Year 1 Curriculum Mapping Science and Topic Units

The objectives for these units are taken from the new national curriculum. The national curriculum provides pupils with an introduction to the essential knowledge that they need to be educated citizens. It introduces pupils to the best that has been thought and said; and helps engender an appreciation of human creativity and achievement. The national curriculum is just one element in the education of every child. There is time and space in the school day and in each week, term and year to range beyond the national curriculum specifications. The national curriculum provides an outline of core knowledge around which teachers can develop exciting and stimulating lessons to promote the development of pupils' knowledge, understanding and skills as part of the wider school curriculum.

Working Scientifically: Ongoing Unit

During years 1 and 2, pupils should be taught to use the following practical scientific methods, processes and skills through the teaching of the programme of study content:

- > asking simple questions and recognising that they can be answered in different ways
- > observing closely, using simple equipment
- > performing simple tests
- > identifying and classifying
- > using their observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions
- gathering and recording data to help in answering questions.

Science: Ongoing Unit - Seasonal Change

Science - Pupils should be taught to:

- > observe changes across the four seasons
- > observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies.

Human and physical geography identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the United Kingdom

Science: Animals including humans	Science: Everyday Materials	Science: Plants	Science: Food and Farming	Science: Plants
	Types of materials		Theme 3 Food Glorious Food	
Pupils should be taught to:	Pupils should be taught to:	Pupils should be taught	Pupils should be taught to:	Pupils should be taught
- identify and name a variety of common animals	- distinguish between an object	to:	- identify and name a variety of	to:
including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and	and the material from which it is	- identify and name a	common animals that are	- identify and name a
mammals	made.	variety of common wild	carnivores, herbivores and	variety of common wild
- identify and name a variety of common	- identify and name a variety of	and garden plants,	<mark>omnivores</mark>	and garden plants,
animals that are carnivores, herbivores and	everyday materials, including	including deciduous and	- identify and name a variety of	including deciduous and
omnivores	wood, plastic, glass, metal, water,	evergreen trees	common wild and garden plants,	evergreen trees
- describe and compare the structure of a	and rock	- identify and describe	including deciduous and	- identify and describe
variety of common animals (fish, amphibians,	- describe the simple physical	the basic structure of a	evergreen trees	the basic structure of a
reptiles, birds and mammals, including pets)	properties of a variety of	variety of common		variety of common
- identify, name, draw and label the basic parts	everyday materials	flowering plants,		flowering plants, including
of the human body and say which part of the	- compare and group together a	including trees.	Focus on these objectives as others	trees.
body is associated with each sense.	variety of everyday materials on		are taught elsewhere throughout	
	the basis of their simple physical		the year.	
	properties.			

Topic: Carnival of the	Topic: Black	Topic: Babies and Play	Topic: Houses and	Topic: Food and farming
Animals	History month	(Toys) Theme 4	Homes	Theme 3 & 4
Theme 2			Theme 2 & 3	
Geographical skills and fieldwork use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its countries, as well as the countries, continents and oceans studied at this key stage Human and physical geography use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to: identify the location of hot and cold areas of the world in relation to the Equator and the North and South Poles Historical content Pupils should be taught about: the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements. (Mary Anning - Fossil Hunter)	Geographical skills and fieldwork use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its countries, as well as the countries, continents and oceans studied at this key stage History Pupils should be taught about: changes within living memory. Where appropriate, these should be used to reveal aspects of change in national life History Pupils should be taught about significant historical events, people and places in their own locality.	History Pupils should be taught about: changes within living memory. Where appropriate, these should be used to reveal aspects of change in national life.	History Pupils should be taught about: significant historical events, people and places in their own locality. use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to: Human and physical geography use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to: key human features, including: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour and shop Geographical skills and fieldwork use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of their school and its grounds and the key human and physical features of its surrounding environment.	Locational knowledge name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans Locational knowledge name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas Human and physical geography use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to: key human features, including: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour and shop Human and physical geography use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to: key physical features, including: beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather
Music On-going Skills: Weekly sing	ging assemblies - Pupils	should be taught to use their	voices expressively and creat	rively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes.
Music: Carnival of the Animals - Using aural skills and		Music: Feel the Pulse -	Music: The Long and the	Music: Make a Band - Improving skills on tuned
musical movement, composing animal music.		Exploring pulse rhythm.	Short of it - Exploring duration	percussion instruments
Music Content Pupils should be taught to: experiment		Music Content Pupils	Music Content Pupils	Music Content Pupils should be taught to: use their
with, create, select and combine sounds using the inter-		should be taught to: play	should be taught to: play	voices expressively and creatively by singing songs and

	dimensions of music; listen with concentration derstanding to a range of high-quality live and ed music.		tuned and untuned instruments musically; listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music	speaking chants and rhymes; play tuned and untuned instruments musically	
PSHE: Citizenship: roles and responsibilities at home and school	PSHE: Fun, food and fitness: fun times	PSHE: Keeping safe and well: looking after myself	Drug, alcohol and tobacco education: what goes into and onto bodies?	Mental health: good feelings / not so good feelings (including loss and bereavement)	Financial capability: money
PSHE Content	PSHE Content	PSHE Content	PSHE Content	PSHE Content	PSHE Content
Pupils learn:	Pupils learn:	Pupils learn:	Pupils learn:	Pupils learn:	Pupils learn:
 about people that are special to them and what they do about the roles of different people in the school about things they are responsible for at home and school 	1. about special foods and drinks that are associated with different cultures, customs and celebrations 2. how different active playground games make them feel and to make choices about which they enjoy	 about personal safety and who they can talk to for help about germs and the importance of personal hygiene about people who help us to stay healthy and well (eg: dentists, doctors, nurses) 	 about what can go into bodies and how it can make people feel about what can onto bodies and how it can make people feel 	 about times when people feel joyful / happy about losing something special and how it feels how people feel when someone or something special dies and what can help them to feel better 	 where money comes from and the importance of keeping money safe to make simple choices about how they spend their money about saving money

Cooking and Nutrition

As part of their work with food, pupils should be taught how to cook and apply the principles of nutrition and healthy eating. Instilling a love of cooking in pupils will also open a door to one of the great expressions of human creativity. Learning how to cook is a crucial life skill that enables pupils to feed themselves and others affordably and well, now and in later life. Cooking Week takes place once a term and where possible is linked to topic or science.

Cooking and Nutrition Content

Pupils should be taught to: use the basic principles of a healthy and varied diet to prepare dishes & understand where food comes from.

PE Gymnastics	PE Dance	PE Gymnastics	PE Dance	PE Athletics	PE Gymnastics
Pupils should be taught to: master basic movements developing balance, agility and co-ordination	Pupils should be taught to: perform dances using simple movement patterns.	Pupils should be taught to: master basic movements developing balance, agility and co-ordination	Pupils should be taught to: perform dances using simple movement patterns.	Pupils should be taught to: master basic movements including running, jumping and throwing and catching	Pupils should be taught to: master basic movements developing balance, agility and co-ordination
PE Teamwork and Multi Skills Games		PE Teamwork and Multi Skills Games		PE Teamwork and Multi Skills Games	
Pupils should be taught to: participate in team games, developing simple tactics for attacking and defending		Pupils should be taught to: participate in team games, developing simple tactics for attacking and defending		Pupils should be taught to: participate in team games, developing simple tactics for attacking and defending	