Year 3/4 Mixed Class



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	Term 1		Term 2		Term 3	
Cycle A	Unit 1 Interdependence of organisms 1. the names, positions, functions and relative sizes of a human's main organs Exploration Pattern-seeking Classification	Unit 2 How things work 1. the uses of electricity and its control in simple circuits Exploration Classification Making things	Unit 3 Sustainable Earth 3. a comparison of the features of some natural and man-made materials 4. the properties of materials related to their uses Exploration Classification Fair testing	Unit 4 Sustainable Earth 6. a consideration of what waste is and what happens to waste that can be recycled and that which cannot be recycled Interdependence of organisms 7. how humans affect the local environment litter pollution Exploration Fair testing Pattern-seeking	Unit 5 Interdependence of organisms 4. through fieldwork study the plants and animals found in two contrasting local environments 5. the interdependence of living organisms in the environments and their representation as food chains Exploration Classification	Unit 6 How things work 2. forces of different kinds 3. the ways in which forces can affect movement and how forces can be compared Exploration Classification Making things
Cycle B	HUMAN BODY (TEETH AND SKELETON) Unit 7 Interdependence of organisms 2. the need for a variety of foods and exercise for human good health Exploration Classification Pattern-seeking Making things	ELECTRICITY (CIRCUITS AND SYMBOLS) Unit 8 How things work 3. the ways in which forces can affect movement and how forces can be compared Exploration Fair testing Making things	MATERIALS (ROCKS & SOILS) Unit 9 How things work 5. how light travels and how this can be used Exploration Fair test Making things	PROPERTIES OF MATERIALS & RECYCLING Unit 10 Sustainable Earth 2. the relative positions and key features of the Sun and planets in the solar system Exploration Making things	HABITATS AND FOOD CHAINS Unit 11 Interdependence of organisms 4. through fieldwork study the plants and animals found in two contrasting local environments 6. the environmental factors that affect what grows and lives in the environment, e.g. sunlight, water availability, temperature. Exploration Classification Fair testing	Unit 12 Sustainable Earth 4. the properties of materials related to their uses Exploration Fair testing Making things
	HEALTHY FOODS	FORCE (FRICTION)	LIGHT AND SHADOWS	EARTH & SPACE (PLANETS AND DAY- NIGHT)	PLANTS (GERMINATION & GROWTH)	MATERIALS (THERMAL INSULATION)

Year 5/6 Mixed Class



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	Term 1		Term 2		Term 3				
Cycle A	Unit 1 Interdependence of organisms 2. the need for a variety of foods and exercise for human good health 3. the effect on the human body of some drugs, e.g. alcohol, solvents, tobacco Exploration Classification Making things	Unit 2 How things work 1. the uses of electricity and its control in simple circuits Exploration Fair testing Making things	Unit 3 Sustainable Earth 3. a comparison of the features of some natural and man-made materials 4. the properties of materials related to their uses 5. how some materials are formed or produced Exploration Classification Fair testing Making things	Unit 4 Sustainable Earth 6. a consideration of what waste is and what happens to waste that can be recycled and that which cannot be recycled Exploration Pattern-seeking Fair testing Making things	Unit 5 Interdependence of organisms 4. through fieldwork study the plants and animals found in two contrasting local environments 5. the interdependence of living organisms in the environments and their representation as food chains 6. the environmental factors that affect what grows and lives in the environment	Unit 6 How things work 2. forces of different kinds 3. the ways in which forces can affect movement and how forces can be compared Fair testing Making things			
Cycle B	HEALTHY LIVING (DRUGS AND SMOKING) Unit 7 Interdependence of organisms 1. the names, positions, functions and relative sizes of a human's main organs 2. the need for a variety of foods and exercise for human good health Exploration Making things Using & applying models	ELECTRICITY (CHANGING CIRCUITS - & MAKING THINGS) Unit 8 How things work 2. forces of different kinds - gravity and air resistance 3. the ways in which forces can affect movement and how forces can be compared Fair testing Making things	MATERIALS - CHANGES (REVERSIBLE & IRREVERSIBLE & CHANGING STATE) Unit 9 How things work 5. how light travels and how this can be used Fair testing Making things	RECYCLING (DISSOLVING & SEPARATING) Unit 10 Sustainable Earth 1. the daily and annual movements of the Earth and their effect on day and year length 2. the relative positions and key features of the Sun and planets in the solar system Exploration Using & applying models	Exploration Classification LIFE CYCLES & CLASSIFICATION Unit 11 Interdependence of organisms 4. through fieldwork study the plants and animals found in two contrasting local environments 6. the environmental factors that affect what grows and lives in the environment	FORCES (SURFACE FRICTION & FORCEMETERS) Unit 12 How things work 4. how different sounds are produced and the way that sound travels Sustainable Earth 3. a comparison of the features of some natural and man-made materials Exploration Fait testing			
	HEART & PULSE	FORCES (GRAVITY AND AIR RESISTANCE)	LIGHT (REFLECTION, HOW WE SEE & MEASURING LIGHT)	EARTH & SPACE (EARTH'S ORBIT AND MOON'S PHASES)	7. how humans affect the local environment Exploration Classification COMPARING HABITATS	SOUND (INSULATING MATERIALS)			