| YEAR GROUP: Year 7 Autumn 1 | Physics - Forces | Physics – Forces | Physics – Forces | | |
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| Knowledge | Core: Forces in Action | Core: Friction | Core: Investigating Forces | | |
| Knowledge & Skills | Core – students to demonstrate understanding of - What a force is - The different ways force can change an object - The different ways magnets can interact | Core – students to demonstrate understanding of - How objects are able to slow down - What friction is - What aspects affect friction - How friction affects objects - How friction can be helpful / unhelpful | Core – students to demonstrate understanding of - How forces are measured - Hooke's Law - Forces involved in floating and sinking - The 3 laws of motion | | |
| Vocabulary | Force Speed Pull Shape Push Object Twist Attract Direction Repel | Friction Opposite Surface | Stretch Relax Motion Hooke's Law | | |
| Autumn 2 | Physics – Space | Physics – Space | Physics – Space | | |
| Knowledge | Core: Earth & Sun | Core: Moon | Core: Seasons | | |
| Knowledge & Skills Core – students will demonstrate understanding of The shape of the Earth, Sun and Moon The size of the Earth compared to the Sun and Moon Shadows change during the day Why shadows change Objects make a shadow when there is a light source The movements of the Earth as it goes around the Sun The Earth spins and the axis is only imaginary The Earth spins once every 24 hours | | Core – students will demonstrate understanding of The turning of day to night and vice versa The 4 phases of the moon Craters on the moon and how they are formed (investigation) | Core – students will demonstrate understanding of The different seasons Why we have seasons How people in the stone ages measured time | | |

| Vocabulary | Sphere | Rotate | Moon | Crescent | Seasons | Time |
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| | Orbit | Tilt Axis | Phases | Crater | | |
| Spring 1 | Chemistry – Mate | erials and their Properties | Chemistry – I | Materials and their Properties | | |
| Knowledge | Core: Changing Mater | ials | Core: Water Cycle | | | |
| Knowledge & Skills | Core – students to demonstrate understanding of - Materials that can bend, squash, stretch and twist - What happens when materials are heated or cooled - How some materials change when mixed - The difference between reversible and permanent changes - Properties of solids, liquids and gases - Changes of state that are reversible and permanent | | Core – students to demonstrate understanding of The different stages of the water cycle The water cycle and how it is impacted by our changing environment (climate change) | | | |
| Vocabulary | Materials Heat Cool Melt Freeze Particles Mix | Change Reversible Permanent Solid Liquid Gas | Water Cycle Climate Change Evaporation Condensation Precipitation | | | |

| Spring 2 | Biology – Part of the Body and Senses | Biology – Part of the Body and Senses | Biology – Part of the Body and Senses | |
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| Knowledge | Core: Senses | Core: Parts of the Body | Core: Teeth | |
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| Knowledge & Skills | Core – Students will demonstrate understanding of | Core – Students will demonstrate understanding of | Core – students will demonstrate understanding of | |
| | The different senses | The different parts of the human body | The different shapes and sizes of our teeth | |
| | How our senses keep us safe | - What an organ is | - Teeth do different functions | |

| Vocabulary Summer 1 Knowledge | Senses Survival Biology – Life Processes and Living Things Core: Food Exercise and Staying Healthy | - The different organs in the body - The functions of the heart and some organs in the digestive system Body Heart Organ Digestion Biology – Life Processes and Living Things Core: The Heart and Circulation | - Tooth decay - What causes tooth decay - How to prevent tooth decay Teeth Decay |
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| Knowledge & Skills | Core – students will demonstrate understanding of | Core – students will demonstrate understanding of | |
| | Why water and food are important How to collect data on how much someone eats or drinks What a balanced diet is Why it is important to have a balanced diet The importance of each of the different food groups The main parts of the digestive system The steps in digestion | The importance of the heart and lungs The functions of the heart and lungs The function of blood How blood is carried around the body Veins carry blood toward the heart and arteries carry blood away from the heart How to find and count pulse rate The pulse is caused by a heartbeat The importance of oxygen and carbon dioxide transfer | |
| Vocabulary | Food Vitamins Balanced Diet Minerals Weight Digestion Carbohydrate Digestive System Protein Fats | Heart Veins Lungs Arteries Blood Oxygen Blood Vessels Carbon Dioxide | |
| Summer 2 | Biology – Life Processes and Living Things | Biology – Life Processes and Living Things | Biology – Life Processes and Living Things |
| Knowledge | Core: Variation and Food Chains | Core: Adaptations | Core: Living Things in their Environment |
| Knowledge & Skills | Core – students demonstrate understanding of - What variations means - To learn how to identify living things based on what they look and feel like | Core – students demonstrate understanding of - What an adaptation is - How adaptations help animals and plants survive | Core – students demonstrate understanding of - Different physical features of a habitat - Different living things live in different habitats |

| | What a food chain is The different parts of a food chain The difference between a food chain and food web How to make a food chain | | Identifying certain adaptations in different living things | | ats are destroyed t on living things when habitats yed |
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| Vocabulary | Variation Food Chain Food Web | Predator Prey | Adaptation Survive | Environment | Habitat |