with accurate data log measurements: Observation over time (egg investigation into tooth decay) Pattern seeking (parachute size linked to effectiveness) Identify, classify and group (classification of sweets, butterflies and birds) Comparative and fair testing (insulating cups of hot/cold water with different materials) Accurate measurements represented through data handling techniques (excel spreadsheet to analyse different animal gestation periods) Label electrical diagrams of circuits built Use of STEM display to ask questions, conclude and follow up.
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Ye	ear 5 students will:	Milestone 3	Controlling variables (e.g. insulation of hot and cold water
•	Plan different types of scientific enquiries to answer questions, including recognising and controlling variables where necessary	 Plan enquiries, including recognising and controlling variables where necessary. Use appropriate techniques, 	through different materials) Stopwatch, data loggers, video and measuring containers used. Classifying of sweets, butterflies and birds through classification keys.
•	Take measurements, using a range of scientific equipment, with increasing accuracy and precision	 apparatus, and materials during fieldwork and laboratory work. Take measurements, using a range of scientific equipment, 	Label electrical diagrams with correct/recognised symbols. Using graphs (e.g. through Excel spreadsheet, comparing the size of an animal to the gestation period)
•	Record data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams and labels, classification keys, tables, and bar and line graphs	 with increasing accuracy and precision. Record data and results of increasing complexity using 	and to support writing/presentation of results.
•	Use test results to make predictions to set up further comparative and fair tests	scientific diagrams and labels, classification keys, tables, bar and line graphs, and models.	
•	Report and presenting findings from enquiries, including conclusions, causal relationships and explanations of results, in oral and written forms such as displays and other presentations	 Report findings from enquiries, including oral and written explanations of results, explanations involving causal relationships, and conclusions. 	Space - Copernicus and Galileo's impact on our understanding of Earth and Space.
•	Identify scientific evidence that has been used to support or refute ideas or arguments.	 Present findings in written form, displays and other presentations. Use test results to make 	
<u>Ye</u> •	ear 6 students will: Plan different types of scientific enquiries to answer questions, including recognising and controlling variables where necessary	 predictions to set up further comparative and fair tests. Use simple models to describe scientific ideas, identifying scientific evidence that has been 	See above.



•	Take measurements, using a range of scientific equipment, with increasing accuracy and precision	used to support or refute ideas or arguments.	
•	Record data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams and labels, classification keys, tables, and bar and line graphs		
•	Use test results to make predictions to set up further comparative and fair tests		
•	Use simple models to describe scientific ideas		
•	Report and presenting findings from enquiries, including conclusions, causal relationships and explanations of results, in oral and written forms such as displays and other presentations		
•	Identify scientific evidence that has been used to support or refute ideas or arguments.		
<u>Y</u> e	ear 6 students at Greater Depth will:		
IN	<u>IPACT:</u>		FUTURE FOCI (to inform action plan or SIP):



SCIENCE - SEASONAL CHANGES - Year 1 only

Intent - What is taught? (Objectives)	Milestones	Implementation –
Beyond?	(Skills progression)	When, How, Where and Why?
 Year 1 Students will: Observe changes across the 4 seasons Observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies. 	 Milestone 1 Observe the apparent movement of the Sun during the day. Observe changes across the four seasons. Observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies. 	Constant discussions of changes in weather and seasons. Look at the changes of our forest during forest schools - bulbs and daffodils, wild flowers, blossom, autumn leaves and changes to the trees. Learning the 4 seasons through direct teaching and continually changing seasonal posters within the classroom.
IMPACT:		FUTURE FOCI (to inform action plan or SIP):



SCIENCE - PLANTS - Years 1 - 3

Intent - What is taught? (Objectives)	Milestones	Implementation –
Beyond?	(Skills Progression)	When, How, Where and Why?
 Year 1 Students will: Identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants, including deciduous and evergreen trees Identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including trees 	 Milestone 1 Identify and name a variety of common plants, including garden plants, wild plants and trees and those classified as deciduous and evergreen. Identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including roots, stem/trunk, leaves and flowers. 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 and stay healthy. 	 Teaching of plants and flora through forest schools. Growing bulbs/plants in the front garden - part of William Wordsworth birthday celebration. Observing over time the growth of seeds/beans in the classroom - growing a garlic using a garlic bulb. Explicit teaching of the parts of the growing plant - roots, stem, flower. Drawing wildflowers from the surrounding village through Art and Design.
 Year 2 Students will: 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 and stay healthy. 	 Milestone 2 Identify and describe the functions of different parts of flowering plants: roots, stem, leaves and flowers. 	Experiment on growing cress seeds in different conditions. Recording the findings. Exploring the variables of light, water and heat.



