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The LKS2 Curriculum at St Paul's CE Primary School

Subject	Year Three	Year Four
Science	Working Scientifically	Working Scientifically
	Can generate scientific questions from their observations.	Can plan a range of scientific investigations that provide data
	With support can make accurate scientific recordings.	to answer scientific questions.
	Can use secondary evidence to formulate answers to scientific	Can make accurate and systematic recordings using
	questions.	observations and a range of scientific recording equipment
	Can display collected data in the forms of simple tables and	including data loggers.
	graphs (with support).	Understand the importance of secondary sources in answering
		questions that cannot be done so practically.
		Can display gathered data in a range of ways and use it to
		answer posed questions
		With support, can use a range of ways to communicate
		scientific data and conclusions to others.
		Can suggest ways that data and conclusions may be
		communicated to others.

Biology

Knows that most plants need water and light to grow.

Knows the structure of plants and can identify the following:

roots, leaves, stem/trunk and flowers on a range of plants.

Knows that water is taken in by the roots.

Knows that flowers attract insects and that this helps with

reproduction.

Know that food contains substances that are useful to our

bodies.

Can explain which parts of the body the skull and rib cage

protect.

Knows that when mammals move they are using their muscles.

Can group animals using simple given criteria.

Can use data to predict to predict outcomes to other investigations and, with support, identify further scientific questions.

Can identify when their results are in line with the findings of others and when they differ. Can link this to the concept being tested.

Biology

Knows the functions provided by different parts of a flowering plant

Can identify the basic needs that a plant has for life (air, light, water, nutrients and room to grow) and identify variations between plants.

Can make scientific observations to state how water is transported in a plant.

Can identify some of the nutrients that mammals need to survive and that these come from the food they eat.

Can identify the role plants play in pollination, seed formation and seed dispersal.

Can identify foods that contain given nutrients.

Can suggest how an animal might be affected by a given environmental change — what might happen to polar bears if the temperature at the North Pole increased.

With support, can use simple classifications keys

Can name the main parts of the human digestive system.

Can name the different types of human teeth.

Can explain in words animal feeding relationships

Chemistry

Uses the terms solid, liquid or gas when describing materials.

Can state that water is a liquid that can be turned into a solid or gas.

Understands that water in puddles has been turned into a gas and has not disappeared.

Can explain how the skeleton provides support and protection for mammals.

Can explain in simple terms how muscles are used when a mammal moves.

Can group living things in a variety of ways and use classification keys to identify a variety of organisms.

Can explain how environmental changes can impact on the organisms of a habitat.

Can explain how the main parts of the human digestive system work.

Can identify the different types of human teeth and their relative functions.

Can construct and interpret food chains.

Chemistry

Uses states of matter to classify materials and understand how states of matter can be changed (including associated temperatures)

Understands the terms evaporation and condensation and how these are present in the water cycle

Can make simple observations about rocks.

Understands that fossils were animals that became trapped within rocks

Knows that soil is formed from rocks and the remains of living things.

Physics

Knows that light helps us to see things.

Can identify what happens when a torch is shone on a mirror,

Knows that they shouldn't look directly into the sun and that sunglasses help protect our eyes from the sunlight.

Knows that a shadow takes on the same shape of the object it is based on.

Knows that a shadow can change size and observe this during an experiment.

Knows that an object may travel at different speeds over different surfaces.

Can use magnets to test if materials are magnetic or not.

Can describe what happens when magnets are pushed

Can compare rocks based on their physical appearance
(including the use of a microscopic lens).

Groups rocks based on their physical appearances.

Can explain in simple terms how soil is formed and identify visible differences between soils.

Physics

Can state that light is required to see objects and that darkness refers to an absence of light.

Can explain what happens to light when it hits a reflective surface.

Knows that light from the sun is dangerous and suggests measures that can be taken to protect eyes from the sun.

Can explain how shadows form and investigate patterns in a

Can use scientific evidence to compare how an object moves on different surfaces.

