Science Knowledge Progression Grid:

<u>Topic</u>	<u>KS1</u>	LKS2	<u>UKS2</u>
	 identify and name a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals 		
	 identify and name a variety of common animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores 	 construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey 	
Animals Including humans	 (Y2 – Living things and their habitats: describe how animals obtain their food from plants and other animals, using the idea of a simple food chain, and identify and name different sources of food) 		
(Incl. Y6 Evolution and Inheritance)	 describe and compare the structure of a variety of common animals (fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals including pets) identify, name, draw and label the basic parts of the human body and say which part of the body is associated with each sense 	 identify that humans and some other animals have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions 	 Y6: identify and name the main parts of the human circulatory system, and describe the functions of the heart, blood vessels and blood describe the ways in which nutrients and water are transported within animals, including humans

 notice that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults 		 Y5: describe the changes as humans develop to old age Y6 (Evolution and inheritance) recognise that living things produce offspring of the same kind, but normally offspring vary and are not identical to their parents (Y5 Living things and their habitats: describe the differences in the life cycles of a mammal, an amphibian, an insect and a bird)
 find out about and describe the basic needs of animals, including humans, for survival (water, food and air) describe the importance for humans of exercise, eating the right amounts of different types of food, and hygiene 	• identify that animals, including humans, need the right types and amount of nutrition, and that they cannot make their own food; they get nutrition from what they eat	 recognise the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way their bodies function <u>(</u>describe the ways in which nutrients and water are transported within animals, including humans)
	(Y3 Rocks: • describe in simple terms how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped within rock)	Y6 (Evolution and inheritance) • recognise that living things have changed over time and that fossils provide information about living things that inhabited the Earth millions of years ago • identify how animals and plants are adapted to suit their environment in different ways and that adaptation may lead to evolution

		 Y1: identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants, including deciduous and evergreen trees 		
		<u>Y1:</u> <u>•</u> identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including trees	 Y3: identify and describe the functions of different parts of flowering plants: roots, stem/trunk, leaves and flowers investigate the way in which water is transported within plants 	
<u>Plants</u>		 Y2: observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants 	explore the part that flowers play in the life cycle of flowering plants, including pollination, seed formation and seed dispersal	 (Y5 – living things and their habitats describe the life process of reproduction in some plants and animals)
		<u>Y2:</u> <u>•</u> find out and describe how plants need water, light and a suitable temperature to grow and stay healthy	explore the requirements of plants for life and growth (air, light, water, nutrients from soil, and room to grow) and how they vary from plant to plant	

	 identify that most living things live in habitats to which they are suited and describe how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of animals and plants, and how they depend on each other identify and name a variety of plants and animals in their habitats, including microhabitats describe how animals obtain their food from plants and other animals, using the idea of a simple food chain, and identify and name different sources of food 	Y4 • recognise that environments can change and that this can sometimes pose dangers to living things (Y4: Animals including humans: • construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey)	
Living things and their habitats		recognise that living things can_be grouped in a variety of ways explore and use classification keys to help group, identify and name a variety of living things in their local and wider environment	describe how living things are classified into broad groups according to common observable characteristics and based on similarities and differences, including micro-organisms, plants and animals give reasons for classifying plants and animals based on specific characteristics
	 (Y2 – Animals including Humans: notice that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults) Y2: explore and compare the differences between things that are living, dead, and things that have never been alive 		 describe the differences in the life cycles of a mammal, an amphibian, an insect and a bird describe the life process of reproduction in some plants and animals

Materials: - Everyday materials	 Y1 (everyday materials): distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water, and rock Y2 Uses of everyday materials: identify and compare the suitability of a variety of everyday materials, including wood, metal, plastic, glass, brick, rock, paper and cardboard for particular uses 		Y5 Properties and changes of materials: • give reasons, based on evidence from comparative and fair tests, for the particular uses of everyday materials, including metals, wood and plastic
(Y1), - Uses of everyday materials (Y2), - Rocks (y3), - States of	 Y1 everyday materials: describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of their simple physical properties 	 Y3 Rocks compare and group together different kinds of rocks on the basis of their appearance and simple physical properties Y4 States of matter: compare and group materials together, according to whether they are solids, liquids or gases 	Y5 Properties and changes of materials: • 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
matter (y4), - Properties & changes of materials (Y5)		 Y4 (states of matter) identify the part played by evaporation and condensation in the water cycle and associate the rate of evaporation with temperature 	

