	Key Stage 3 Science National Curriculum KS3 ASDAN Science short Course								
7	Торіс	Introduction to Secondary Science <u>ZF Acids and Alkalis</u> <u>ZA Cells, tissues,</u> organs and systems	ZI Energy ZB Sexual reproduction in animals	ZJ Current electricity <u>7E Mixtures and</u> separation	<u>7G The particle mode</u> <u>7C Muscles and</u> <u>bones</u>	7K Forces 7D Ecosystems	7H Atoms. elements and compounds 7L Sound		
	Pupils will be taught (Core knowledge and concepts to be learned) NC Link	Cells and organisation: • cells as the fundamental unit of living organisms, including how to observe, interpret and record cell structure using a light microscope • the functions of the cell wall, cell membrane, cytoplasm, nucleus, vacuole, mitochondria and chloroplasts	Reproduction: • reproduction in humans (as an example of a mammal), including the structure and function of the male and female reproductive systems, menstrual cycle (without details of hormones), gametes, fertilisation, gestation and birth, to include the effect of maternal lifestyle on the foetus through the placenta Energy:	Pure and impure substances: • the concept of a pure substance • mixtures, including dissolving • diffusion in terms of the particle model • simple techniques for separating mixtures: filtration, evaporation, distillation and chromatography • the identification of pure substances. Current electricity: • electric current, measured in amperes,	The skeletal and muscular systems: • the structure and functions of the human skeleton, to include support, protection, movement and making blood cells • biomechanics – the interaction between skeleton and muscles, including the measurement of force exerted by different muscles • the function of muscles and examples of	Relationships in an ecosystem: • the interdependence of organisms in an ecosystem, including food webs and insect pollinated crops • the importance of plant reproduction through insect pollination in human food security • how organisms affect, and are affected by, their environment, including the accumulation of toxic materials.	Atoms, elements and compounds: • a simple (Dalton) atomic model • differences between atoms, elements and compounds • chemical symbols and formulae for elements and compounds • conservation of mass changes of state and chemical reactions. Sound waves • frequencies of sound waves, measured in hertz (Hz); echoes, reflection and absorption of sound • sound needs a medium to		

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		differences between plant and animal cells • the role of diffusion in the movement of materials in and between cells • the hierarchical organisation of multicellular organisms: from cells to tissues to organs to systems to organisms. Acids and Alkalis: defining acids and alkalis in terms of neutralisation reactions • the pH scale for measuring acidity/alkalinity; and indicators • reactions of acids with metals to produce a salt plus hydrogen • reactions of acids with alkalis to produce a salt plus	uses and costs in the domestic context • comparing energy values of different foods (from labels) (kJ) • comparing power ratings of appliances in watts (W, kW) • comparing amounts of energy transferred (J, kJ, kW hour) • domestic fuel bills, fuel use and costs • fuels and energy	parallel circuits, currents add where branches meet and current as flow of charge • potential difference, measured in volts, battery and bulb ratings; resistance, measured in ohms, as the ratio of potential difference (p.d.) to current • differences in resistance between conducting and insulating components (quantitative). Static electricity • separation of positive or negative charges when objects are rubbed together: transfer of electrons, forces between charged objects • the idea of electric field, forces acting across the space between objects not in	The particulate nature of matter: • the properties of the different states of matter (solid, liquid and gas) in terms of the particle model, including gas pressure • changes of state in terms of the particle model. Physical changes: • conservation of material and of mass, and reversibility, in melting, freezing, evaporation, sublimation, condensation, dissolving • similarities and differences, including density differences, between solids, liquids and gases • Brownian motion in gases • diffusion in liquids and gases driven by difference between chemical and	forces as pushes or pulls, arising from the interaction between two objects • using force arrows in diagrams, adding forces in one dimension, balanced and unbalanced forces • moment as the turning effect of a force • forces: associated with deforming objects; stretching and squashing – springs; with rubbing and friction between surfaces, with pushing things out of the way; resistance to motion of air and water • forces measured in newtons, measurements of stretch or compression as force is	air, in water, in solids • sound produced by vibrations of objects, in loud speakers, detected by their effects on microphone diaphragm and the ear drum; sound waves are longitudinal • auditory range of humans

				Particle model: • the differences in arrangements, in motion and in closeness of particles explaining changes of state, shape and density, the anomaly of ice-water transition • atoms and molecules as particles.		
Pupils should be able to do (Skills being developed) BSquared Steps 4-10	7F Acids and Alkalis: Demonstrates understanding of chemical reactions as the rearrangement of atoms Demonstrates understanding of defining acids and alkalis in terms of neutralisation reactions Demonstrates understanding of the pH scale for measuring acidity/alkalinity; and indicators Demonstrates understanding of reactions of acids	71 Energy: Demonstrates the ability to compare energy values of different foods (from labels) (kJ) Demonstrates the ability to compare power ratings of appliances in watts (W, kW) Demonstrates understanding that simple machines give bigger force but at the expense of smaller movement (and vice versa): product of force and displacement	7J Current electricity: Recognises the need for safety when using electricity Names the components in a circuit, e.g. bulb, motor, switch Creates simple electrical circuits using given equipment Recognises that the circuit has to be complete for electrical devices to work Suggests why it is important to have a	7G The particle model: Demonstrates understanding of the properties of the different states of matter (solid, liquid and gas) in terms of the particle model, including gas pressure. Demonstrates understanding of diffusion in terms of the particle model Demonstrates understanding of changes of state in terms of the particle model Demonstrates	7K Forces: Includes related vocabulary to appropriately describe forces, e.g. push, pull, stop Demonstrates how air can move objects, e.g. uses large pieces of cardboard to create a force Examines objects that move using different means, e.g. wind up and push along toy or bicycle Describes what it feels like to run against and with	7H Atoms, elements and compounds: Suggests how they can test materials to check their properties Identifies, with reasons, whether changes in materials are reversible or not Recognises that mixing materials can cause change Gives examples of changes which cannot be reversed Understands and uses the terms correctly "insoluble", "soluble", "solution" Demonstrates understanding of the properties of the different states of matter (solid, liquid and gas) in terms of the particle model, including gas pressure

