

Hardwick Green

STEM (Science and Design & Technology) – Subject Overview

Long Term Overview

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Nursery	Where do I belong?	Once upon a time (natural materials, senses)	Where in the world? (materials)	All creatures great and small (life cycles, living things)	Growing and farms (plants)	Do you like to be beside the seaside? (materials, senses)		
Reception	Where do I belong? (recycling, soup-making, Autumn)	Once upon a time (Baking)	Where in the world? (Winter, melting ice)	(minibeasts, animals, habitats, life cycles)	Growing and farms (food, plating, bread, healthy food, farms)	Do you like to be beside the seaside? (sea creatures, floating and sinking)		
KS1 A	Why do we remember explorers? (Look Up!)	How can we use light, line and colour in our art work? (The Dark)	Which materials can we make models from? (Egg Box Dragon) Science: Materials Year 1 and Year 2 DT: Kapow Year 2 Structures: Baby Bear's Chair	How can we help plants grow? (The Secret Sky Garden) Science: Plants Year 1 and Year 2 PSHE: Healthy Me! Science: Animals including humans Year 2 Food – A balanced diet Kapow Year 2	How are animals adapted to where they live? (Moth) Science: Living things & their habitats Year 2 Animals, including humans Year 2	Why do we remember Amelia Earhart? (Amelia Earhart) DT Kapow Year 1 Mechanisms: Wheels & Axels PSHE: Changing Me Science: Animals including humans Year 2 (life cycles)		

KS1B	What is it like to live here? (Beegu)	How have toys changed over time? DT: Kapow Year 1 Textiles: Puppets	How is each season different? (Out and About) Science: Seasonal Change Year 1	What was special about Zeraffa Giraffa? (Zeraffa Giraffa) Science: Living things & their habitats Year 2 PSHE: Healthy Me! DT: Food & nutrition) Food – Fruit & Vegetables Kapow Year 1	What is it like in Australia? (One Day on our Blue Planet In The Outback) Science: Animals including humans Year 1 Living things & their habitats Year 2	DT: Making a moving story book Kapow Y1 PSHE: Changing Me Science: Animals including humans Year 2 (life cycles)
Year 3	Nutrition, skeletons and muscles (Animals including humans)	- Clight	Rocks fossils and soil (Rocks and soils)	(DT: Stiffening) Kapow: Y3 Structures: Constructing a Castle	Plant Growth (Plants)	(Forces and magnets, DT: Mechanical Systems) +Kapow: Y3 Mechanical Systems: Pneumatic Toys
Year 4	Classification (Living things and their habitats)	States of matter (States of matter)	Sound (Sound)	Simple Circuits (Electricity, DT: Circuits) +Kapow: Y4 Electrical Systems: Torches	Eating – teeth, digestion & food chains (Animals including humans) +Kapow: Y3 Food: Eating Seasonally	DT Textiles (DT: Textiles) Kapow Y3 Textiles: Cushions & Y4 Textiles: Fastenings

Year 5	Earth & Space (Earth & Space)	DT Bridges (DT: Structures) Kapow Y5 Structure: Bridges	Life Cycles (Living things & their habitats)	Properties & changes of materials (Properties & changes of materials)	Forces (Forces, DT: Mechanical Systems) Kapow Y5 Mechanical Systems: Pop-up book	(DT: Food & Nutrition) Kapow Y4 Food: Adapting a recipe & Y5 Food: What could be healthier? PSHE: Changing Me Science: Animals including humans Year 5
Year 6	Classification (Living things and their habitats)	- Light - (Light)	Evolution & Inheritance (Evolution & Inheritance)	Heart & Health (Animals including humans)		More Complex Circuits (Electricity. DT: Circuits) Kapow Y6 Electrical systems: Steady hand game

Highlighted indicates a Design & Technology unit