Ye	ar 3 Students will:	•	Explore the requirements of	Explicit teaching of the parts of a plant.
•	Identify and describe the functions of different parts of flowering plants: roots, stem/trunk, leaves and flowers		plants for life and growth (air, light, water, nutrients from soil, and room to grow) and how they vary from plant to plant.	Teaching of plants through forest schools. Labelling and describing the functions of different parts of a plant.
•	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 Investigate the way in which water is transported within plants	•	Investigate the way in which water is transported within plants. Explore the role of flowers in the life cycle of flowering plants, including pollination, seed	Taught, experimented and discussed the way water is necessary and cultivated within plants. Work done on seed dispersal.
•	Explore the part that flowers play in the life cycle of flowering plants, including pollination, seed formation and seed dispersal.	•	ilestone 3 Relate knowledge of plants to studies of evolution and inheritance. Relate knowledge of plants to studies of all living things.	
<u>II</u>	IPACT:			FUTURE FOCI (to inform action plan or SIP):



SCIENCE - ANIMALS INCLUDING HUMANS - Years 1 - 6

Intent - What is taught? (Objectives)	Milestones	Implementation –
Beyond?	(Skills Progression)	When, How, Where and Why?
 Year 1 Students will: Identify and name a variety of common animals including, fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals Identify and name a variety of common animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores Describe and compare the structure of a variety of common animals (fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals including pets) Identify, name, draw and label the basic parts of the human body and say which part of the body is associated with each sense. 	 Milestone 1 Identify and name a variety of common animals that are birds, fish, amphibians, reptiles, mammals and invertebrates. Identify and name a variety of common animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores. Describe and compare the structure of a variety of common animals (birds, fish, amphibians, reptiles, mammals and invertebrates, including pets). Identify name, draw and label the basic parts of the human body and say which part of the body is associated with each sense. Notice that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults. 	Class topics which focus on animals - Land ahoy, Mad about mini-beasts, Spring watch, Hibernation station and Walking with dinosaurs. Learning about animals through animal visits - visits to the farm during lambing season. Visit to the zoo. Spring watch topic - looking after lambs for the day - feeding and caring for the lambs. Visits to our school from the local vet accompanied by a selection of animals including snakes, lizards and tarantulas. STEM Home learning challenge - creating moving models to represent parts of our body. Drawing and labelling our bodies. Walking with dinosaurs - exploring herbivores, omnivores and carnivores. PE - Using our body through games and becoming familiar with the parts of our body.
 Year 2 Students will: Notice that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults 	 Investigate and describe the basic needs of animals, including humans, for survival (water, food and air). 	Explicit teaching of lifecycles of varying animals, including butterfly, frog and ladybird. Identify differences and similarities between offspring and the corresponding adult. Matching card



 Find out about and describe the basic needs of animals, including humans, for survival (water, food and air) Describe the importance for humans of exercise, eating the right amounts of different types of food, and hygiene. 	 Describe the importance for humans of exercise, eating the right amounts of different types of food and hygiene. 	 activities and planning and questioning of adults who are pregnant or have a young child to help understand the experience. Teaching of the basic needs of all animals, looking at different food groups and what each of them do for animals and humans. Discussing and producing basic kit required for survival (stranded on an island activity). Teaching the need for exercise and a healthy diet (including food groups) and how the heart works – the need to warm up/down from exercise and that some exercise makes the heart beat faster and some makes it beat slower (linked with P.E.) Completing physical activities that measure the increase in heart rate as opposed to 'at rest'. Making predictions and assessing results.
 Year 3 Students will: 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 other animals have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement. 	 Milestone 2 Identify that animals, including humans, need the right types and amounts of nutrition, that they cannot make their own food and they get nutrition from what they eat. Construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying 	As above The makeup of animals through internal organs and their necessity and that a skeleton is needed for support, protection and movement. Creating a skeleton string puppet with moving joints and classifying animals into vertebrate and invertebrate. Investigate the different foods that we eat via survey and look for patterns and trends with the data.
 Year 4 Students will: Describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans 	 producers, predators and prey. Identify that humans and some animals have skeletons and 	Making 'junk-model' versions of the digestive system and labelling to understand their basic functions.



 Identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions Construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey. 	 muscles for support, protection and movement. Describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans. Identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions. 	Identify human and animal teeth - compare functions of types of teeth. Observation over time - tooth decay (eggs in soft drinks investigations) Food chains (Danby Moors Centre activity)
 Year 5 Students will: Describe the changes as humans develop to old age. 	 Milestone 3 Describe the changes as humans develop to old age. Identify and name the main parts 	Stages of development using staff photos.
 Year 6 Students will: Identify and name the main parts of the human circulatory system, and describe the functions of the heart, blood vessels and blood Recognise the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way their bodies function Describe the ways in which nutrients and water are transported within animals, including humans. 	 of the human circulatory system, and describe the functions of the heart, blood vessels and blood. Recognise the importance of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way the human body functions. Describe the ways in which nutrients and water are transported within animals, including humans. 	Labelled diagram. A practical investigation (animal heart dissection and labelling) Blood smoothies - explanations of blood types and parts of blood. Impacts presented in advertisement/persuasive format - video adverts created to demonstrate knowledge. (Only discussed as part of above)
IMPACT:		FUTURE FOCI (to inform action plan or SIP):



