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Autumn Term Why is biodiversity important? Why is energy important? What is climate change?		Spring Term B1 Cell Biology C1 Atomic structure and periodic table		Summer Term C1 Atomic structure and periodic table P1 Energy Practical skills	
What is climate change? Key knowledge: • Food chains • Food webs • Bioaccumulation • Predator/Prey relationships and adaptations • Biodiversity and ecosystems • Flowering plants • Pollination and pollinators • Food security • Particle model • Energy and temperature • Conduction • Convection • Work done • Pulleys and levers • Generating electricity • Energy in the home • Finite and infinite resources • Composition and evolution of Earth's atmosphere • Carbon cycle • Deforestation • Carbon footprints • Greenhouse effect and global warming		Key knowledge: B1: Cell biology Please refer to specification from AQA https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/resources/science/specifications/AQA-8464-SP-2016.PDF C1: Atomic structure and periodic table Please refer to the specification from AQA https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/resources/science/specifications/AQA-8464-SP-2016.PDF C1: Atomic structure and periodic table Please refer to the specification from AQA https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/resources/science/specifications/AQA-8464-SP-2016.PDF		Practical skills Key Knowledge: C1: Atomic structure and periodic table Please refer to the specification from AQA https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/resources/science/specifications/AQA- 8464-SP-2016.PDF P1: Energy Please refer to the specification from AQA https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/resources/science/specifications/AQA- 8464-SP-2016.PDF	
Recycling Pupils will be able to: Use food webs to determine the effect upon an ecosystem if there is a change. Observe how energy is transferred within systems, and discuss the effect on the Environment by emitting greenhouse gases.	Key Vocabulary: Abiotic, biotic, ecosystem, biome, habitat, trophic level, consumer, omnivore, carnivore, herbivore, conduction, convection, insulation, finite and infinite, enhanced greenhouse effect, greenhouse gas, displacement.	Pupils will be able to: Explore how structural differences between cells enables them to perform specific functions. Leading to stem cell research. Be able to discuss the development of the periodic table and how atoms are arranged within it.	Key Vocabulary: prokaryotic and eukaryotic, mitosis and meiosis, chromosomes, differentiated and undifferentiated cells, proton neutron, electron, nucleus, atom, ion, isotope.	Pupils will be able to: Understand how energy is transferred, and discuss Energy stores and systems.	Key Vocabulary: energy store and system, work, current, joules, newtons, gravitational field strength, power, efficiency, finite and infinite.
Assessment: 1. Food chains and webs, adaptations of predator and prey. 2. VESNU conduction and convection 3. Evolution of the atmosphere, analysing data. Enrichment Opportunities: <u>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/levels/z4kw2hv</u>		Assessment: 5. Cell specialisation 6. Chromatography 7. Structure of the atom Enrichment Opportunities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/levels/z98jmp3 https://www.physicsandmathstutor.com/		Assessment: 8. Periodic table 9. VESNU - kinetic energy, gravitational field strength, elastic potential, change in thermal energy, power Enrichment Opportunities: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/levels/z98jmp3 https://www.physicsandmathstutor.com/	