with metals to produce a salt plut hydrogen         Demonstrates         understanding of reactions of acids         with alka         7A Cells, tissues:         Demonstrates         understanding of as the fundament unit of living organisms, includ how to observe, interpret and record cell structure using light microscope         Demonstrates         understanding of functions of the condition         wall, cell membroid cytoplasm, nucle         vacuole,         mitochondria and chloroplasts         Demonstrates         understanding of	understanding of energy as a quantity that can be quantified and calculated; the total energy has the same value before and after a change. Demonstrates the ability to compare amounts of energy transferred (J, kJ, Mg kW hour) Demonstrates the ability to calculate domestic fuel bills, fuel use and costs Calculates the uses and energy ne, resources JS, Demonstrates understanding of the heating and thermal equilibrium: temperature	mobile source of power, e.g. torch. Explains the function of a switch in a circuit Describes the difference between an electrical conductor and insulator, giving examples Identifies what makes a complete electrical circuit Checks components in the circuits one by-one to find a problem Recognises a circuit must have a power source, which is part of a complete loop, to work Draws their circuit using pictorial representation. Explains that their series circuit will pass through all	understanding of the differences in arrangements, in motion and in closeness of particles explaining changes of state, shape and density; the anomaly of ice-water transition Demonstrates understanding of atoms and molecules as particles Demonstrates understanding of the differences in arrangements, in motion and in closeness of particles explaining changes of state, shape and density; the anomaly of ice-water transition Demonstrates understanding of atoms and molecules as particles bemonstrates understanding of atoms and molecules as particles Demonstrates understanding of	the wind, and why it is more difficult Compares the strength needed to walk in water and the speed they can travel Recognises that it requires more effort to pull an object over some surfaces more than others Describes what a simple mechanism does, e.g. lifts Identifies simple levers Explains how they think a mechanism works Demonstrates how force can change the direction of an object Demonstrates how	Demonstrates understanding of a simple (Dalton) atomic model Demonstrates understanding of differences between atoms, elements and compounds 7L Sound Demonstrates how to make high, low, soft and loud sounds with different classroom instruments Identifies if different sound sources can be heard through solid objects Associates vibrations they see to the sound they hear States what is vibrating when an instrument is played Explains that we hear sounds when they reach the ear Describes vibrations, e.g. after watching the surface of water move Predicts which instrument out of a group differing in size, makes low or high pitched sounds Suggests that the sound will stop when the
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	between cells Demonstrates understanding of the hierarchical organisation of multicellular organisms: from cells to tissues to organs to systems to organisms	reduce the temperature difference; use of insulators Demonstrates understanding of other processes that involve energy transfer: changing motion, dropping an object, completing an electrical circuit, stretching a spring, metabolism of food, burning fuels Energy Demonstrates understanding of comparing the starting with the final conditions of a system and describing increases and decreases in the amounts of energy associated	circuit, and describes how the circuit may be affected when changes are made to it; and uses recognised symbols to represent simple series circuit diagrams Explains why a circuit does not work by looking at the circuit diagram Demonstrates understanding of electric current, measured in amperes, in circuits, series and parallel circuits, currents add where branches meet and current as flow of charge Demonstrates	can see, e.g. knee, elbow Names and locates parts of the human body, including those related to the senses Compares or matches the body shape and skeleton of different animals Demonstrates understanding of biomechanics – the interaction between skeleton and muscles, including the measurement of force exerted by different muscles Demonstrates understanding of the function of muscles and examples of antagonistic muscles	in the air as long as possible Recognises and uses the term "balanced" force Gives a simple reason why different surfaces make it harder to slip on Relates how shape helps to lower air resistance, e.g. by examining photos of planes or rockets Relates the speed we can travel when swimming in water to when they walk through water Recognises that the surface area can affect the speed of an object dropping to Earth Describes a force as "balanced" as appropriate	can be seen, e.g. guitar strings Feels and simply describes vibrations, e.g. using a string telephone Recognises that sound can travel through air, walls, windows, etc. Recognises that sound travels to the ears from its source Describes the difference in vibrations made when a loud or soft noise is heard Recognises that sound travels to our ears Uses the idea that sounds are associated with vibrations, and that they require a medium to travel through, to explain how sounds are made and heard Describes the relationship between the pitch of a sound and the features of its source; and between the yolume of a sound the
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		energy associated	Demonstrates		as appropriate	volume of a sound, the
		with movements,	understanding of		Describes the	strength of the vibrations and
		temperatures,	potential		downward force as	the distance from its source
		changes in positions	difference,		gravity	Describes how a sound is
		in a field, in elastic	measured in volts,		Describes forces	made using scientific
		distortions and in	battery and bulb		using the terms	vocabulary
		chemical	ratings; resistance,		"friction", "water	Demonstrates understanding
		compositions	measured in ohms,		resistance" and "air	of frequencies of sound
		Demonstrates	as the ratio of		resistance" correctly	waves, measured in hertz
		understanding of	potential difference		in context Shows	(Hz); echoes, reflection and
		using physical	(p.d.) to current		the direction of	absorption of sound
		processes and	Demonstrates		different forces	Demonstrates understanding
		mechanisms, rather	understanding of		acting on objects in	that sound needs a medium

than energy, to	differences in	diagrams using	to travel, the speed of sound
explain the	resistance between	arrows	in air, in water, in solids
intermediate	conducting and insulating	Sorts objects to show which	Demonstrates understanding that sound is produced by
	components	mechanism they	vibrations of objects, in
7B Sexual	(quantitative)	use, e.g. lever,	loudspeakers, detected by
reproduction in	Demonstrates understanding of	pulley, wedge Recognises that	their effects on microphone diaphragm and the ear
animals:	the magnetic effect	forces act in a	drum; sound waves are
Names and compares	of a current.	particular direction	longitudinal
sex/gender.		Recognises forces	Demonstrates understanding
Records the general	7E Mixtures and	acting on an object may be equal,	of the auditory range of humans and animals
order of the main changes that girls	separation: Separates mixtures,	causing the object	
and boys	e.g. using a filter	to be static	
experience in	paper	Recognises gravity causes objects to	
puberty Classifies changes in	Separates some	have weight	
puberty which are	materials as directed,	Recognises that	
different and similar	e.g. using sieves to	gravity exerts a downward force on	
in both sexes	separate soil and	all things	
Identifies that puberty occurs so	stones	Describes the	
that the	Identifies if a	effects of simple forces that involve	
reproductive	substance mixed with	contact (air and	
organs can become functional	with water can be	water resistance,	
Relates technical	separated by	friction) and gravity	
terms and popular	filtering or	Identifies simple mechanisms,	
terms of male and	sieving	including levers,	
female organs	Describes ways to separate different	gears and pulleys	
	materials	that increase the effect of a force	
	Compares a variety	Demonstrates	
	of materials using	forces acting on a	
	different properties,	range of objects Explains that a	
	e.g. solubility,	explains indi a	

