St. Philip Neri with St. Bede's Science Overview 2021 – 2022

	Advent 1	Advent 2	Lent 1	Lent 2	Pentecost 1	Pentecost 2
Year 1	Animals Inc Humans Name and identify basic body parts. Senses.	<i>Everyday Materials</i> Distinguish between object and material. Name everyday materials.	Animals Inc Humans Name and identify animals. Type of vertebrates. Carnivore, omnivore, herbivore.	<i>Everyday materials</i> Simple physical properties.	Seasonal Changes Observe change across the four seasons. Describe weather associated with seasons. Day length.	<i>Plants</i> Identify and name common plants. Basic structure of plants. Deciduous/evergreen.
Year 2	Living Things & Their Habitats Living, dead, never been alive. Life cycles. Minibeasts and their habitats. Know that habitats provide basic needs.	Animals Inc. Humans Macrohabitats and animal/plant adaptations. Healthy eating. Basic needs. Exercise and hygiene.	<i>Materials</i> Identify and compare suitability of everyday materials. How shapes of solid objects can be changed: squashing, bend, twist, stretch.		Living Things & Their Habitats Simple food chains, focusing on plant/animal food sources.	<i>Plants</i> How seeds/bulbs mature into plants. Describe what plants need to stay healthy.
Year 3	Plants – water transportation & light Functions of different parts of a plant. Requirements of plants for life and how they vary.	Rocks & Soils Compare and group different rocks based on appearance and physical properties. How fossils are formed Soil is made from rocks.	Forces & Magnets Compare how things move on different surfaces. Know that some forces need contact, others don't. Magnets attract/repel: poles.	Animals Inc Humans Right types and amounts of nutrition: know that we cannot make nutrition. Skeletons, muscles.	Rocks & Soils (+ Water Cycle: Outstanding objectives from Advent) Basics of water cycle. Soil sampling along a river.	Light Dark is absence of light. Light is needed to see. Reflection. Sunlight = dangerous to look at directly. How shadows are formed and change.

Year 4	Living Things & Their Habitats Grouping. Classification keys for identification. Environments can change.	Animals Inc Humans Digestive system. Teeth. Food chains - predator, producer, prey.	States of Matter Solid, liquid, gas. Know that materials change state when heated/cooled. Water Cycle: condensation/evaporation, rate of evaporation related to temperature.	Sound How sound is made: vibrations. How sound travels through medium to ear. Find patterns in pitch and feature of object. Patterns in volume and strength of vibrations Know that sounds gets fainter further from source.		<i>Electricity</i> Identify common appliances that use electricity. Construct simple series circuits. Will the lamp light up? - full loop circuits. Switches open/close circuit. Conductors, insulators.
Year 5	<i>Micro-Organisms</i> Know what micro- organisms. Know that not all micro- organisms are harmful. Louis Pasteur.	Earth & Space Movement of Earth and planets around Sun. Movement of Moon relative to Earth. Know that the Earth/Moon/Sun spherical bodies. Earth's rotation to explain day length and movement across the sky.	Properties of Materials Group materials based on properties. Dissolving (recovery and reversibility). How to separate mixtures. Some changes result in a new material.	Animals Inc. Humans Development and changes to humans from baby to elderly.	Living Things and their Habitats Differences in life cycle between insect, bird, mammal, amphibian. Reproduction.	Forces Gravity. Effect of water / air resistance. Friction- act between moving surfaces.
Year 6	Animals Inc Humans Circulatory system. Impact of diet/exercise/drugs. Transportation of water and nutrients around the human body.		Living Things and their Habitats Classification inc. microorganisms. Reasons for classification based on specific characteristics.	Evolution and Inheritance Living things have changed over time. Fossils provide evidence. Living things produce offspring but not identical to parents. How plants animals adapted to suit their environment – adaptations may lead to evolution.	Light Know that light travels in straight lines. Objects are seen because they reflect light to our eyes. Shadows same shape as objects that cast them.	Electricity Associate brightness/volume with voltage. Give reasons for variation in common components. Use recognised symbols when drawing circuits.

Physics

Chemistry