

Science topic overview 2023-2024

Class	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term		
Reception	Understanding the World (Seasons (Autumn), Humans, the five senses)		Understanding the World (Seasons (Spring), life cycle of chickens, Marie Curie, Isaac Newton)		Understanding the World (Seasons (Summer), space, life cycle of plants)		
Year 1	Seasonal Change – Autumn		Seasonal Change – Spring		Seasonal Change – Summer		
	Everyday Materials		Animals, including humans		Plants		
Year 2	Uses of everyday materials		Living things and their habitats		Plants		
Year 3	Rocks	Forces and Magnets	Animals, including humans		Plants	Light	
Year 4	States of Matter	Sound	Animals, including humans	Electricity	Living things and their habitats		
Year 5	Properties of materials		Forces	Forces	Earth in Space	Living things and their habitats	Animals, including humans
Year 6	Light	Electricity	Animals, including humans	Evolution and inheritance	Living things and their habitats		