SCIENCE - (USES OF) EVERYDAY MATERIALS - Years 1-2

Intent - What is taught? (Objectives)	Milestones	Implementation –
Beyond?	(Skills progression)	When, How, Where and Why?
Year 1 Students will:	Milestone 1	Investigating objects through our senses - is it hard, bendy,
• Distinguish between an object and the material	Distinguish between an object	smooth?
from which it is made	and the material from which it is	Testing materials through their functions
 Identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water, and rock 	 Identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood plastic glass metal water 	Design and technology - constructing bridges using our chosen material/making a castle model using recycled
 Describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials 	and rock.Describe the simple physical	Evaluate our designs - what worked best and why?
 Compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of their simple physical properties 	 properties of a variety of everyday materials. Compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on 	Discussing - If we could change our model, what would we do and why?
Year 2 Students will:	the basis of their simple physical	Explicit teaching of the different types of materials, their
 Identify and compare the suitability of a variety 	properties.	everyday uses and their alternative uses. Looking at materials
of everyday materials, including wood, metal, plastic glass brick rock paper and cardboard	 Find out how the shapes of solid objects made from some 	work and operate. Investigate how much materials will bend
for different uses	materials can be changed by	with a weight under the same condition – by completing a fair
 Compare how things move on different surfaces. 	 squashing, bending, twisting and stretching. Identify and compare the suitability of a variety of everyday materials, including wood, metal 	test. Experiments of moving different objects on different surfaces, such as plastic, carpet, concrete, wood and playground.
	materials, including wood, metal,	



 Find out how the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching 	plastic, glass, brick/rock, and paper/cardboard for particular uses.	Conducting fair tests on changes of shapes based on different types of force, explaining what a 'fair test' is and how we conduct an experiment – carrying out the experiments and analysing the data to find answers to particular questions.
IMPACT:		FUTURE FOCI (to inform action plan or SIP):

SCIENCE - ALL LIVINGS THINGS (AND THEIR HABITATS) - Years 4 - 6

Intent - What is taught? (Objectives)	Milestones	Implementation –
Beyond?	(Skills Progression)	When, How, Where and Why?
Year 4 Students will:	Milestone 2	Classification keys.
 Recognise that living things can be grouped in a variety of ways 	 Recognise that living things can be grouped in a variety of ways. 	Linnaeus systems to classify living things.
 Explore and use classification keys to help group, identify and name a variety of living things in their local and wider environment Recognise that environments can change and that this can sometimes pose dangers to living things. 	 Explore and use classification keys. Recognise that environments can change and that this can sometimes pose dangers to specific habitats. 	Growing our own turf in trays from different seed mix. Effects of pollution (e.g. Shipwreck in a bottle investigation) Adaptation of animals - BBC Bitesize unit.



Year 5 Students will:	<u>Milestone 3</u>	Overview of gestation - young and adult of the adjacent.
 Describe the differences in the life cycles of a mammal, an amphibian, an insect and a bird 	 Describe the differences in the life cycles of a mammal, an amphibian, an insect and a 	Hamilton unit - Keen to be green SRE - Y5/Y6
 Describe the life process of reproduction in some plants and animals. 	 Describe the life process of 	
Year 6 Students will:	reproduction in some plants	See above - Y4 Linnaeus
 Describe now living things are classified into broad groups according to common observable characteristics and based on similarities and differences, including micro-organisms, plants and animals Give reasons for classifying plants and animals based on specific characteristics. 	 and animals. Describe how living things are classified into broad groups according to common observable characteristics and based on similarities and differences, including microorganisms, plants and animals Give reasons for classifying plants and animals based on specific characteristics. 	Classification - Danby Moors Centre activity
IMPACT:		FUTURE FOCI (to inform action plan or SIP):



SCIENCE - ROCKS - Year 3 only

Milestones	Implementation –
(Skills progression)	When, How, Where and Why?
 Milestone 2 Compare and group together different kinds of rocks on the basis of their simple, physical properties. Relate the simple physical properties of some rocks to their formation (igneous or sedimentary). Describe in simple terms how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped within sedimentary rock. Recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter. 	Teaching of igneous, sedimentary and metamorphic rocks. What they look like, feel like and their formation. Children have experience of seeing, feeling and experiencing different types of rock. Conduct survey of local area to identify different rocks, their purpose and how they are formed. Learn how fossils are made and record by writing and illustrating the stages or through sequencing a text. Handle real fossils and rehearse the stages of fossil formation through oral retelling, with children supplying their own fossils for discussion on how they were obtained and how they were formed. Teaching on the development and look of fossils including living things trapped within rocks.
	FUTURE FOCI (to inform action plan or SIP):
	 Milestones (Skills progression) <u>Milestone 2</u> Compare and group together different kinds of rocks on the basis of their simple, physical properties. Relate the simple physical properties of some rocks to their formation (igneous or sedimentary). Describe in simple terms how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped within sedimentary rock. Recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter.