Image: state structure       not       turning effect of a force         Recognises that       force         mixing materials       Demonstrates         can       forces are         cause change       measured in         Gives examples of       newtons,         changes which       measurements of         cannot be reversed       stretch or         Understands and       corportsion as         correctly "insoluble",       understanding of         "soluble",       understanding of         "soluble",       understanding of         "soluble",       gravity forces         "soluble",       gravity forces         acting at a       distance on Earth
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	understanding of simple techniques for separating mixtures: filtration, evaporation, distillation and chromatography Demonstrates understanding of the identification of pure substances.	and in space. Demonstrates understanding of forces: associated with deforming objects; stretching and squashing – springs; with rubbing and friction between surfaces, with pushing things out of the way; resistance to motion of air and water Demonstrates understanding of force extension linear relation; Hooke's Law as a special case Demonstrates understanding of work done and energy changes on deformation
		7D Ecosystems: Suggests ways people have an effect on their surroundings Recognises that plants start food chains Orders simple three part food chains Explains simply what a ngs

					es throughout the school year Explores the dependency between animals	
Key Terminology	amoeba cell wall cells chloroplasts concentration diffusion euglena flagellum leaf cell microscope nerve cell nucleus observation organisms red blood cell root hair cell specialised cell sperm cell unicellular acid alkali	chemical store conduction conductor convection current dissipated elastic store energy energy resources energy store equilibrium fossil fuel gear gravitational potential store infrared radiation insulator joules adolescence anther	ammeter amps atom attract battery cell conductor core current electric charge electrical field electron insulator lightning magnetic field lines magnetic material magnetise motor negative	alveolus antagonistic muscles bone cartilage condense diaphragm (breathing) exhale gas exchange inhale joint ligament lungs multicellular organism newton organ organ system respiration respiratory system ribcage skeleton	air resistance balanced compress contact force deform drag force driving force elastic limit electrostatic force equilibrium extension field friction gravity Hooke's Law interaction pair kilogram (kg) lubrication magnetic force mass newton (N)	amplifier amplify amplitude audible range auditory canal auditory nerve cochlea compression crest decibel diaphragm ear eardrum echo energy hertz incident wave infrasound inner ear kilohertz longitudinal
	base concentrated corrosive dilute	carpel cervix cilia condom contraception	chromatogram chromatography dissolve distillation	tendon boiling boiling point change of state	aerobic respiration algae anaerobic respiration bioaccumulation	loudness acid rain chemical property density
	indicator litmus neutral neutralisation	contraceptive pill ejaculation embryo fertilisation	filtering filtrate filtration impure	collide condensation diffusion evaporate	chemosynthesis chlorophyll co-exist community	displace displacement reaction group halogen

	pH scale salt universal indicator	foetus filament fluid sac fruit gametes germination implantation menstrual cycle ovary	insoluble mixture pure residue saturated solution solubility solute solution solvent	freezing gas liquid material melting melting point mixture particle property solid states of matter sublime	consumer deficiency ecosystem fermentation fertiliser food chain food web habitat haemoglobin interdependence magnesium niche nitrates	metal metalloid noble gases non-metal period physical property reactive unreactive
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8	Торіс	<u>8A Food and</u> nutrition <u>8E Combustion</u>	<u>81 Fluids</u> <u>8B Plants and</u> reproduction	<u>8F The periodic</u> table 8J Light	<u>8C Breathing and</u> respiration <u>8G Metals and their</u> <u>use</u>	<u>8K Energy transfers</u> <u>8D Unicellular</u> organisms	<u>8H Rocks</u> 8L Earth and space
	Pupils will be taught (Core knowledge and concepts to be learned) NC Link	Nutrition and digestion: • content of a healthy human diet: carbohydrates, lipids (fats and oils), proteins, vitamins, minerals, dietary fibre and water, and why each is needed • calculations of energy requirements in a healthy daily diet	Pressure in fluids: • atmospheric pressure, decreases with increase of height as weight of air above decreases with height • pressure in liquids, increasing with depth; upthrust effects, floating and sinking • pressure measured by ratio of force over area – acting normal	The Periodic Table: • the varying physical and chemical properties of different elements • the principles underpinning the Mendeleev Periodic Table • the Periodic Table: periods and groups; metals and non-metals • how patterns in reactions can be	Gas exchange systems: • the structure and functions of the gas exchange system in humans, including adaptations to function • the mechanism of breathing to move air in and out of the lungs, using a pressure model to explain the	Energetics: • energy changes on changes of state (qualitative) • exothermic and endothermic chemical reactions (qualitative). Energy changes and transfers • simple machines give bigger force but at the expense of smaller	Earth and atmosphere: • the composition of the Earth • the structure of the Earth • the rock cycle and the formation of igneous, sedimentary and metamorphic rocks • Earth as a source of limited resources and the efficacy of recycling • the carbon cycle • the composition of the atmosphere • the production of carbon

	<ul> <li>the consequences</li> </ul>	to any surface.	predicted with	movement of gases,	movement (and vice	dioxide by human activity
	of imbalances in the		reference to the	including simple	versa): product of force	and the impact on climate.
	diet, including	Plant reproduction:	Periodic Table • the	measurements of lung	and displacement	
	obesity, starvation	<ul> <li>reproduction in</li> </ul>	properties of metals	volume	unchanged	Space physics:
	and deficiency	plants, including	and non-metals	<ul> <li>the impact of</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>heating and thermal</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>gravity force, weight = mass</li> </ul>
	diseases	flower structure, wind	the chemical	exercise, asthma and	equilibrium:	x gravitational field strength
	<ul> <li>the tissues and</li> </ul>	and insect pollination,	properties of metal and	smoking on the	temperature difference	(g), on Earth g=10 N/kg,
	organs of the human	fertilisation, seed and	non-metal oxides with	human gas exchange	between two objects	different on other planets
	digestive system,	fruit formation and	respect to acidity.	system • the role of	leading to energy	and stars; gravity forces
	including adaptations	dispersal, including		leaf stomata in gas	transfer from the hotter	between Earth and Moon,
	to function and how	quantitative	Waves:	exchange in plants.	to the cooler one,	and between Earth and Sun
	the digestive system	investigation of some	Observed waves		through contact	(qualitative only)
	digests food (enzymes	dispersal mechanisms.	<ul> <li>waves on water as</li> </ul>	Cellular respiration:	(conduction) or	• our Sun as a star, other stars
	simply as biological		undulations which	<ul> <li>aerobic and</li> </ul>	radiation; such transfers	in our galaxy, other galaxies
	catalysts)		travel through water	anaerobic respiration	tending to reduce the	<ul> <li>the seasons and the Earth's</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>the importance of</li> </ul>		with transverse motion;	in living organisms,	temperature difference:	tilt, day length at different
	bacteria in the		these waves can be	including the	use of insulators	times of year, in different
	human digestive		reflected, and add or	breakdown of	<ul> <li>other processes that</li> </ul>	hemispheres
	system		cancel – superposition.	organic molecules to	involve energy transfer:	<ul> <li>the light year as a unit of</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>plants making</li> </ul>			enable all the other	changing motion,	astronomical distance.
	carbohydrates in their		Energy and waves	chemical processes	dropping an object,	
	leaves by		<ul> <li>pressure waves</li> </ul>	necessary for life	completing an	
	photosynthesis and		transferring energy; use	<ul> <li>a word summary for</li> </ul>	electrical circuit,	
	gaining mineral		for cleaning and	aerobic respiration	stretching a spring,	
	nutrients and water		physiotherapy by	<ul> <li>the process of</li> </ul>	metabolism of food,	
	from the soil via their		ultra-sound; waves	anaerobic respiration	burning fuels.	
	roots.		transferring information	in humans and		
			for conversion to	micro-organisms,	Changes in systems:	
	Health:		electrical signals by	including	<ul> <li>energy as a quantity</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>the effects of</li> </ul>		microphone.	fermentation, and a	that can be quantified	
	recreational drugs		Light waves	word summary for	and calculated; the	
	(including substance		<ul> <li>the similarities and</li> </ul>	anaerobic respiration	total energy has the	
	misuse) on behaviour,		differences between	<ul> <li>the differences</li> </ul>	same value before and	
	health and life		light waves and waves	between aerobic and	after a change	
	processes.		in matter • light waves	anaerobic respiration	<ul> <li>comparing the starting</li> </ul>	
			travelling through a	in terms of the	with the final conditions	
	Chemical reactions:		vacuum; speed of light	reactants, the	of a system and	
			<ul> <li>the transmission of</li> </ul>	products formed and	describing increases	

