

YEAR 1 – We can

SEASONS

Observe changes across all four seasons.

Observe and describe weather associated with the four seasons, and how day length varies.

PLANTS

Identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants, including deciduous and evergreen trees.

Identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of basic plants, including trees.

ANIMALS

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.

MATERIALS

Distinguish between an object and the materials from which it is made.

Identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water, and rock.

Describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials.

Compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of their simple physical properties.

Working Scientifically (Year 1 & 2)

Ask simple questions and recognise that they can be answered in different ways.

Observing closely and noticing patterns

Performing simple tests, including comparative testing

Identifying, grouping and classifying

Finding things out using secondary sources of information

Using their observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions.

Gathering and recording data to help in answering questions.