## <u>Our Learning Leaves Curriculum – Science</u>

## Required prior knowledge Knowledge to be explicitly taught How knowledge will be built upon Use their senses in hands on exploration of Animals including humans need food to survive Humans are made of many different body parts including head, Substantive knowledge natural materials KDG neck, back, ears, eyes, nose, mouth, arms, shoulders, elbows, Year 2 Describe what they see, hear, feel whilst outside hands, fingers, knees, legs, feet, toes, face. Humans need to eat a healthy and balanced Humans have five senses, smell, taste, touch, sight and hearing diet Year 2 Naming body parts The five senses are each associated with different body parts (nose, eyes, ears, skin, tongue) Humans have skeletons to protect vital organs Making a human body using 'Make do' and to support the body against the pull of gravity to enable us to move. Year 3 The similarities between human and animal skeletons Year 3 Draw a diagram, a simple scientific drawing that Draw a scientific diagram, labelling key human body parts. Gather information from images and/or text and Disciplinary knowledge explains or informs (EYFS) group animals into those that change form as Draw a scientific diagram labelling the senses associated with they grow and those that do not. Year 2 different senses. Use senses to identify different substances.

## Year 1: Autumn 1/2: Humans Our Learning Leaves Curriculum – Science

**Culture and Diversity** - which helps pupils to develop enquiring minds about the wider world – using examples of different body types, ethnicities and abilities Humans live in different environments around the world, eating different foods and this can be affected by climate and other environmental factors.

- Scientists' values and beliefs are influenced by the larger culture in which they live. Such personal views can, in turn, influence. Expose the children to human diversity related to race, culture, ability, gender and relationship preferences.
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- Scientific activities are social activities, so scientific culture is the product of humans' or particular groups of humans' activities. The thinking patterns, values, behavioural norms and traditions of science formed in its history reflect its cultural connotation.
- PSTT 'A Scientist Just Like Me' <a href="https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum-materials/ASJLM">https://pstt.org.uk/resources/curriculum-materials/ASJLM</a> Case studies of different scientists from diverse and under-represented backgrounds.

Environment and Community - which helps to instil in our pupils a respect for our environment and for our local and wider

- Our environment can affect our ability to find healthy food and find space to exercise
- Living Eggs
- British Science Week
- Cheltenham Science Festival
- Outside speakers
- Fitness Fortnight
- Eco School
- School community reminders
- RESPECT characters reminders
- Children to appreciate our communities values, similarities and our unique qualities that make us special.

Creative arts and physical development - which helps our pupils to express themselves and excel as holistic learners.

- links to PE curriculum
- Scientists have to use their imagination to come up with explanations, theories and predictions.
- Scientists have to use their prior and new knowledge to create links.

Learning to learn - which helps pupils to concentrate and focus and build resilience as learners -

- Trial and error/ experimentation
- Pattern seeking, Identifying and classifying, Using secondary resources
- Respect characters model learning behaviours to develop resilience and perseverance.
- Respect characters model excellence in attitudes to learning.