	<ul> <li>chemical reactions as the rearrangement of atoms</li> <li>representing chemical reactions using formulae and using equations •</li> <li>combustion, thermal decomposition, oxidation and displacement reactions •</li> <li>what catalysts do.</li> </ul>		light through materials: absorption, diffuse scattering and specular reflection at a surface 11 Science – key stage 3 • use of ray model to explain imaging in mirrors, the pinhole camera, the refraction of light and action of convex lens in focusing (qualitative); the human eye • light transferring energy from source to absorber leading to chemical and electrical effects; photo-sensitive material in the retina and in cameras • colours and the different frequencies of light, white light and prisms (qualitative only); differential colour effects in absorption and diffuse reflection.	the implications for the organism. Metals and their uses: • Properties and reactivities of metals • Metal extraction	and decreases in the amounts of energy associated with movements, temperatures, changes in positions in a field, in elastic distortions and in chemical compositions • using physical processes and mechanisms, rather than energy, to explain the intermediate steps that bring about such changes. Unicellular organisms: • the structural adaptations of some unicellular organisms	
Pupils should be able to do (Skills being developed) BSquared	8A Food and nutrition: Lists what all animals and	8l Fluids: Demonstrates understanding of pressure in liquids,	reflection. 8F The periodic table: Demonstrates understanding of	8C Breathing and respiration Demonstrates understanding of	8K Energy transfers: Demonstrates understanding that	8H Rocks: Gives examples of where they have seen erosion in their environment Suggests a

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Steps 4-10	live, e.g. air, food, waterdep effectExplores whatsinkinbenefit each foodDem groups have to the human bodyatm sinkinSimply describes the process of foodpress process of fooddigestion using given vocabularyheig given vocabularygiven vocabulary Explores whatair a decci terms why exercise heig is a healthy activityDem Explores whatunde benefit each food press groups have to the human bodyDescribes the importance of exercise, balanced diet and hygiene for humans8B P repr Explores understanding of the tissues and organs of the human digestive system, including adaptations to function and how the digests food (enzymes simply as biological catalysts)group take	pth; upthrustaects, floating andpkingdmonstratesDderstanding ofunosphericdessure, decreasesbh increase ofeight as weight ofcaboveDcreases withuightthmonstratesaderstanding ofpessure measureddratio of forceDer area – actingumal to anythfacemPlants andDoroduction:thblains the role ofuferent parts of aWobs anchor plantDblains that mostueds and bulbsuow under soil, e.g.ph no sunlightmgermination isugermination ishken away, basedh	he varying physical and chemical properties of different elements Demonstrates understanding of differences between atoms, elements and compounds Demonstrates understanding of he varying physical and chemical properties of different elements Demonstrates understanding of he properties of metals and non-metals Demonstrates understanding of he principles understanding of he periodic table Demonstrates understanding of he periodic table: periods and groups; metals and non-metals Demonstrates understanding of how patterns in eactions can be predicted with	aerobic and anaerobic respiration in living organisms, including the breakdown of organic molecules to enable all the other chemical processes necessary for life Provides a word summary for aerobic respiration Demonstrates understanding of aerobic and anaerobic respiration in living organisms, including the breakdown of organic molecules to enable all the other chemical processes necessary for life Provides a word summary for aerobic respiration Demonstrates understanding of the structure and functions of the gas exchange system in humans, including adaptations to function	simple machines give bigger force but at the expense of smaller movement (and vice versa): product of force and displacement unchanged Demonstrates understanding of the heating and thermal equilibrium: temperature difference between 2 objects leading to energy transfer from the hotter to the cooler one, through contact (conduction) or radiation; such transfers tending to reduce the temperature difference; use of insulators Demonstrates understanding of other processes that involve energy transfer: changing motion, dropping an object, completing an electrical circuit, stretching a spring,	reason why rocks have eroded Suggests why soil is necessary to different living things Compares and describes different soil Groups fossils into mould, casts and resin with support Selects a criteria to classify rocks Lists different ways we use different types of rocks Suggests what might happen to a building in their locality over time in respect of erosion Lists forces that affect landscapes Suggests reasons why cliffs and mountains may change shape over time Compares a range of different rocks over time, e.g. by looking at photographs of cliffs or mountains Explains why and how we use rocks in different ways Simply defines and finds examples of erosion and weathering Describes how soil is made Lists some organic matter that may make up soil Gives reasons why types of rocks are used for specific purposes based on their investigations Identifies that there are many layers of different rocks Describes simply how