Can classify everyday objects as magnetic or not magnetic based on their testing.

Can name some magnetic materials.

shadow's changing size.

	together.	Knows that magnets have a north and south pole and use this
	Can identify basic forces that are acting on everyday objects –	to predict if magnets will attract or repel each other.
	hand pushing a door, wind blowing leaves, gravity on us.	Through exploring, can state that acting forces need to contact
		the object that they are acting upon and that magnetic forces
		are the exception to this rule.
		Knows that sounds are caused by vibrating materials and
		travel in waves to the human ear.
		Understands the links between pitch and the vibrating object,
		volume and the strength of the vibrations, and distance from
		source.
		Knows the names of basic electrical components and uses these
		components to construct circuits.
		Can diagnose problems in simple electrical circuits
		Can identify materials as conductors or insulators using this
		understanding to make switches that control components in
		series circuits.
Computing	1. understands the need for computer programs to be	1. using more than one programming application:.
o o m ip oto mig	sequenced.	Can sequence programs correctly

- 2. explain, in simple term, how a program works.
- 3. understands that if a program does work it needs to be debugged.
- 4. identify some parts of the program need to make the whole.
- 5. identify the inputs and outputs in the programs of others.
- 6. with support is able to use a limited range of software application to produce digital content relevant to topic learning.
- 7. knows how to use search engines to find information and images.
- 8. understands that the internet is a network of computers sharing information.
- 9. identify some uses of the internet: world wide web; skype; email; online gaming.
- 10. is aware that the internet can be dangerous.
- 11. identify the ways they use the internet
- 12. understands that they need to be safe when they use the internet.

- Can explain how their programs and the programs of others work
- Can identify and fix bugs in their programs
- 2. understands that more complex programs need to be broken into smaller sections, each with own goals
- 3. write programs using inputs and outputs
- 4. use selection and repetition statements where appropriate to make the programs concise
- 5. use a range of software applications to produce digital content to support topic learning, using
- Presentation software;
- Podcast software
- Digital Image Software
- Animation Software
- Animation Software
- 6. use a range of search engines to find required information by identifying key words.
- 7. understands why results are ranked and ordered
- 8. understands that information on the internet may not be

		true
		9. understands what the internet and the world wide web are
		and the differences between them.
		10. understand how web-pages are creates and can modify
		text and images on existing pages.
		11. describe how they make use of online technologies and the
		associated potential dangers.
		12. explain measures they can take to keep themselves safe
		online.
		13. identify what to do if the feel unsafe online
Art	1. Gather and review information, references and resources	1. Select and use relevant resources and references to develop
	related to their ideas and intentions.	their ideas.
	2. Use a sketchbook for different purposes, including recording	2. Use sketchbooks, and drawing, purposefully to improve
	observations, planning and shaping ideas.	understanding, inform ideas and plan for an outcome. (for
	3. Develop practical skills by experimenting with, and testing	instance, sketchbooks will show several different versions of an
	the qualities of a range of different materials and techniques.	idea and how research has led to improvements in their
	4. Select, and use appropriately, a variety of materials and	proposed outcome.)
	techniques in order to create their own work.	3. Investigate the nature and qualities of different materials

- 5. Take the time to reflect upon what they like and dislike about their work in order to improve it (for instance they think carefully before explaining to their teacher what they like and what they will do next).
- 6. About and describe the work of some artists, craftspeople, architects and designers.
- 7. Be able to explain how to use some of the tools and techniques they have chosen to work with.

and processes systematically.

- 4. Apply the technical skills they are learning to improve the quality of their work. (for instance, in painting they select and use different brushes for different purposes).
- 5. Regularly reflect upon their own work, and use comparisons with the work of others (pupils and artists) to identify how to improve.
- 6. Know about and describe some of the key ideas, techniques and working practices of a variety of artists, craftspeople, architects and designers that they have studied.
- 7. Know about, and be able to demonstrate, how tools they have chosen to work with, should be used effectively and with safety.