SCIENCE - LIGHT - Year 3 and 6 only



Intent - What is taught? (Objectives)	Milestones	Implementation –
Beyond?	(Skill progression)	When, How, Where and Why?
 Year 3 Students will: Recognise that they need light in order to see things and that dark is the absence of light Notice that light is reflected from surfaces Recognise that light from the sun can be dangerous and that there are ways to protect their eyes Recognise that shadows are formed when the light from a light source is blocked by a solid object Find patterns in the way that the size of shadows change. 	 Milestone 1 Observe and name a variety of sources of light, including electric lights, flames and the Sun, explaining that we see things because light travels from them to our eyes. Milestone 2 Recognise that they need light in order to see things and that dark is the absence of light. Notice that light is reflected from surfaces. Recognise that light from the sun can be dangerous and that there are ways to protect their eyes. Recognise that shadows are formed when the light from a light source is blocked by a solid object. Find patterns in the way that the size of shadows change. 	 Experiments with reflections and shadows using a light source, predict and then investigate how well different colours and materials reflect light in a simulated dark space. E.g. Guessing a shadow an object projects and describing different shadows using relevant words such as transparent, translucent and opaque. Teaching of a light source and their purpose, explore the effect of moving the light source on shadows, observe a demonstration of light travelling in straight lines and its effect on shadows and understand and explain shadow data. Exploring the effect of moving a light source on shadows and the effect on the size of the shadows and collating the data to show the changes. Make Whizzer Wheels to demonstrate the development and construction of a spectrum. Also secured in Year 4 (Lights, Camera, Action) – Shadow puppets (see below).



Year 6 Students will:	Milestone 3	Lights, camera, action - shadow puppets.
 Recognise that light appears to travel in straight lines 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 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 Use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain why shadows have the same shape as the objects that cast them IMPACT: 	 Understand that light appears to travel in straight lines. Use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain that objects are seen because they give out or reflect light into the eyes. Use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain why shadows have the same shape as the objects that cast them, and to predict the size of shadows when the position of the light source changes. Explain that we see things because light travels from light sources to objects and then to our eyes. 	Measuring the effects of moving a light source closer to or further from an object. (Shadow art silhouettes). Camera Obscures - STEM Projects. Space - Sun, earth, moon (light) Shadow puppets - transparent and translucent materials. FUTURE FOCI (to inform action plan or SIP):



SCIENCE - FORCES AND MAGNETS - Year 3 and 5

Intent - What is taught? (Objectives)	Milestones	Implementation –
Beyond?	(Skill progression)	When, How, Where and Why?
 Year 3 Students will: Compare how things move on different surfaces Notice that some forces need contact between 2 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 together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of whether they are attracted to a magnet, and identify some magnetic materials Describe magnets as having 2 poles Predict whether 2 magnets will attract or repel each other, depending on which poles are facing. 	 Milestone 1 Notice and describe how things move, using simple comparisons such as faster and slower. Compare how different things move. Milestone 2 Compare how things move on different surfaces. 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 together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of whether they are attracted to a magnet, and identify some magnetic materials. Describe magnets as having two poles. 	Work done with opposing magnetic poles, teaching that opposites attract and similar repels. Conducting fair tests on the force of different magnets on different metals and that not all magnets act the same (dependent on strength and the metal its attracting). Experimenting how they work on different materials, such as carpet, wood, metal, plastic etc. Predict which objects will move on what surface using different magnets and recording and analysing data and feeding back to the class. STEM – May the Force Be with You. Explore, predict, compare and test the strength of different magnets and that different metals are more receptive to some magnets. Explain that there are a north and a south pole and that attraction is north – south and repelling is north -north and south – south. Based on understanding, children are then able to predict response of magnets. Investigating pushing and pulling by playing Sporty Forces. STEM - Acting Forces. Conducting fair tests to establish strength of different metallic objects such as a paper clip, a toy car, a coin and buttons. Ask scientific questions to clarify understanding.



	 Predict whether two magnets will attract or repel each other, depending on which poles are facing. 	
 Year 5 Students will: 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 Recognise that some mechanisms including levers, pulleys and gears allow a smaller force to have a greater effect 	 Milestone 3 Magnets Describe magnets as having two poles. Predict whether two magnets will attract or repel each other, depending on which poles are facing. Forces Explain that unsupported objects fall towards the Earth because of the force of gravity acting between the Earth and the falling object. Identify the effect of drag forces, such as air resistance, water resistance and friction that act between moving surfaces. Describe, in terms of drag forces, why moving objects that are not driven tend to slow down. Understand that force and motion can be transferred through 	Friction football boots (Lego) - STEM - design the best stud pattern. Newton, Galileo and Copernicus – negating previously held beliefs to better understand scientific basis for how the world works. Gravity and forces - parachute STEM activity Rockets - forces (up thrust and air resistance). STEM - foil boats (air and water resistance) Techcard - using pulleys, levers and gears to propel models (DT) Assessing the effects of friction on these models.
	pulleys, levers and springs.	