result in a new term "germination" material, e.g. in cosking Observes and describes the changes to seeds and bulbs as they others are not identifies, with observes and others are not identifies are permanent, and arbulbs as they grow into plants identifies, with observes and others are not identifies, with observes and others are not identifies are plants need to survive, e.g. nutrition Recognises that materials are plants need to survive, e.g. nutrition Recognises that mixing materials function of different can cause change Gives examples of changes which cannot be reversed Demonstrates understanding of combustion, e.g. by planting and growing decomposition, oxidation and displacement reactions using formulae and using equations when discussing how the seeds are dispersed looks for patterns in colours or textures of flowers when discussing how the seeds are dispersed Relates the terms "configure and "cannot be reversed ispersed Relates the terms "configure and growing and	reference to the periodic table Demonstrates understanding of the chemical properties of metal and nonmetal oxides with respect to acidity 8J Light: Demonstrates how to use a mirror to look around corners Sorts objects into transparent, translucent and opaque using a light source to test them Makes simple connections between a light source making its own light and a reflector needing light to glow Experiments how shadows change by moving the torch nearer and further from the object Represents the light they have reflected using arrows away from the light source Examines a selection of light sources and names	the mechanism of breathing to move air in and out of the lungs, using a pressure model to explain the movement of gases, including simple measurements of lung volume Structure and Function of Demonstrates understanding of the impact of exercise, asthma and smoking on the human gas exchange system 8G Metals and their use Suggests ways to identify materials more specifically, e.g. types of metal Classifies the properties of a material using scientific vocabulary Demonstrates understanding of the properties of metals and	metabolism of food, burning fuels 8D Unicellular organisms: Demonstrates understanding of cells as the fundamental unit of living organisms, including how to observe, interpret and record cell structure using a light microscope Demonstrates under Demonstrates understanding of the role of diffusion in the movement of materials in and between cells Demonstrates understanding of the structural adaptations of some unicellular organisms Demonstrates understanding of the hierarchical organisms: from cells to tissues to organisms to systems to organisms	sedimentary rock is formed, e.g. by sequencing information Demonstrates a basic understanding about the process of changes a fossil went through to be formed Groups and identifies rocks in different ways according to their properties, based on first-hand observation Compares physical properties of rocks Lists some elements that soil contains, e.g. worn down rock, humus, water and air Describes uses for rocks, e.g. tools in the Stone Age Suggests why not all living things that die become fossilised Describes the difference between sedimentary and igneous rock 8L Earth and space: States how many hours there are in one day Gives a simple reason why the shadow has changed position Describes the changes in shadows throughout the day Describes the rotation of the Earth in simple terms, e.g. on a slant or axis Classifies planets by properties they have researched, e.g. those which have Moons
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"pollination" to plant	what is making the	non-metals	Compares and discusses
life cycles	light, e.g. flame	Demonstrates	photos of different planets in
Describes and	Explains that there	understanding of	the Solar System Recognises
labels a flowering	needs to be a light	the order of metals	the Sun is a star States that
plant, giving an	source to make a	and carbon in the	the Sun provides light and
explanation of the	shadow Recognises	reactivity series	warmth
functions of the	that light travels	Demonstrates	Recites the names in order of
main parts, e.g.	from its source	understanding of	the four planets closest to
flower, leaves, root	Groups natural and	the use of carbon in	the Sun Recites the months
Observes and	man-made light	obtaining metals	of the year (in order)
makes detailed	sources Recognises	from metal oxides	Identifies hot and cold
drawings of parts of	and uses the terms		places on globe
a flower	"transparent" and		Describes how the shadow's
Gives examples of	"opaque"		measurements have
and can explain the	Manipulates a		changed when measuring
importance of seed	mirror to find		over time
dispersal Explains	different parts of		Describes why planet Earth is
how the size, shape	the classroom		conducive to life Describes a
or colour etc. of a	which are out of		planet or moon's movement
seed affects how it	sight Recognises		correctly, using the term
is dispersed Names,	that a shiny object		"orbit" States that the Sun is
locates and	needs a light source		the centre of our Solar
describes the	to shine Draws a		System
functions of the	picture of		States that the Earth orbits
main parts of plants,	themselves with		the Sun once a year States
including those	their shadow		that 1 year = 365 days or 52
involved in	(without any		weeks or 12 months
reproduction	features) in the		Recites the order of the
	correct position		planets in our solar system,
	Demonstrates how		e.g. by creating a rhyme to
	light travels from its		help them remember
	source Gives		States that it takes 24 hours
	examples of primary		for the Earth to spin on its axis
	light sources		Explains why day and night
	Suggests ways to		occur
	protect our eyes		Explains how shadows
	from the Sun		change length throughout
	Sorts objects or		the day States that the Moon

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	materials into		orbits the Earth
	transparent,		approximately every 28 days
	translucent and		Describes the phases of the
	opaque Recognises		Moon using given terms, e.g.
	that shiny objects		full, new, waning
	are not light sources		Explains that the Moon
	Recognises that		reflects the Sun's light
	light is reflected off		Describes some effects of the
	different objects		earth spinning on its axis
	Explains how light is		Predicts when shadows will
	reflected off mirrors		be longest or shortest
	to create reflections		Describes the shapes and
	of reflections Gives		relative movements of the
	examples of		Sun, Moon, Earth and other
	materials that		planets in the solar system;
	reflect light Explains		and explains the apparent
	why it is dangerous		movement of the Sun across
	to look at the Sun		the sky in terms of the Earth's
	directly Recognises		rotation and that this results
	that when it is dark,		in day and night
	there is no light		States that the Earth, Sun
	source Uses the		and Moon are
	idea that light from		approximately spherical
	light sources, or		
	reflected light,		
	travels in straight		
	lines and enters our		
	eyes to explain how		
	we see objects and		
	the shape of		
	shadows		
	Recognises that we		
	need light to see		
	Makes comparative		
	statements about		
	the brightness of a		
	shadow Lists some		
	materials which		
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reflect light into the
eyes Explains the
movement of light
and the reflection
of light in a
periscope
Describes the
difference in the
size of a pupil in
different amounts of
light Uses the idea
that light from light
sources, or
reflected light,
travels in straight
lines and enters our
eyes to explain
shadows
Demonstrates
understanding of
the transmission of
light through
materials:
absorption, diffuse
scattering and
specular reflection
at a surface Uses a
ray model to
explain imaging in
mirrors, the pinhole
camera, the
refraction of light
and action of
convex lens in
focusing
(qualitative); the
human eye
Demonstrates

			understanding of light transferring energy from source to absorber, leading to chemical and electrical effects; photosensitive material in the retina and in cameras Demonstrates understanding of colours and the different frequencies of light, white light and prisms (qualitative only); differential colour effects in absorption and diffuse reflection			
Key Terminology	addiction	air resistance	absorb	alveolus	adaptations (cell)	atmosphere
	alcoholic	balanced	angle of incidence	antagonistic muscles	amoeba	biological weathering
	anus	drag	angle of reflection	asthma	binary fission	carbon cycle
	balanced diet	force	convex	biomechanics	cell	carbon store
	bile	friction	cornea	bone	cell membrane	cementation
	carbohydrase	gravitational field	dispersion	bone marrow	cell wall	chemical weathering
	carbohydrate	strength	emit	cartilage	chloroplast	climate change
	catalyst	gravity	eye	circulatory system	concentration	combustion
	deficiency	lubrication	filter	condense	cytoplasm	compaction
	depressant	newton (N)	frequency	diaphragm	diffusion	crust
	digestion	newtonmeter	image	(breathing)	egg cell	deforestation
	digestive system	pull	incident ray	digestive system	euglena	deposition
	drug	push	inverted	exhale	flagellum	durable