Design and

Technology

- 1. With support, gather information about needs and wants, and develop design criteria with guidance to inform the design of products that are fit for purpose, aimed at particular individuals or groups
- 2. With guidance, generate, develop, model and communicate ideas through discussion and, as appropriate, annotated
- 1. Gather information about needs and wants, and develop design criteria to inform the design of products that are fit for purpose, aimed at particular individuals or groups
- 2. Generate, develop, model and communicate realistic ideas through discussion and, as appropriate, annotated sketches, cross-sectional and exploded diagrams

sketches and exploded diagrams

- 3. With support, order the main stages of making
- 4. With support, use tools and equipment to cut, shape, join and finish
- 5. Use materials and components, including construction materials and electrical components, according to their functional properties with support
- 6. Investigate and analyse an existing battery powered products with support
- 7. With support, evaluate their ideas and products against a design criteria and identify the strengths and areas for improvement in my work
- 8. Share an understanding of and start to use electrical systems in their products, such as series circuits incorporating switches, bulbs and buzzers
- 9. Begin to apply their understanding of computing to
 program and control their products with guidance
 10. Use some technical vocabulary relevant to the project,
 with prompts if necessary

- 3. Order the main stages of making
- 4. Select from and use tools and equipment to cut, shape, join and finish with some accuracy
- 5. Select from and use materials and components, including construction materials and electrical components according to their functional properties and aesthetic qualities
- 6. Investigate and analyse a range of existing battery powered products
- 7. Evaluate their ideas and products against their own design criteria and identify the strengths and areas for improvement in their work
- 8. Understand and use electrical systems in their products, such as series circuits incorporating switches, bulbs and buzzers
- 9. Apply their understanding of computing to program and control their products
- 10. Know and use technical vocabulary relevant to the project

Music

- 1. copy a rhythmic phrase
- 2. clap the rhythm of a song whilst others tap the pulse
- 3. can tap the metre of songs
- 4. play on beat one in a given metre
- 5. play the metre of a song whilst others play the rhythm
- 6. say and tap eight beat phrase rhythms
- 7. clap two ostinato rhythms simultaneously
- 8. play two ostinatos simultaneously
- 9. sing and play in class
- 10. play as part of an ensemble
- 11.begin to use different tempo and dynamics
- 12. choose the most appropriate way to perform a song
- 13. begin to sing in parts
- 14. create a rhythmic phrase (binary form A B)
- 15. create a simple melodic phrase
- 16. improvise rhythmic phrases of equal lengths in pairs
- 17. work in pairs to structure a piece using two simple musical

ideas

18. create an ostinato to reflect the mood suggested by a

- 1. improvise rhythmic phrases
- 2. clap the rhythm of a song whilst others tap the metre
- 3. tap the metre of songs
- 4. play on beat one in a given metre
- 5. play the metre of a song whilst others play the rhythm
- 6. say and tap eight beat phrase rhythms
- 7. clap two ostinato rhythms simultaneously
- 8. play an ostinato accompaniment to a song
- 9. improvise rhythms in the metre of 3
- 10. play as part of an ensemble with an awareness of what is

happening in the group

- 11. use different tempo and dynamics
- 12. choose the most appropriate way to perform a sing and
- choose appropriate instrumental sounds to accompany a song
- 13. sing in parts
- 14. organise musical phrases in a simple structure (Ternary

Form A B A)

