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Autumn 1 Animals including humans	Autumn 2 Animals including humans	Spring 1 Uses of everyday materials	Spring 2 Uses of everyday materials	Summer 1 Living things and their habitats	Summer 2 Plants				
Key Content and skills: Knowledge									
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.	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 and compare the suitability of a variety of everyday materials, including wood, metal, plastic, glass, brick, rock, paper and cardboard for particular uses.	Find out how the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching.	Explore and compare the differences between things that are living, dead, and things that have never been alive. 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 micro-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	Observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants. Find out and describe how plants need water, light and a suitable temperature to grow and stay healthy.				

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		Key Content and skills:	Working Scientifically		
 Observe closely, using s Perform simple tests. Identify and classify. Gather and recording data 			ays.		
Vocabulary:		Vocabulary:		Vocabulary:	Vocabulary:
Life cycle		Materials		Living things	Plants
Offspring		Waterproof		Habitat	bulbs
Toddler		Squashing		Micro habitat	mature
Teenager		Twisting		Living	light
Growth		Bending		Dead	Seeds
Extinct		Stretching		Source	healthy
Healthy		Similarities		Food Chain	temperature
Organs		Differences		Producer	germinate
Elderly		Solid		Predator	growth
Height		Properties		environment	reproduce
Young		Metal		protected	roots
Reproduce		Plastic		endangered	petal
Survival		Glass			stem
Balanced		Cardboard			pollen
Skeleton		Paper			leaves
Hygiene		Rock			
Assessment focus: Identify growth in humans and using their observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions.	Assessment focus: Using their observations and ideas to suggest answers to question when describing the	Assessment focus: Identify and describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials when investigating what	Assessment focus: To identify and experiment with which material would be best to make a boat. Perform simple tests.	Assessment focus: Identify that most living things live in habitats to which they are suited. Gather and recording data to help in	Assessment focus: Can children investigate how plants needs water, light and a suitable temperature to grow and stay healthy.
Ask simple questions and	importance for		Identify and classify.	answering questions.	

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