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enzyme	reaction	iris	gas exchange	leaf cell	eclipse
ethanol	resistive force	law of reflection	gas exchange system	microscope	erosion
fibre	streamlined	lens	inhale	mitochondria	freeze-thaw
food test	water resistance	light-time	ligament	nerve cell	global warming
gullet	Weight	luminous	lungs	nucleus	greenhouse effect
hypothesis		opaque	lung volume	observation	greenhouse gas
large intestine	ovary (plant)	optic nerve	multicellular organism	organism	igneous
lipase	ovule	pixel	musculoskeletal	red blood cell	inner core
	petal	plane	system	respiration	lava
Combustion	pollen	primary colour	newton	root hair cell	magma
Complete	pollination	prism	organ	specialised cell	mantle
Endothermic	seed	pupil	organ system	sperm cell	metamorphic
Energy	seed dispersal	reflect	reproductive system	unicellular	outer core
Exothermic	sepal	refraction	ribcage	vacuole	planet
Hazard		retina	skeleton		physical weathering
Incomplete		secondary colour	trachea		porous
oxidation		source	tendon	chemical store	radiation
Oxygen		spectrum	tissue	conduction	recycling
Product		specular reflection		conductor	respiration
Radiation		tertiary colour	actual yield	convection	rock cycle
Reactant		translucent	catalyst	convection current	seasons
Thermal		transmit	catalytic converter	dissipated	sediment
		transparent	chemical (property)	elastic store	sedimentary
		vacuum	displacement	electromagnetic	space
		virtual	reaction	electromagnetic	transport
		wave	ductile	spectrum	troposphere
			electrolysis	energy	uplift
		acid rain	hardness	energy resources	weathering
		chemical property	malleable	energy store	
		group	percentage yield	equilibrium	
		halogen	physical (property)	fossil fuel	
		metal	reacting mass	fuels	
		metalloid	reactive	gravitational potential	
		noble gases	relative mass	store	
		non-metal	theoretical yield	infrared radiation	
		period	transition metal	insulator	
		physical property	unreactive	joules	
		reactive		kilojoules	
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		unreactive	kilowatt hours kilowatts kinetic store law of conservation of energy lever non-renewable nuclear	
			nuclear power station power rating uranium radiation ramp renewable simple machine temperature	
			thermal imaging camera thermal power station	

9	Торіс	9A Genetics and evolution 9E Making materials	91 Forces and motion 9B Plant growth	9F Reactivity 9J Force fields and electromagnets	ASDAN Science Short course		
	Pupils will be taught (Core knowledge and concepts to be learned) NC Link	Inheritance, chromosomes, DNA and genes: • heredity as the process by which genetic information is transmitted from one	Photosynthesis: • the reactants in, and products of, photosynthesis, and a word summary for photosynthesis • the dependence of almost all life on Earth	Magnetism • magnetic poles, attraction and repulsion • magnetic fields by plotting with compass, representation by field lines • Earth's	e-portfolio. This will contain: • a record of ch challenge	vidence of their activities in allenges completed, with s uments, showing how learn	upporting evidence for each

na - 0 - 0 - 0 - 0 - 0 - 0 - 0 - 0	generation to the next a simple model of chromosomes, genes and DNA in heredity, ncluding the part blayed by Watson, Crick, Wilkins and ranklin in the development of the DNA model differences between pecies the variation between individuals within a species being continuous or discontinuous, to nclude measurement and graphical epresentation of rariation the variation between species and between individuals of the same species neans some organisms compete poore successfully.	on the ability of photosynthetic organisms, such as plants and algae, to use sunlight in photosynthesis to build organic molecules that are an essential energy store and to maintain levels of oxygen and carbon dioxide in the atmosphere • the adaptations of leaves for photosynthesis. Describing motion: • speed and the quantitative relationship between average speed, distance and time (speed = distance ÷ time) • the representation of a journey on a distance-time graph • relative motion: trains	magnetism, compass and navigation • the magnetic effect of a current, electromagnets, D.C. motors (principles only). Reactivity: the order of metals and carbon in the reactivity series	reviewed their activities • summary of achievement, highlighting skills development • personal statement The Short Course is split into six modules: • Human machine • Forces and motion • Chemical change • Biological challenges • Space physics • Performance in sport
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le w	vithin a species, and ome entire species,	relation; Hooke's Law as a special case • work done and		
le	ess well adapted to compete successfully	energy changes on deformation		

	and reproduce, which in turn may lead to extinction • the importance of maintaining biodiversity and the use of gene banks to preserve hereditary material. Materials: • the order of metals and carbon in the reactivity series • the use of carbon in obtaining metals from metal oxides • properties of ceramics, polymers and composites (qualitative).	<ul> <li>non-contact forces: gravity forces acting at a distance on Earth and in space, forces between magnets and forces due to static electricity.</li> <li>Balanced forces <ul> <li>opposing forces and equilibrium: weight held by stretched spring or supported on a compressed surface.</li> <li>Forces and motion <ul> <li>forces being needed to cause objects to stop or start moving, or to change their speed or direction of motion (qualitative only)</li> <li>change depending on direction of force and its size.</li> </ul> </li> </ul></li></ul>		
Pupils should be able to do (Skills being developed) BSquared	9A Genetics and evolution: Identifies similar features when comparing photos of their family Points out the differences in offspring to the parent animal, e.g. colours of kittens in a litter Identifies that	91 Forces and motion: Notes how fast a pendulum swings at different lengths Describes what it feels like to run against and with the wind, and why it is more difficult Compares the	9F Reactivity: Identifies, with reasons, whether changes in materials are reversible or not Recognises that mixing materials can cause change Gives examples of changes which	The Science Short Course, developed in association with the Centre for Science Education, accredits up to 60 hours of science studies and activities. It is designed to support learners working towards science GCSEs, while maintaining their curiosity about the subject. Learners develop their personal and employability skills – as well as their science knowledge and understanding.