- 15. create a melodic phrase
- 16. create a simple up and down tune

	painting, poem or other external stimuli and structure them	17. create and vary an ostinato to evoke three contrasting
	in an appropriate manner	moods suggested by a stimulus and combine this with
	19. recoginse individual key instruments in a piece of music	accompaniments to structure a continuous piece
	20. play simple tunes by ear	18. pick out key individual instruments in a piece of music
	21. sing parts of a sing from memory	19. play simple tunes by ear
	22. play the tune of a four phrase, five note song moving in	20. sing a song from memory
	step	21. trace the steps of a tine and match it to convention
	23. play the tune of a 8 note song by ear	notation
	24. trace the shape of an 8 note song	22. analyse the phrase structure of a song
	25. identify phrases of a song	23. read and play 4 and 8 beat rhythm notation (crochets,
	26. read and play 4 and 8 beat rhythm notation (crochets,	crochet rest, quavers)
	crochet rest, quavers)	24. read and play pitch notation (Use notation from middle
	27. sing simple melodic phrases from staff notation (3 notes-	note C to High Note C)
	E, G , A)	
PE	1. Sustain physical effort.	1. Sustain physical effort.
L	2. Concentrate for sustained periods of time.	2. Concentrate for sustained periods of time.
	3. Follow instructions relating to the lesson.	3. Follow instructions relating to the lesson.
	4. Stay on task for sustained period of time.	4. Stay on task for sustained period of time.
	5. Work with others.	5. Work with others.

	6.	Evaluate others work.	6.	Evaluate others work and say how to make
	7.	Use a tactic in a game	impr	ovements.
	8.	Decide the best space to be in during a game.	7.	Throw and catch accurately.
	9.	Follow rules	8.	Hit a ball accurately and with control.
	10.	Catch and throw.	9.	Keep possession of a ball.
	11.	Hit a ball with a bat	10.	Use tactics in a game.
	12.	Plan and perform a sequence of movements that follow	11.	Work in a controlled way.
	one r	ule.	12.	Plan and create sequences that show change in speed
	13.	Improve my performance based on feedback.	and a	direction.
	14.	Roll, travel, balance in different ways.	13.	Include a range of shapes in my sequences.
	15.	Change rhythm, speed, level and direction in a dance.	14.	Create a sequence with 3 movements.
	16.	Dance with control and coordination.	15.	Use dance to communicate an idea.
	17.	Make a sequence by linking movements.	16.	Express freely ideas from a stimulus.
	18.	Use a dance to create a mood.	17.	Take a lead when working in a group.
			18.	Repeat, remember and perform phrases with control.
History	1. wi	th support, begin to understand the broad chronology of	1. un	derstand the broad chronology of major events in the U.K
riiscorg	majo	r events in the U.K and some key event in the wider	and s	some key events in the wider world from ancient
	world	l from ancient civilisation to the present day.	civilis	ation to the present day.

2. locate and place the periods of time they have studied on a

2. with support, locate and place the period of time they have

studied on a time line.

- 3. use vocabulary related to the passing of time.
- 4. with support, tell you what they know and understand about the main events, people and changes in the topics they have studied
- Stone age to iron age
- Roman Britain
- Britain's settlers (Anglo Saxons and Scots)
- Greek civilisation
- 5. with support, describe some of the changes that have taken place between the past and the present
- 6. understand that there were reasons for these changes
- 7. speak about some of the different ways in which the past is represented
- 8. ask simple questions about the past using sources of information
- 9. understand that there are different ways that they can show what they know about the past

time line

- 3. use vocabulary related to the passing of time
- 4. tell you what they know and understand about the main events, people and changes in the topics they have studied.
- Stone age to iron age
- Roman Britain
- Britain's settlers (Anglo Saxons and Scots)
- Greek civilisation
- 5. give you a few reasons for and results of changes that took place in the past
- 6. explore different ways in which they can find out about the past.
- 7. work things out from different sources of information to answer questions about the past
- 8. present their knowledge and the information they have found out in different ways
- 9. use historical terms and dates correctly in their work

Geography

- 1. name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans on a map/globe
- 2. name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the UK and its surrounding seas.
- 3. name and locate neighbouring European countries and talk about what the European Union is.
- 4. describe a place in the Northern and Southern hemisphere.
- 5. explain why people may choose to live in one place rather than another.
- 6. describe the features of different locations and talk about similarities and compare them to where you live.
- 7. talk about measures of rainfall and temperature in relation to a place.
- 8. talk about the 4 main points of a compass in relation to a place.