	 Understand that some mechanisms including levers, pulleys and gears, allow a smaller force to have a greater effect. 	
IMPACT:		FUTURE FOCI (to inform action plan or SIP):

SCIENCE - STATES OF MATTER - Year 4 only

I	ntent - What is taught? (Objectives)	Milestones	Implementation –
	Beyond?	(Skill progression)	When, How, Where and Why?
Ye	ear 4 Students will:	Milestone 3	Hula-hoop Venn diagram models (Maths)
•	Compare and group materials together, according to whether they are solids, liquids or gases Observe that some materials change state when they are heated or cooled, and measure or research the temperature at which this happens in degrees Celsius (°C)	 Compare and group together everyday materials based on evidence from comparative and fair tests, including their hardness, solubility, conductivity (electrical and thermal), and response to magnets. Understand how some materials 	Insulation cups of hot and cold water with different materials and measuring with data loggers - temperature. Making our own plastic (irreversible changes for milk and vinegar) Make flapjack - cooking and changing states (DT)
•	Identify the part played by evaporation and condensation in the water cycle and associate the rate of evaporation with temperature.	will dissolve in liquid to form a solution and describe how to recover a substance from a solution.	



	 Use knowledge of solids, liquids and gases to decide how mixtures might be separated, including through filtering, sieving and evaporating 	
IMPACT:		FUTURE FOCI (to inform action plan or SIP):

SCIENCE - SOUND - Year 4 only

	Intent - What is taught? (Objectives) Milestones		Implementation –	
Beyond?			(Skills Progression)	When, How, Where and Why?
Ye	ar 4 Students will:	Μ	ilestone 1	Eureka Visit - Entire sound gallery.
•	Identify how sounds are made, associating some of them with something vibrating	•	Observe and name a variety of sources of sound, noticing that we	Making our own musical instruments
•	Recognise that vibrations from sounds travel through a medium to the ear		hear with our ears.	Tuning fork in water demonstrations
-	Find notherne between the nitch of a sound and	M	<u>ilestone 2</u>	
•	find patterns between the pitch of a sound and features of the object that produced it	Identify ho	Identify how sounds are made,	Ear defenders (STEM) - Noise pollution
•	Find patterns between the volume of a sound		associating some of them with something vibrating.	String telephones to demonstrate how sound travels.
	and the strength of the vibrations that	•	Recognise that vibrations from	Pitch and volume of instruments (Music)
			to the ear.	



• Recognise that sounds get fainter as the		Ear cones (STEM) - links to animal adaptations
distance from the sound source increases	 Milestone 3 Find patterns between the pitch of a sound and features of the object that produced it Find patterns between the volume of a sound and the strength of the vibrations that produced it. Recognise that sounds get fainter as the distance from the sound source increases. 	Sign language input
IMPACT:		FUTURE FOCI (to inform action plan or SIP):

SCIENCE - ELECTRICITY - Years 4 and 6

Intent - What is taught? (Objectives)	Milestones	Implementation –
Beyond?	(Skills Progression)	When, How, Where and Why?
 Year 4 Students will: Identify common appliances that run on electricity 	 Milestone 1 Identify common appliances that run on electricity. Construct a simple series electrical circuit. 	Electrical safety in the home posters. Appliances (Maths and battery powered)



•	Construct a simple series electrical circuit, identifying and naming its basic parts, including cells, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzers 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	<u>Mi</u> •	ilestone 2 Identify common appliances that run on electricity. Construct a simple series electrical circuit, identifying and naming its basic parts, including	 Build own circuits based on diagram. Create own diagram based on circuit. Test of circuit is created (will components work?) Electric 'balls' - testing conductivity of humans, water, fruit/veg, metals and other materials.
•	Recognise that a switch opens and closes a circuit and associate this with whether or not a lamp lights in a simple series circuit	•	cells, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzers. Identify whether or not a lamp will light in a simple series circuit,	
•	Recognise some common conductors and insulators, and associate metals with being good conductors.	•	based on whether or not the lamp is part of a complete loop with a battery. Recognise that a switch opens and closes a circuit and associate this with whether or not a lamp lights in a simple series circuit. Recognise some common conductors and insulators, and associate metals with being good conductors.	
Ye	ear 6 Students will:	Mi	ilestone 3	As above
•	Associate the brightness of a lamp or the volume of a buzzer with the number and voltage of cells used in the circuit	•	Associate the brightness of a lamp or the volume of a buzzer with the number and voltage of cells	Increase the number of cells in a circuit. Explain the difference in how components work.
•	Compare and give reasons for variations in how components function, including the brightness	•	used in the circuit. Compare and give reasons for variations in how components	Understand bulbs, buzzers and motors as a transducers - logged through knowledge organisers.



