

## Key Stage 2 YEAR 5 SCIENCE

National Curriculum KS2 Programme of Study	Chris Quigley Essential Skills Milestone 3	
<p><b><u>Working Scientifically</u></b> During years 5 and 6, pupils should be taught to use the following practical scientific methods, processes and skills through the teaching of the programme of study content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• planning different types of scientific enquiries to answer questions, including recognising and controlling variables where necessary</li> <li>• taking measurements, using a range of scientific equipment, with increasing accuracy and precision, taking repeat readings when appropriate</li> <li>• recording data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams and labels, classification keys, tables, scatter graphs, bar and line graphs</li> <li>• using test results to make predictions to set up further comparative and fair tests</li> <li>• reporting and presenting findings from enquiries, including conclusions, causal relationships and explanations of and degree of trust in results, in oral and written forms such as displays and other presentations</li> <li>• identifying scientific evidence that has been used to support or refute ideas or arguments.</li> </ul>	<p><b>1. To work scientifically</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Plan enquiries, including recognising and controlling variables where necessary.</li> <li>• Use appropriate techniques, apparatus, and materials during fieldwork and laboratory work.</li> <li>• Take measurements, using a range of scientific equipment, with increasing accuracy and precision.</li> <li>• Record data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams and labels, classification keys, tables, bar and line graphs, and models.</li> <li>• Report findings from enquiries, including oral and written explanations of results, explanations involving causal relationships, and conclusions.</li> <li>• Present findings in written form, displays and other presentations.</li> <li>• Use test results to make predictions to set up further comparative and fair tests.</li> <li>• Use simple models to describe scientific ideas, identifying scientific evidence that has been used to support or refute ideas or arguments.</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>All living things and their habitats</u></b> Pupils should be taught to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• describe the differences in the life cycles of a mammal, an amphibian, an insect and a bird</li> <li>• describe the life process of reproduction in some plants and animals.</li> </ul>	<p>To investigate living things</p>	<p>Describe the life cycles common to a variety of animals, including humans (birth, growth, development, reproduction, death), and to a variety of plants (growth, reproduction and death). Describe the life process of reproduction in some plants and animals.</p>

<p><b><u>Animals, including humans</u></b> Pupils should be taught to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>describe the changes as humans develop to old age.</li> </ul>		<p>Describe the changes as humans develop from birth to old age.(Puberty- Year 5 growing up talk)</p> <p>Describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans.</p>
<p><b><u>Properties and changes of materials</u></b> Pupils should be taught to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>compare and group together everyday materials on the basis of their properties, including their hardness, solubility, transparency, conductivity (electrical and thermal), and response to magnets</li> <li>know that some materials will dissolve in liquid to form a solution, and describe how to recover a substance from a solution</li> <li>use knowledge of solids, liquids and gases to decide how mixtures might be separated, including through filtering, sieving and evaporating</li> <li>give reasons, based on evidence from comparative and fair tests, for the uses of everyday materials, including metals, wood and plastic</li> <li>demonstrate that dissolving, mixing and changes of state are reversible changes</li> <li>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.</li> </ul>	<p>To investigate materials</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>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.</li> <li>Understand how some materials will dissolve in liquid to form a solution and describe how to recover a substance from a solution.</li> <li>Use knowledge of solids, liquids and gases to decide how mixtures might be separated, including through filtering, sieving and evaporating.</li> <li>Give reasons, based on evidence from comparative and fair tests, for the particular uses of everyday materials, including metals, wood and plastic.</li> <li>Demonstrate that dissolving, mixing and changes of state are reversible changes.</li> </ul>

<p><b><u>Earth and space</u></b> Pupils should be taught to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• describe the movement of the Earth, and other planets, relative to the Sun in the solar system</li> <li>• describe the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth</li> <li>• describe the Sun, Earth and Moon as approximately spherical bodies</li> <li>• use the idea of the Earth's rotation to explain day and night and the apparent movement of the sun across the sky.</li> </ul>	<p>To understand the Earth's movement in space</p>	<p>Describe the movement of the Earth relative to the Sun in the solar system.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Describe the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth. (From Milestone 2)</li> </ul> <p>Describe the Sun, Earth and Moon as approximately spherical bodies.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use the idea of the Earth's rotation to explain day and night.</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>Forces</u></b> Pupils should be taught to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• explain that unsupported objects fall towards the Earth because of the force of gravity acting between the Earth and the falling object</li> <li>• identify the effects of air resistance, water resistance and friction, that act between moving surfaces</li> <li>• recognise that some mechanisms, including levers, pulleys and gears, allow a smaller force to have a greater effect.</li> </ul>	<p>To understand movement, forces and magnets</p>	<p>Describe magnets as having two poles.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Predict whether two magnets will attract or repel each other, depending on which poles are facing.</li> <li>• Explain that unsupported objects fall towards the Earth because of the force of gravity acting between the Earth and the falling object.</li> <li>• Identify the effect of drag forces, such as air resistance, water resistance and friction that act between moving surfaces.</li> <li>• Understand that force and motion can be transferred through mechanical devices such as gears, pulleys, levers and springs.</li> </ul>