some people have	strength needed to	cannot be reversed
different coloured	walk in water and	Demonstrates
hair or eyes to their	the speed they can	understanding of
parents	travel	chemical reactions
Organises events in	Recognises that it	as the
their own life in	requires more effort	rearrangement of
sequence Identifies	to pull an object	atoms
that fossils are found	over some surfaces	Demonstrates
underground	more than others	understanding of
Makes comparisons	Describes what a	defining acids and
between fossils	simple mechanism	alkalis in terms of
Suggests that a fossil	does, e.g. lifts	neutralisation
shows the remains	Identifies simple	reactions
of a plant or animal	levers	Demonstrates
Includes vocabula	Explains how they	understanding of
Recognises that all	think a mechanism	the pH scale for
living things	works Demonstrates	measuring
produce their own	how force can	acidity/alkalinity;
		and indicators
kind Suggests a	change the	Demonstrates
reason why an	direction of an	
animal has a	object Democratication is a second	understanding of
certain attribute	Demonstrates how	representing
Links animals to their	force can change	chemical reactions
environment based	the shape of an	using formulae and
on its features	object	using equations
Describes how	Demonstrates how	Demonstrates
some familiar things	force can change	understanding of
change over time	the speed of an	combustion,
Suggests what	object Explores how	thermal
information we can	the force of gravity	decomposition,
learn about animals	affects everything	oxidation and
from fossilised	on Earth, e.g. by	displacement
footprints or teeth	trying to 'beat'	reactions
Suggests how	gravity, keeping up	Demonstrates
different animals	a blown up balloon	understanding of
have adapted to	in the air as long as	reactions of acids
their environment,	possible	with metals to
e.g. a giraffe	Recognises and	produce a salt plus

Explains simply how		hydrogen	
their own lives are different to those i	"balanced" force Gives a simple	Demonstrates understanding of	
the past	reason why	reactions of acids	
Suggests how	different surfaces	with alkalis to	
different parts of	make it harder to	produce a salt plus	
animals help them	slip on	water Demonstrates	
to survive, e.g. tus		understanding of	
whiskers or claws	helps to lower air	what catalysts do	
Makes simple	resistance, e.g. by		
judgements on ho	01	9J Force fields and	
different dinosaurs	of planes or rockets	electromagnets:	
lived using fossils a evidence, e.g.	Relates the speed we can travel when	Manipulates	
sharp teeth =	swimming in water	magnets to make	
carnivore	to when they walk	them repel or	
Creates a simple	through water	attract each other	
three tier family tre	÷	Lists objects in the	
using given	surface area can	setting that are	
information Follow	affect the speed of	magnetic	
a simple family tre		Notes that a magnet is not	
Suggests why or	to Earth Describes a	touching the object	
how a plant has	force as "balanced"	to move it	
adapted to survive		States that different	
in different	Describes the downward force as	poles attract and	
conditions, e.g. seaweed or cactu		like poles repel	
Identifies animals	forces using the	Names the poles on	
from the same	terms "friction",	a magnet as north	
habitat and lists	"water resistance"	and south	
similar adaptation		Describes the effect	
they have made t		of forces that act at	
survive there	Shows the direction	a distance	
Recognises that th	e of different forces	(magnetic forces,	
term "species"	acting on objects in	including those	
means a group of	diagrams using	between like and unlike poles)	
animals or plants	arrows Sorts objects	Describes	
that share the sam	e to show which	203011003	

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characteristics	mechanism they	magnetism using	
Defines the term	use, e.g. lever,	the terms	
"evolution"	pulley, wedge	"attraction" and	
Describes features	Identifies simple	"repulsion"	
or characteristics	mechanisms,	Demonstrates	
which can be	including levers,	understanding of	
inherited Explores	gears and pulleys	noncontact forces:	
how and why some	that increase the	gravity forces	
animals	effect of a force	acting at a	
metamorphosis at	Demonstrates	distance on Earth	
particular points in	forces acting on a	and in space,	
their life Examines	range of objects	forces between	
the reasons why or	Explains that a	magnets	
how animals	floating object is	Demonstrates	
hibernate	balancing water	understanding of	
Examines different	resistance and	the separation of	
strategies animals	gravity	positive or negative	
use to survive, e.g.	Recognises that	charges when	
migration	forces act in a	objects are rubbed	
Describes how fossils	particular direction	together: transfer of	
are formed	Recognises forces	electrons, forces	
Suggests how	acting on an object	between charged	
palaeontologists	may be equal,	objects	
find out about	causing the object	Demonstrates	
things which have	to be static	understanding of	
lived long ago	Recognises gravity	the idea of electric	
Recognises that the	causes objects to	field, forces acting	
past can be	have weight	across the space	
divided into	Recognises that	between objects	
different periods	gravity exerts a	not in contact	
Uses the basic ideas	downward force on	Demonstrates	
of inheritance,	all things	understanding of	
variation and	Describes the	magnetic poles,	
adaptation to	effects of simple	attraction and	
describe how living	forces that involve	repulsion	
things have	contact (air and	Demonstrates	
changed over time	water resistance,	understanding of	
and evolved; and	friction) and gravity	magnetic fields by	

provides evidence	Demonstrates	plotting with	
for evolution	understanding of	compass,	
Recognises that it	speed and the	representation by	
takes many	quantitative	field lines	
generations to	relationship	Demonstrates	
develop	between average	understanding of	
adaptation	speed, distance	the Earth's	
Recognises that	and time (speed =	magnetism,	
evolution is a result	distance ÷ time)	compass and	
of adaptation	Demonstrates	navigation	
Identifies how	understanding of	Demonstrates	
different living	the representation	understanding of	
things have	of a journey on a	Brownian motion in	
adapted to their	distance-time	gases Demonstrates	
environment	graph	understanding of	
Recognises that	Demonstrates	diffusion in liquids	
fossils are a record	understanding of	and gases driven by	
of evolution	forces as pushes or	differences in	
Recognises that	pulls, arising from	concentration	
offspring are not	the interaction	Demonstrates	
identical to their	between 2 objects	understanding of	
parents and can	Demonstrates	the difference	
give examples to	understanding of	between chemical	
back up their view	using force arrows in	and physical	
Describes a change	diagrams, adding	changes	
over time as a	forces in 1		
variation or	dimension,		
adaptation	balanced and		
Suggest why an	unbalanced forces		
animal has evolved	Demonstrates		
a certain feature,	understanding of		
e.g. giraffe's neck	moment as the		
Suggests reasons	turning effect of a		
why a living thing	force		
became extinct,	Demonstrates		
e.g. mammoth	understanding that		
Understands the	forces are		
heredity process by	measured in		

which genetic	newtons,		
information is	measurements of		
transmitted from a	stretch or		
generation	compression as		
Demonstrates	force is changed		
understanding of	Demonstrates		
differences	understanding of		
between species	noncontact forces:		
Demonstrates	gravity forces		
understanding of	acting at a		
changes in the	distance on Earth		
environment which	and in space,		
may leave	forces between		
individuals within a	magnets, and		
species, and some	forces due to static		
entire species, less	electricity		
well adapted to	Demonstrates		
compete	understanding that		
successfully and	forces are needed		
reproduce, which in	to cause objects to		
turn may lead to	stop or start moving,		
extinction	or to change their		
Demonstrates	speed or direction		
understanding of a	of motion		
simple model of	Demonstrates		
chromosomes,	understanding of		
genes and DNA in	relative motion:		
heredity, including	trains and cars		
the part played by	passing one		
Watson, Crick,	another Motion and		
Wilkins and Franklin	forces - Forces		
in the development	Demonstrates		
of the DNA model	understanding of		
Demonstrates	forces: associated		
understanding of	with deforming		
the variation	objects; stretching		
between individuals	and squashing –		
within a species	springs; with rubbing		

