

St. Mary's Catholic Primary School Long-Term Map – Science – 2020-2021

	AUTUMN		SPRING		SUMMER			
	Understanding the World		Understanding the World		Understanding the World			
Reception	Topic — Do you want to be Friends? in Sound exploring with instruments	Topic - Why do squirrels hide their nuts? What do animals eat? What happens to food when t's been left out for a long time? Hibernation/ Seasons Autumn Exploring the difference thetween our pets and other animals	Topic - Will you read me a story Exploring materials What would you make your house from? Planting Beanstalks	Topic - Why Are Carrots Orange? Healthy eating The benefits of exercise Origins of different food	Topic - Why do ladybirds have spots? -Observing snails -Wiggly worms! -Magnification -Minibeast café -Exploring favourite foods of insects -Same or different? Sorting and grouping	Topic - What can you see in the Summer? What's the weather? /Seasons Staying safe in the sun Grow your own lawn Water Hedgerow investigators		
	Science KS1							
Year 1	Animals including Humans		Seasonal Changes	Everyday Materials	Plants			
Science Investigations (Cornerstones Projects)	What is camouflage for? -Adaptation What can worms sense? -Senses Can you leap like a frog? -Adaptation / classification	What can our hands do? -Senses Can you be a superhero? -Materials and magnets	How does it move? Forces / pushes How do you make bread? Solids, liquids , Gases(Changes)	What keeps us dry? Materials (waterproof) How does it feel? Materials (Properties of)	Are all leaves the same? Leaf Investigation How do leaves change? Seasonal Change / decompose Do pine cones know that it is raining? Seasonal Change (Weather)	Whose poo? Classification of animals Why do we have teeth? Adaptation		
Year 2	Living things and habitats		Materials	<mark>Forces</mark> (Super Scientists)	Plants	Animals including Humans		
Science Investigations (Cornerstones Projects)	How do plants grow in winter? -Parts of a plant.(Bulbs store food)	Can water make music? -Senses - Sound - pitch	Will it degrade? -Materials - pollution- environment	Why do boats float? Floating and sinking – buoyancy – materials	How does grass grow? -Best conditions for growing (water and light) Can seeds grow anywhere? -Conditions for growing (soil) What's on your wellies? -Seed dispersal	Can you make a paper bridge? -materials Where do worms like to live? -Habitats		



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Science KS2										
Year 3	Materials Rocks, Fossils and Soils	Animals including humans nutrition- Food Groups	Forces and Magnets Working Scientifically	Animals including humans- muscles and skeletons	Light and Shadow	How Plants Grow				
Science Investigations (Cornerstones Projects)	Are all mushrooms deadly? What do owls eat?	What is sand? What is soil? How do fossils form?	Can you block magnetism? Why do magnets attract and repel? What does friction do?	What are our joints for? How do worms move?	Why do cat's eyes glow in the dark? Why do shadows change?	Do plants have legs? What are flowers for?				
Year 4	States of Matter		Living things and their habitats	Electricity	Animals, including humans	Sound				
Science Investigations (Cornerstones Projects)		Did the Romans use toilet roll? -Materials (absorbency)	How does pollution affect habitats? -Water Pollution/Plants	How did Vikings dye their clothes? -natural materials - plants	How does toothpaste protect teeth? Materials What is spit for? Chemical reactions in the body	How far can an arrow travel? -Forces (gravity, pulls) What are catapults for? -Forces				
Year 5	Earth and Space	Forces	Living things and their habitats		Properties and changes of materials	Animals, including humans				
Science Investigations (Cornerstones Projects)	How does the Moon move? -Earth and Space	How do pulleys work? -Forces	Topic: Sow Grow and Farm Food chains and webs; Life cycles;	How Many Potatoes Can You Grow? Plant reproduction; Growing plants; Modern farming	(Why does milk go off?)					
Year 6	Animal including humans	Light	Evolution and inheritance		Electricity	Living things and their habitats				
Science Investigations (Cornerstones Projects)	How does blood flow? What can your heart rate tell you? What is in the blood?	How does light travel? Can you see through it? Can you turn a light down?	Why do birds have different beaks? How have eyes evolved? How many worms are underground? Why is holly prickly? Where do wild plants grow?		Can a fruit light a bulb?	How does inheritance work? Why are things classified?				