

Curriculum Implementation – Science Key Stage 3

Key Concepts Taught



- Matter
- Reactions
- Organisms
- Forces
- Genes
- Electricity, Magnets and Electromagnets
- Energy
- The Earth
- Waves

How You Receive Feedback



 Feedback will be provided through regular marking of exercise books and work on Google Classroom, as well as summative end of term exams

How do Lessons Link to Key Concepts



- The lessons are sequenced to teach the key concepts as outlined above.
- The curriculum is designed to revisit the key ideas and develop them when they are returned to.













How we get Support with our Lessons



- Support in lessons will be primarily from the teacher.
- In certain cases, students with additional needs may have assistant teachers supporting in the class or working with them directly.

Retrieval Practice Opportunities / Supporting Ways to Help us Remember



- Activities will be built into lessons.
- It will also be explained how the lesson being taught fits into the wider curriculum.

Opportunities for Literacy



 There are many opportunities in Science lessons for literacy including reading, summarising texts, using different media and the introduction and reinforcement of key words.

Opportunities for Numeracy



- Students will analyse and present data in graph and tables.
- As examples they will also calculate means, percentage change, make conversions of units and use standard form.













Opportunities for Oracy



- Students will be encouraged to develop explanations to scientific questions.
- There will be opportunities provided for students to debate science issues.

Opportunities for Character Education



 Throughout the course students will be asked to consider ethical and moral questions for example relating to health and sustainability.

Opportunities for SMSC



 Students will have opportunities to learn about healthy living and the influence science has on the world.

Opportunities for Assessing Learning



• Ongoing through questioning and formative and summative assessment.









