

North Petherton Primary School – Science Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 1	Seasonal changes Naming and describing materials Properties and uses of materials		Seasonal changes Human body and senses Animals (Vertebrates)		Seasonal changes Plants	
Year 2	Choosing materials	Growing up (animals and humans)	Local habitats	Science week	Growing seeds and bulbs Growing healthy plants	
Year 3	Rocks and soils	Forces and magnets	Movement and nutrition for the body	Science week	Flowering plants and plant growth Flowering plant life cycles	Light and shadow
Year 4	Changes of state	Digestion and food chains Human impact on the environment	Electricity	Science week	Classification of plants and animals	Sound
Year 5	Forces and mechanisms	Properties and uses of materials Separating mixtures and changing materials	Earth and space	Science week	Plant and animal life cycles	Human growth
Year 6	Animal circulation Body health	Electricity	Evolution and inheritance	Science week	Light	Living things and their habitats