 of bulbs, the loudness of buzzers and the on/off position of switches Use recognised symbols when representing a simple circuit in a diagram. 	 function, including the brightness of bulbs, the loudness of buzzers and the on/off position of switches. Use recognised symbols when representing a simple circuit in a 	Build our own 'electric buzzer' game with above knowledge, using copper (DT)
	diagram.	
IMPACT:		FUTURE FOCI (to inform action plan or SIP):

SCIENCE - EARTH AND SPACE - Year 5 only

Intent - What is taught? (Objectives) Beyond?	Milestones (Skill progression)	Implementation – When, How, Where and Why?
Year 5 Students will:	Milestone 2	Space dome visit.
 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 movement of the Earth relative to the Sun in the solar system. Describe the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth. 	Make our own orrery. Light - torch and balls explanation of Moon's. Galileo, Copernicus and Neil Armstrong. Moon phases (Art) using chalk drawings to explain findings of
 Describe the Sun, Earth and Moon as approximately spherical bodies 	<u>Milestone 3</u>	above demonstration.



 Use the idea of the Earth's rotation to explain day and night, and the apparent movement of the sun across the sky. 	 Describe the movement of the Earth relative to the Sun in the solar system. Describe the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth. 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 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 and the apparent movement of the sun across the sky. 	
IMPACT:		FUTURE FOCI (to inform action plan or SIP):



SCIENCE - PROPERTIES AND CHANGE OF MATERIALS - Year 5 only

Intent - What is taught? (Objectives)	Milestones	Implementation –
Beyond?	(Skills Progression)	When, How, Where and Why?
 Year 5 Students will: Compare and group together everyday materials on the basis of their properties, including their hardness, solubility, transparency, conductivity (electrical and 	 Milestone 3 Compare and group together everyday materials based on evidence from comparative and fair tests, including their hardness, solubility, conductivity 	Shipwreck in a bottle investigation – children separate materials based on their solubility and conductivity. This includes heating of salt water to separate materials and to retrieve a substance from a solution. Also included: sieving/filtering of sand and other solids from liquids; using
 thermal), and response to magnets Know that some materials will dissolve in liquid to form a solution, and describe how to recover a substance from a solution 	 (electrical and thermal), and response to magnets. Understand how some materials will dissolve in liquid to form a solution and describe how to 	Making own plastic – milk and vinegar investigation, recognising that these materials cannot be recovered after this
 Use knowledge of solids, liquids and gases to decide how mixtures might be separated, including through filtering, sieving and evaporating 	 recover a substance from a solution. Use knowledge of solids, liquids and gases to decide how mixtures might be separated, including 	Mixing of vinegar and bicarbonate of soda – another example of an irreversible change. Demonstration of how gas may be created (observably).
 Give reasons, based on evidence from comparative and fair tests, for the particular uses of everyday materials, including metals, wood and plastic 	 through filtering, sieving and evaporating. Give reasons, based on evidence from comparative and fair tests, for the particular uses of 	Grouping of materials based on their properties (Hula-hoop Venn diagram activity). Forest Schools – impact of burning materials on the
 Demonstrate that dissolving, mixing and changes of state are reversible changes 	everyday materials, including metals, wood and plastic.	environment. Understanding of 3 elements of fire building taught to explain how thermal energy can be produced through



 Explain that some changes result in the formation of new materials, and that this kind of change is not usually reversible, including changes associated with burning and the action of acid on bicarbonate of soda. 	 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 usually reversible, including changes associated with burning, oxidisation and the action of acid on bicarbonate of soda. 	the burning of materials (and which materials are best suited to fire building and cooking on fires)
IMPACT:		FUTURE FOCI (to inform action plan or SIP):

SCIENCE - EVOLUTION - Year 6 only

Intent - What is taught? (Objectives)	Milestone	Implementation –
Beyond?	(Skills Progression)	When, How, Where and Why?
 Year 6 Students will: Recognise that living things have changed over time and that fossils provide information about living things that inhabited the Earth millions of years ago 	 Milestone 3 Identify how humans resemble their parents in many features. Identify how plants and animals, including humans, resemble their parents in many features. 	 BBC Bitesize unit - <u>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvhhvcw</u> (Adaptation, Evolution and Inheritance) used to taught the changes over time in the Animal and Plant Kingdoms. With sensitivity, Family Tree (or mock family tree) activity, where traits from parents are drawn 'into' a child's portrait.



