St Saviour's Science Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Nursery	Understanding the World -understanding how to care for the environment and living things -environment walks	Understanding the World -Explore natural materials both indoors and outside -Talk about the differences between materials and changes they notice	Understanding the World -Explore and talk about forces that they feel	Understanding the World -Plant seeds and care for growing plants -to understand the features of a life cycle	Understanding the World -To begin to understand the need to respect the environment and all living things.	Understanding the World -To begin to make sense of their own life story and family history
Reception	Understanding the World -understanding how to care for the environment and living things -lifecycles / minibeast habitats -exploring the natural world -describing what they see hear and feel	Understanding the World -Recognise some environments that are different to the one in which they live	Understanding the World -To describe what they see, hear and feel while outside.	Understanding the World -To explore the natural world around them	Understanding the World - To describe what they see, hear and feel while outside. - To explore the natural world around them	Understanding the World -To talk about members of their family and the community
Year 1	Everyday Materials		Animals including humans		Plants	Scientists and Inventors
	Seasonal changes – Autumn/Winter		Seasonal changes- Spring Summer			
Year 2	Materials and everyday uses		Animals including humans	Plants	Living things and their habitats	
Year 3	Plants	Animals including humans	Rocks	Light	Light/Forces	Forces
Year 4	Animals including humans	Sound	Living things and their habitats		States of matter	Electricity
Year 5	Forces	Properties of materials	Changes of materials	Earth and Space	Living things and their habitats	Animals including humans
Year 6	Light	Living things and their habitats	Animals including humans	Evolution and inheritance	Electricity	Revision and transition