	being continuous or	and friction		
	discontinuous, to	between surfaces,		
	include	with pushing things		
	measurement and	out of the way;		
	graphical	resistance to motion		
	representation of	of air and water		
	variation	Demonstrates		
	Demonstrates	understanding of		
	understanding of	force extension		
	the variation	linear relation;		
	between species	Hooke's Law as a		
	and between	special case		
1 1	individuals of the	Demonstrates		
	same species	understanding of		
	meaning some	work done and		
	organisms compete	energy changes on		
	more successfully,	deformation Motion		
	which can drive	and forces -		
	natural selection	Pressure in fluids		
	Demonstrates	Demonstrates		
	understanding of	understanding of		
	the importance of	atmospheric		
	maintaining	pressure, decreases		
	biodiversity and the	with increase of		
	use of gene banks	height as weight of		
	to preserve	air above		
	hereditary material	decreases with		
		height		
	OF Marking a sectorials	Demonstrates		
	9E Making materials	understanding of		
	Suggests a type of	pressure measured		
	material that could	by ratio of force		
	be used to make an	over area – acting		
	object based on	normal to any		
	what they have	surface		
	found out Gives	Demonstrates		
	reasons why	understanding of		
	materials are used	opposing forces		
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for specific purpose Describes the properties of materials Explains 		

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Explains simply why	describes the		
the properties of a	changes to seeds		
material make is	and bulbs as they		
suitable or	grow into plants		
unsuitable for a	Observes and		
purpose	orders the life cycle		
Describes the	of a seed Lists what		
properties of	plants need to		
materials using an	survive, e.g. nutrition		
appropriate	Gives examples of		
vocabulary, e.g.	different plants		
absorbent, rigid,	found in different		
transparent	habitats		
Suggests how the	Discusses evidence		
uses for different	that shows that		
materials may	some plants do not		
change in the	need soil to grow,		
future Lists different	e.g. photographs of		
materials an object	tropical orchids		
can be made from	Investigates how		
and why	plants transport		
Suggests ways to	water, e.g. using		
identify materials	dye and white		
more specifically,	flowers Describes		
e.g. types of metal	the function of		
Classifies the	different parts of		
properties of a	flowering plants		
material using	and trees		
scientific	Describes the life		
vocabulary	cycle of a plant		
Discusses how to	Explores how some		
improve a material,	plants reproduce,		
e.g. wrapping foil	e.g. by planting		
around a cup to	and growing		
keep temperature	potatoes Describes		
longer Includes	the basic needs of		
scientific	plants for survival		
vocabulary when	and the impact of		
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	giving reasons why	changing these		
	an object is made	and the main		
	from a specific	changes as seeds		
	material	and bulbs grow into		
	Identifies a wide	mature plants		
	variety of different	Predicts how		
	materials Groups a	different conditions		
	wide variety of	may affect seed		
	different materials	growth		
	Groups and	Explores the		
	identifies materials	requirements for life		
	in different ways	and growth for		
	according to their	different types of		
	properties, based	plants		
	on first-hand	Explains simply why		
	observation; and	seeds need to be		
	justifies the use of	dispersed Looks for		
	different everyday	patterns in colours		
	materials for	or textures of flowers		
	different uses,	when discussing		
	based on their	how the seeds are		
	properties	dispersed		
	Demonstrates	Classifies plants into		
	understanding of	broad groups using		
	the order of metals	observable features		
	and carbon in the	Names, locates and		
	reactivity series	describes the main		
	Demonstrates	parts of a plant		
	understanding of	involved in		
	the use of carbon in	transporting water		
	obtaining metals	and nutrients		
	from metal oxides	Relates the terms		
	Demonstrates	"pollen" and		
	understanding of	"pollination" to plant		
	properties of	life cycles Relates		
	ceramics, polymers	the term		
	and composites	"photosynthesis" to		
	(qualitative)	plant nutrients and		
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	growth	
	Describes and	
	labels a flowering	
	plant, giving an	
	explanation of the	
	functions of the	
	main parts, e.g.	
	flower, leaves, root	
	Observes and	
	makes detailed	
	drawings of parts	
	Identifies that	
	photosynthesis	
	happens to every	
	plant	
	Suggests how	
	environmental	
	changes could	
	affect different	
	plant life	
	Demonstrates a	
	basic	
	understanding of	
	the relationship	
	between plants	
	using carbon	
	dioxide and	
	creating oxygen	
	Gives examples of	
	and can explain the	
	importance of seed	
	dispersal Explains	
	how the size, shape	
	or colour etc. of a	
	seed affects how it	
	is dispersed Names,	
	locates and	
	describes the	

Why are we doing this now? How does it build on prior learning?	<ul> <li>9A - To build upon previous knowledge studied in topic 7D and 8B.</li> <li>9E - To build upon previous knowledge studied in topic 7G, 7H, 8E and 8H.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>91 - To build upon previous knowledge studied in topic 7DI and 8B.</li> <li>9B - To build upon previous knowledge studied in topic 7I, 7K, 7D, 8E, 8I and 8K.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>9F - To build upon previous knowledge studied in topic 7I, 7G, 7H, 8E, 8I, 8F, 8G and 8H.</li> <li>9J - To build upon previous knowledge studied in topic 7J, 7K, 8L and 9I.</li> </ul>	To reaffirm knowledge learned throughout KS3. To introduce some KS4 content through the use of portfolio based evidence and practical learning. To develop skills associated with KS4 learning and respective qualifications.
Key Terminology	adaptation chromosome competition continuous variation discontinuous variation DNA evolution extinct fossil gene gene bank interdependence natural selection species variation carbon fibre ceramic composite displace displacement (reaction) natural polymer ore polymer reactivity series	acceleration atmospheric pressure average speed centre of gravity centre of mass compressed density distance-time graph gas pressure incompressible instantaneous speed law of moments liquid pressure metres per second moment newton metres newtons per metre squared pivot pressure relative motion speed aerobic respiration algae anaerobic respiration chlorophyll	balanced symbol equation biofuel carbon neutral chemical reaction combustion conservation of mass endothermic exothermic hydrocarbon physical change product ratio reactant word equation demagnetise direct current (DC) domain earthing electric field electromagnet induction electromagnet induction	accurate analyse bar chart categoric conclusion confidence continuous control variable data dependent variable discrete evaluate independent variable investigation line graph line of best fit mean observation outlier pie chart plan precise prediction random error range repeatable reproducible

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