Recognise that living things produce offspring	Recognise that living things have	Local historical study – Castle Hill – used to identify artefacts.
of the same kind, but normally offspring vary	changed over time and that fossi	s including fossils and how this provides information of the local
and are not identical to their parents	provide information about living	area in the nast
	things that inhabited the Earth	
 Identify how animals and plants are adapted to 	millions of years ago.	
suit their environment in different ways and	Identify how animals and plants	
that adaptation may lead to evolution.	are suited to and adapt to their	
	environment in different ways	
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	changed over time and that fossi	S
	provide information about living	
	things that inhabited the Earth	
	millions of years ago.	
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	kind, but normally offspring vary	
	and are not identical to their	
	parents.	
	• Identify how animals and plants	
	are adapted to suit their	
	environment in different ways ar	d
	that adaptation may lead to	
	evolution.	



Overview of Science	Overview of Science skills progression at Brompton and Sawdon Primary school					
 Ambitious milestones designed to stretch learning and understanding 						
Teachers ab	 Teachers able differentiate down to previous milestone, or up to the next, as required 					
Area	Class 1 Skills Milestones	Class 2 Skills Milestones	Class 3 Skills Milestones			
Work scientifically This concept involves learning the methodologies of the discipline of science.	 Ask simple questions. Observe closely, using simple equipment. Perform simple tests. Identify and classify. Use observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions. Gather and record data to help in answering questions. 	 Ask relevant questions. Set up simple, practical enquiries and comparative and fair tests. Make accurate measurements using standard units, using a range of equipment, e.g. thermometers and data loggers. Gather, record, classify and present data in a variety of ways to help in answering questions. Record findings using simple scientific language, drawings, labelled diagrams, bar charts and tables. Report on findings from enquiries, including oral and written explanations, displays or presentations of results and conclusions. Use results to draw simple conclusions and suggest improvements, new questions and predictions for setting up further tests. Identify differences, similarities or changes related to simple, scientific ideas and processes. 	 Plan enquiries, including recognising and controlling variables where necessary. Use appropriate techniques, apparatus, and materials during fieldwork and laboratory work. Take measurements, using a range of scientific equipment, with increasing accuracy and precision. Record data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams and labels, classification keys, tables, bar and line graphs, and models. Report findings from enquiries, including oral and written explanations of results, explanations involving causal relationships, and conclusions. Present findings in written form, displays and other presentations. Use test results to make predictions to set up further comparative and fair tests. Use simple models to describe scientific ideas, identifying scientific evidence that has been used to support or refute ideas or arguments. 			



Understand plants This concept involves becoming familiar with different types of plants, their structure and reproduction.	 Identify and name a variety of common plants, including garden plants, wild plants and trees and those classified as deciduous and evergreen. Identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including roots, stem/trunk, leaves and flowers. 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. 	 Use straightforward, scientific evidence to answer questions or to support their findings. Identify and describe the functions of different parts of flowering plants: roots, stem, leaves and flowers. 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. Investigate the way in which water is transported within plants. Explore the role of flowers in the life cycle of flowering plants, including pollination 	 Relate knowledge of plants to studies of evolution and inheritance. Relate knowledge of plants to studies of all living things.
Understand animals and humans This concept involves becoming familiar with different types of animals, humans and the life processes they share.	 Identify and name a variety of common animals that are birds, fish, amphibians, reptiles, mammals and invertebrates. Identify and name a variety of common animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores. Describe and compare the structure of a variety of common animals (birds, fish, amphibians, reptiles, mammals and invertebrates, including pets). Identify name, draw and label the basic parts of the human 	 Including pointation, seed formation and seed dispersal. Identify that animals, including humans, need the right types and amounts of nutrition, that they cannot make their own food and they get nutrition from what they eat. Construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey. Identify that humans and some animals have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement. 	 Describe the changes as humans develop to old age. Identify and name the main parts of the human circulatory system, and describe the functions of the heart, blood vessels and blood. Recognise the importance of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way the human body functions. Describe the ways in which nutrients and water are transported within animals, including humans.



	 body and say which part of the body is associated with each sense. Notice that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults. Investigate and describe the basic needs of animals, including humans, for survival (water, food and air). Describe the importance for humans of exercise, eating the right amounts of different 	 Describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans. Identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions. 	
Investigate living things This concept involves becoming familiar with a wider range of living things, including insects and understanding life processes.	 types of food and hygiene. Explore and compare the differences between things that are living, that are dead and that have never been alive. Identify that most living things live in habitats to which they are suited and describe how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of animals and plants and how they depend on each other. Identify and name a variety of plants and animals in their habitats, including micro-habitats. Describe how animals obtain their food from plants and other animals, using the idea of a simple food chain, and identify and name different sources of food. 	 Recognise that living things can be grouped in a variety of ways. Explore and use classification keys. Recognise that environments can change and that this can sometimes pose dangers to specific habitats. 	 Describe the differences in the life cycles of a mammal, an amphibian, an insect and a bird. Describe the life process of reproduction in some plants and animals. Describe how living things are classified into broad groups according to common observable characteristics. Give reasons for classifying plants and animals based on specific characteristics.
Understand evolution and	• Identify how humans resemble their parents in many features.	• Identify how plants and animals, including	 Recognise that living things have changed over time and that fossils provide information about living things that inhabited the Earth millions of years ago.