Y2 (uses of everyday materials: • find out how the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching	Y4 (states of matter): • observe that some materials change state when they are heated or cooled, and measure or research the temperature at which this happens in degrees Celsius (°C)	Y5 Properties and changes of materials: • 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 • demonstrate that dissolving, mixing and changes of state are reversible changes • know that some materials will dissolve in liquid to form a solution, and describe how to recover a substance from a solution • use knowledge of solids, liquids and gases to decide how mixtures might be separated, including through filtering, sieving and evaporating
	Y3 (rocks): • describe in simple terms how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped within rock • recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter	(Y6 Evolution and inheritance: • recognise that living things have changed over time and that fossils provide information about living things that inhabited the Earth millions of years ago)

Forces and magnets (y3)
Forces (y 5)

Y3 (forces and magnets):

- compare how things move on different surfaces
- notice that some forces need contact between 2 objects, but magnetic forces can act at a distance
- observe how magnets attract or repel each other and attract some materials and not others
- compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of whether they are attracted to a magnet, and identify some magnetic materials
- describe magnets as having 2 poles
- predict whether 2 magnets will attract or repel each other, depending on which poles are facing

Y5 (forces)

- explain that unsupported objects fall towards the Earth because of the force of gravity acting between the Earth and the falling object
- identify the effects of air resistance, water resistance and friction, that act between moving surfaces
- recognise that some mechanisms including levers, pulleys and gears allow a smaller force to have a greater effect

	Y4 •	identify common appliances that run on electricity		
	Y4: •	construct a simple series electrical circuit, identifying and naming its basic parts, including cells, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzers	<u>Y6</u> •	associate the brightness of a lamp or the volume of a buzzer with the number and voltage of cells used in the circuit
Electricity (y4 and 6)	•	identify whether or not a lamp will light in a simple series circuit, based on whether or not the lamp is part of a complete loop with a battery recognise that a switch opens and closes a circuit and associate this with whether or not a lamp lights in a simple series circuit recognise some common conductors and insulators, and associate metals with being good conductors	•	compare and give reasons for variations in how components function, including the brightness of bulbs, the loudness of buzzers and the on/off position of switches use recognised symbols when representing a simple circuit in a diagram

	 Y3 (light): recognise that they need light in order to see things and that dark is the absence of light notice that light is reflected from surfaces recognise that light from the sun can be dangerous and that there are ways to protect their eyes 	 Y6 (light): recognise that light appears to travel in straight lines use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain that objects are seen because they give out or reflect light into the eye explain that we see things because light travels from light sources to our eyes or from light sources to objects and then to our eyes
Light (y3 and y6)	 recognise that shadows are formed when the light from a light source is blocked by an opaque object find patterns in the way that the size of shadows change 	use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain why shadows have the same shape as the objects that cast them

Sound (y4)		 Y4 (sound): identify how sounds are made, associating some of them with something vibrating recognise that vibrations from sounds travel through a medium to the ear find patterns between the pitch of a sound and features of the object that produced it find patterns between the volume of a sound and the strength of the vibrations that produced it recognise that sounds get fainter as the distance from the sound source increases 	
Seasonal changes (Y1) Earth and space (y5)	 v1: observe changes across the 4 seasons observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies 		 describe the movement of the Earth and other planets relative to the sun in the solar system describe the movement of the moon relative to the Earth describe the sun, Earth and moon as approximately spherical bodies use the idea of the Earth's rotation to explain day and night and the apparent movement of the sun across the sky

Working Scientifically Skills Progression Grid:

	<u>KS1</u>	LKS2	<u>UKS2</u>
•	asking simple questions and recognising that they can be answered in different ways	asking relevant questions and using different types of scientific enquiries to answer them	planning different types of scientific enquiries to answer questions, including recognising and controlling variables where necessary
•	performing simple tests	setting up simple practical enquiries, comparative and fair tests	using test results to make predictions to set up further comparative and fair tests
•	observing closely, using simple equipment	making systematic and careful observations and, where appropriate, taking accurate measurements using standard units, using a range of equipment, including thermometers and data loggers	taking measurements, using a range of scientific equipment, with increasing accuracy and precision, taking repeat readings when appropriate
•	using their observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions gathering and recording data to help in answering questions	 gathering, recording, classifying and presenting data in a variety of ways to help in answering questions recording findings using simple scientific language, drawings, labelled diagrams, keys, bar charts, and tables 	recording data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams and labels, classification keys, tables, scatter graphs, bar and line graphs
		 reporting on findings from enquiries, including oral and written explanations, displays or presentations of results and conclusions using results to draw simple conclusions, make predictions for new values, suggest improvements and raise further questions 	reporting and presenting findings from enquiries, including conclusions, causal relationships and explanations of and a degree of trust in results, in oral and written forms such as displays and other presentations
•	identifying and classifying	identifying differences, similarities or changes related to simple scientific ideas and processes	identifying scientific evidence that has been used to support or refute ideas or arguments

	 using straightforward scientific evidence to answer questions or to support their findings. 	
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EYFS-KS1 science knowledge progression grid:

EYFS Focus (Nursery)	EYFS (Reception)	KS1 Focus
Learns that they have similarities and differences that connect them to, and distinguish them from, others (22-36mths, UtW People and Communities)	 Can talk about some of the similarities and differences in relation to friends or family (30-50mths, UtW People and Communities) 	Identify, name, draw and label the basic parts of the human body and say which part of the body is associated with each sense (Y1 Animals including humans)
Knows some of the things that make them unique (30-50 mths, UtW People and Communities)	 Know about similarities and differences between themselves and others, and among families, communities and traditions (ELG, UtW People and Communities) 	 Notice that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults Find out about and describe the basic needs of animals, including humans, for survival (water, food and air) (Y2 Animals including humans)
 Notices detailed features of objects in their environment (22-36 mths, UtW The World) Comments and asks questions about aspects of their familiar world such as the place where they live or the natural world (30-50mths, UtW The World) Show care and concern for living things and the environment (30-50mths, UtW The World) 	 Can talk about some of the things they have observed, such as plants, animals, natural and found objects (30-50mths, UtW The World) Developing an understanding of growth, decay and changes over time (30-50mths, UtW The World) Talk about the features of their own environment and how environments might vary from one another (ELG, UtW The World) 	 Identify and name a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals (Y1 Animals including humans) identify and name a variety of common animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores (Y1 Animals including humans) Identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants, including deciduous and evergreen trees (Y1 Plants)
	 Make observations of animals and plants and explain why some things occur and talk about changes (ELG UtW The World) 	 Explore and compare the differences between things that are living, dead, and things that have never been alive (Y2 Living Things and their Habitats)

Talk about why things happen and how things work (30-50mths, UtW The World) Talk about why things happen and how things work (30-50mths, UtW The World)	 Know similarities and differences in relation to places, objects, materials and living things (30-50mths, UtW The World) Look closely at similarities, differences, patterns and change (40-60mths UtW The World) 	 observe changes across the four seasons observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies (Y1 Seasonal Changes) Identify and compare the suitability of a variety of everyday materials, including wood, metal, plastic, glass, brick, rock, paper and cardboard for particular uses (Y2 Use of Everyday Materials)
Observes the effect of exercise on their bodies (30-50mths, PD (Health and Self-care)	 Eats a range of healthy foodstuffs and understands the need for variety in food (40-60 mths, PD (Health and Self-Care) Know the importance for good health of physical exercise and a healthy diet and talk about ways to keep healthy and safe (ELG PD (Health and Self-care) 	Describe the importance for humans of exercise, eating the right amounts of different types of food, and hygiene (Y2 Animals including Humans)