- 1. locate the tropic of Cancer and Capricorn.
- 2. explain the difference between the British Isles, Great Britain and The United Kingdom.
- 3. name the countries that make up the European Union.
- 4. find at least six cities in the UK on a map.
- 5. plan a journey to a place in England
- 6. carry our research to discover features of villages, towns and cities.
- 7. name and locate some of the main islands that surround the United Kingdom.
- 8. name the areas of the origin of the main ethnic groups in the United Kingdom and in our school.
- 9. explain why people may be attracted to live in cities.
- 10. identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern and Southern Hemipshere, Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic zones, GNT and time zones,
- 11. describe the characteristics of the above areas.
- 12. collect and accurately measure information (eg. Rainfall,

		temperature, wind speed, noise levels etc.)
		13. use fieldwork to observe and record the physical/human
		features of the local area, including sketch maps, plans, graphs
		and digital technologies.
		14. use resources to identify the key physical/human features
		of a location.
		15. use the eight points of the compass, four figure grid
		references, symbols and a key to communicate my knowledge
		of the local area, the United Kingdom and the wider world.
Paliaious	1. describe some religious ides from stories	1. show what I know about religious beliefs, ideas and teachings
Religious	2. describe some religious beliefs, teachings and events	2. show what I know about:
Education	3. describe some religious objects	- Religious objects and how they are used
Eaucation	4. describe some religious places	- Religious places and how they are used
	5. describe some religious practices	- Religious people and how they behave within religious
	6. describe the messages or meanings of some religious symbols	practices and life styles
	7. describe my feelings to other people	3. identify religious symbolism in literature and in the arts
	8. know that other people have feelings	4. show that I understand that personal experiences and
	9. talk about how my feelings may be similar to characters in	feelings can influence my attitudes and actions
	religious stories	5. ask questions that have no universally agreed answers

	10. ask a range of questions about puzzling aspects of life	6. explain how shared beliefs about what is right or wrong	
	11. suggest answers including religious ones	affect people's behaviour	
	12. know the effect of actions on others when I am thinking		
	about moral dilemmas		
PSHE	1) Make choices about how to develop healthy lifestyles (for example by knowing the importance of a healthy diet and regular		
7 3772	exercise)		
	2) Identify some factors that affect emotional health and well-b	eing (for example exercise or dealing with emotions)	
	3) Make judgements and decisions and list some ways of resisting	g negative peer pressure around issues affecting their health and	
	wellbeing		
	4) Identify and explain how to manage the risks in different familiar situations (for example discussing issues connected to		
	personal safety)		
	5) Identify positive ways to face new challenges (for example the transition to secondary school)		
	6) Demonstrate that they recognise their own worth and that of others (for example by making positive comments about		
	themselves and classmates)		
	7) Express their views confidently and listen to and show respect for the views of others		
	8) Explain how their actions have consequences for themselves as	nd others	
	9) Describe the nature and consequences of bullying, and can exp	oress ways of responding to it	
	10) Respond to, or challenge, negative behaviours such as stereo	typing and aggression	
	11) Know why and how rules and laws that protect themselves	and others are made and enforced, why different rules are	

	needed in different situations and how to take part in making and changing rules (British values) 12) Know that there are different kinds of responsibilities, rights and duties at home, at school, in the community and towards the environment 13) Talk about a range of jobs, and explain how they will develop skills to work in the future	
	14) Describe some of the different beliefs and values in society, and demonstrate respect and tolerance towards people different	
	from themselves (British values)	
Foreian	1. Pronounce Pinyin with tones clearly	
Foreign	2. Know how to greet people and understand classroom languages	
Language	3. Initiate conversations when working with partners, to introduce themselves and ask questions about others	
Law ig days	4. Pronounce the names of common animals	
	5. Play simple games using animal names	
	6. Know the names of different body parts	
	7. Sing simple songs using body part names	
	8. Know the names of the months and seasons of the year	
	9. Understand traditions for celebrating Chinese New Year	
	10.Use common greetings when chatting with a friend	