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inheritance This concept involves understanding that organisms come into existence, adapt, change and evolve and become extinct.		 humans, resemble their parents in many features. Recognise that living things have changed over time and that fossils provide information about living things that inhabited the Earth millions of years ago. Identify how animals and plants are suited to and adapt to their environment in different ways. 	 Recognise that living things produce offspring of the same kind, but normally offspring vary and are not identical to their parents. Identify how animals and plants are adapted to suit their environment in different ways and that adaptation may lead to evolution.
Investigate materials This concept involves becoming familiar with a range of materials, their properties, uses and how they may be altered or changed.	 Distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made. Identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water and rock. Describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials. Compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of their simple physical properties. Find out how the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching. Identify and compare the suitability of a variety of everyday materials, including wood, metal, plastic, glass, brick/rock, and paper/cardboard for particular uses. 	 Rocks and Soils Compare and group together different kinds of rocks on the basis of their simple, physical properties. Relate the simple physical properties of some rocks to their formation (igneous or sedimentary). Describe in simple terms how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped within sedimentary rock. Recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter. States of Matter Compare and group materials together, according to whether they are solids, liquids or gases. Observe that some materials change state when they are heated or cooled, and measure the temperature at which this happens in degrees Celsius (°C), 	 Compare and group together everyday materials based on evidence from comparative and fair tests, including their hardness, solubility, conductivity (electrical and thermal), and response to magnets. Understand how some materials will dissolve in liquid to form a solution and describe how to recover a substance from a solution. 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 usually reversible, including changes associated with burning, oxidisation and the action of acid on bicarbonate of soda.



		 building on their teaching in mathematics. Identify the part played by evaporation and condensation in the water cycle and associate the rate of evaporation with 	
Understand movement, forces and magnets This concept involves understanding what causes motion.	 Notice and describe how things move, using simple comparisons such as faster and slower. Compare how different things move. 	 temperature. Compare how things move on different surfaces. 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 together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of whether they are attracted to a magnet, and identify some magnetic materials. Describe magnets as having two poles. Predict whether two magnets will attract or repel each other, depending on which poles are facing. 	 Magnets Describe magnets as having two poles. Predict whether two magnets will attract or repel each other, depending on which poles are facing. Forces Explain that unsupported objects fall towards the Earth because of the force of gravity acting between the Earth and the falling object. Identify the effect of drag forces, such as air resistance, water resistance and friction that act between moving surfaces. Describe, in terms of drag forces, why moving objects that are not driven tend to slow down. Understand that force and motion can be transferred through mechanical devices such as gears, pulleys, levers and springs. Understand that some mechanisms including levers, pulleys and gears, allow a smaller force to have a greater effect.
Understand light and seeing This concept involves understanding how light and	• Observe and name a variety of sources of light, including electric lights, flames and the Sun, explaining that we see things because light travels from them to our eyes.	 Recognise that they need light in order to see things and that dark is the absence of light. Notice that light is reflected from surfaces. Recognise that light from the sun can be dangerous and that there are ways to protect their eyes. 	 Understand that light appears to travel in straight lines. Use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain that objects are seen because they give out or reflect light into the eyes. Use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain why shadows have the same shape as the objects that cast them, and to predict the size of shadows when the position of the light source changes.



reflection affect sight.		 Recognise that shadows are formed when the light from a light source is blocked by a solid object. Find patterns in the way that the size of shadows change. 	• 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.
Investigate sound and hearing This concept involves understanding how sound is produced, how it travels and how it is heard.	• Observe and name a variety of sources of sound, noticing that we hear with our ears.	 Identify how sounds are made, associating some of them with something vibrating. Recognise that vibrations from sounds travel through a medium to the ear. 	 Find patterns between the pitch of a sound and features of the object that produced it. Find patterns between the volume of a sound and the strength of the vibrations that produced it. Recognise that sounds get fainter as the distance from the sound source increases.
Understand electrical circuits This concept involves understanding circuits and their role in electrical applications.	 Identify common appliances that run on electricity. Construct a simple series electrical circuit. 	 Identify common appliances that run on electricity. Construct a simple series electrical circuit, identifying and naming its basic parts, including cells, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzers. 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. Recognise that a switch opens and closes a circuit and associate this with whether or not a lamp lights in a simple series circuit. 	 Associate the brightness of a lamp or the volume of a buzzer with the number and voltage of cells used in the circuit. 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. Use recognised symbols when representing a simple circuit in a diagram.



		• Recognise some common conductors and insulators, and associate metals with being good conductors.	
Understand the Earth's movement in spaceThis concept involves understanding what causes seasonal changes, day and night.	 Observe the apparent movement of the Sun during the day. Observe changes across the four seasons. Observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies. 	 Describe the movement of the Earth relative to the Sun in the solar system. Describe the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth. 	 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 and the apparent movement of the sun across the sky.