

Scientific Strand	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Animals including Humans	Ourselves – <i>What are the different parts of our body?</i>	Animals including Humans – <i>How are humans and other animals similar and different?</i>	Healthy Animals – <i>What do animals need to survive and stay healthy?</i>	Keeping Healthy – <i>What does our body need to stay healthy?</i>	Digestion – <i>How does the body break down food?</i>	Life Explorers – <i>How do humans change as they grow older?</i>	The Art of Being Human – <i>How does the circulatory system keep us alive?</i>
Plants	Growing – <i>How do plants grow and change?</i>	Plants – <i>What do plants need to grow and stay healthy?</i>	Ready, Steady, Grow – <i>How do seeds grow into plants?</i>	Roots and Shoots – <i>What does a plant need to grow well?</i>	—	Life Cycles – <i>How do plants reproduce?</i>	—
Living Things & Habitats	Animals – <i>Where do animals live?</i>	—	Habitats – <i>What makes a habitat suitable for living things?</i>	—	Living Things – <i>How can we group living things?</i>	Life Cycles – <i>Are the life cycles of plants and animals the same?</i>	Classification – <i>Why do scientists classify living things?</i>
Evolution & Inheritance	—	—	—	—	—	—	Evolution – <i>How have living things changed over time?</i>

Materials / Chemistry	Materials – <i>What are things made from?</i>	Materials – <i>Which materials are best for different purposes?</i>	Uses of Materials – <i>How can materials be changed?</i>	Rocks – <i>What is the Earth's surface made from?</i>	States of Matter – <i>How do materials change state?</i>	Properties of Materials – <i>Why do different materials behave differently?</i>	—
Forces	—	—	—	Forces & Magnets – <i>How do magnets move objects without touching them?</i>	—	Forces – <i>How do forces affect movement?</i>	—
Light	—	—	—	Light & Shadows – <i>How does light help us see?</i>	—	—	Light – <i>How does light travel?</i>
Sound	—	—	—	—	Sound – <i>How do sounds travel to our ears?</i>	—	—

Electricity	—	—	—	—	Electricity – <i>How does electricity travel around a circuit?</i>	—	Electricity – <i>How can electricity be controlled in circuits?</i>
Earth & Space	Weather – <i>What is the weather like?</i>	Seasonal Changes – <i>How does the weather change throughout the year?</i>	—	—	—	Earth & Space – <i>Why is the Sun essential to the solar system?</i>	—