



## **Ospreys Science Overview**

		SPRING TERM		SUMMER TERM		
Year A	<ul> <li>Earth and space 5 (6) - Physics</li> <li>What are the names of the planets in the solar system?</li> <li>How do we know the Earth is a sphere?</li> <li>How long does it take for Earth (and other planets) to orbit the Sun once?</li> <li>What is the largest object that orbits the Earth?</li> <li>Why is there day and night on Earth?</li> <li>Electricity 6 – Physics</li> <li>How do I draw a scientific diagram of a circuit?</li> <li>How does voltage in a circuit affect the brightness of a bulb?</li> <li>How do I plan a fair test experiment to investigate variations in how components function?</li> <li>How do I write a conclusion for my investigation?</li> <li>What is renewable and non-renewable energy?</li> </ul>	system?	<ul> <li>Forces 5 (6) - Physics</li> <li>What is gravity?</li> <li>What is friction?</li> <li>Friction investigation</li> <li>Identify the effects of air resistance</li> <li>What is water resistance?</li> <li>Gears, levers and pulleys</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Living things and their Habitats 6 (6) - Biolog</li> <li>How are animals classified?</li> <li>What is a classification key?</li> <li>How can we classify plants?</li> <li>Is yeast a living microorganism?</li> <li>What are the five main groups of</li> <li>Who was Carolus Linnaeus?</li> </ul>		
Year B	<ul> <li>Evolution 6 (6) - Biology</li> <li>How are plants adapted to their environment?</li> <li>How are animals are adapted to their environment?</li> <li>What is natural selection, how does this lead to evolution?</li> <li>How do adaptations lead to evolution?</li> <li>What characteristics can you inherit from your parents?</li> <li>How can fossils help us explain evolution?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Light 6 (5) - Physics</li> <li>How does light travel?</li> <li>Which materials make the best reflectors?</li> <li>How does the eye work?</li> <li>How do shadows change during the day?</li> <li>Why do objects look different in water?</li> <li>How do mirrors work?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Materials 5 (7) - Chemistry</li> <li>What are the properties of solids, liquids and gases?</li> <li>How can I describe the properties of materials?</li> <li>Which materials make the best thermal insulators?</li> <li>Which materials are magnetic?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Animals including humans 5 (4) - Biology</li> <li>How do humans change throughout their life?</li> <li>How do we develop in the womb?</li> <li>How do we change through puberty?</li> <li>How do we change when we are senior?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Living things 5 (6) - Biology</li> <li>What are the seven life processes?</li> <li>How do mammals reproduce?</li> <li>Do animals reproduce in the same way?</li> <li>How do plants reproduce?</li> <li>What is a lifecycle?</li> <li>What are the stages in the lifecycle of a plant?</li> </ul>	

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		What is an irreversible change?	