



Year 5 Science Subject Map



Properties and changes in materials	Forces	Earth and Space	Living Things and Their Habitats	Animals Including Humans
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<u>DRIVER WORDS</u>						
EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Observe, Ask questions, Name,	Sort, Record, Label, Describe, Compare	Identify, Explore, Observe, Understand, Find out, Recognise	Enquire, Gather, Classify, Present, Draw conclusions, Identify differences and similarities, Find and use evidence, Investigate , Predict	Measure, Use scientific language, Find patterns, Construct, Interpret, Research, Associate	Plan, Report, Use our knowledge, Give reasons, Demonstrate, Explain	Use evidence, Conclude

WORKING SCIENTIFICALLY AGE RELATED EXPECTATIONS

1. **Plan** different types of scientific enquiries to answer questions, including **recognising** and controlling variables where necessary.
2. **Take measurements**, using a range of scientific equipment with increasing accuracy, taking repeat readings where necessary.
3. **Record** data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams and labels, classification keys, tables, scatter graphs, bar and line graphs.
4. Use test results to **make predictions** to set up further **comparative** and fair tests.
5. **Report** and **present findings** from enquiries in oral and written forms, such as displays or presentations. This includes drawing conclusions and **explaining** how things happen and how results can be trusted.
6. **Identify scientific evidence** that has been used to support or refute ideas of arguments.

SCIENTIFIC VOCABULARY

anomalous, answer, biologist, biology, change, characteristics, chart, chemist, chemistry, classify, compare, conclusion, contrast, criteria, data, **dependent/independent**, diagram, discuss, effect, evaluate, evidence, experiment, fair test, forces, growth, **hypothesis**, identify, investigate, materials, measure, move, observe, physicist, physics, predict, pull, push, question, record, research, **results**, scientist, seasons, sort, surface, **systematic**, table, test, temperature, **theorise**, theory, time, **variables**, working scientifically

UNIT RELATED EXPECTATIONS

LIVING THINGS AND THEIR HABITATS

7. **Describe the differences** in the life cycles of a mammal, an amphibian, an insect and a bird.
8. **Describe** the life process of reproduction in some plants and animals.

ANIMALS INCLUDING HUMANS

9. **Describe** the changes as humans develop to old age.

PROPERTIES AND CHANGES IN MATERIALS

10. **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.
11. **Understand** that some materials will dissolve in liquid to form a solution, and **describe** how to recover a substance from a solution.
12. **Use knowledge** of solids, liquids and gases to decide how mixtures might be separated, including through filtering, sieving and evaporating.
13. **Give reasons, based on evidence** from comparative and fair tests, for the particular uses of everyday materials, including metals, wood and plastic.
14. **Demonstrate** that dissolving, mixing and changes of state are reversible changes.
15. **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

EARTH AND SPACE

16. **Describe** the movement of the Earth, and other planets, relative to the Sun in the solar system.
17. **Describe** the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth.
18. **Describe** the Sun, Earth and Moon as approximately spherical bodies.

FORCES

20. **Explain** that unsupported objects fall towards the Earth because of the force of gravity acting between the Earth and the falling object.
21. **Identify** the effects of air resistance, water resistance and friction that act between moving surfaces.
22. **Recognise** that some mechanisms, including levers, pulleys and gears, allow a smaller force to have a greater effect.