



## MATERIALS (CHEMISTRY)

Statements in <i>red</i> are linked from other topics									
Progression in Scientific knowledge, concepts & skills	EYFS (Early Learning Goals)	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4 (States of Matter)	Year 5	Year 6	K53	
Concepts Structure Function Cause and effect Similarity and Difference Working Scientifically	Children know about similarities and difference in relation to places, objects, materials and living things.  Children talk about features of their own immediate environment and how environments might vary from one	Identify and name a variety of everyday materials (wood, plastic, glass, metal, water and rock)  Distinguish between an object and the materials from which it is made  Describe physical properties of everyday	Know the uses of different everyday materials (wood, metal, plastic, glass, rock, brick, paper, cardboard)  Classify and group materials based on their suitability for particular uses  Find out how solid objects	Compare and group together different kinds of rocks on the basis of their appearance and simple physical properties  Describe in simple terms how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped	Compare and group materials according to whether they are solids, liquids or gases  Know that some materials change state (heating and cooling; no baking)  Identify the part played by evaporation	Compare and group everyday materials based on their properties including their hardness, solubility, transparency, conductivity (electrical and thermal) and response to magnets  Know that some materials will dissolve in liquid to form a solution and describe how to		Chemical reactions as the rearrangement of atoms  Representing chemical reactions using formulae and using equations  Combustion, thermal decomposition, oxidation and displacement reactions  Defining acids and alkalis in terms of	
	another Children	materials  Compare and	can be changed by squashing,	within rock (Rocks)	and condensation in the water	recover a substance from a solution		neutralisation reactions	



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make	group	bending,	Notice that	cycle		The pH scale for
observations	together	twisting and	some forces		Use knowledge	measuring
of animals	everyday	stretching	need contact		of solids, liquids	acidity/alkalinity;
and plants	materials on		between two		and gases to	and indicators.
and explain	the basis of		objects, but		decide how	
why some	their simple		magnetic		mixtures might	
things occur	physical		forces can		be separated	
and talk	properties		act at a		including through	
about			distance		filtering, sieving	
changes			(Forces and		and evaporating.	
			Magnets)			
					Give reasons,	
					based on	
					evidence from	
					comparative and	
					fair tests, for	
					the particular	
					uses of everyday	
					materials,	
					including metals,	
					wood and plastic	
					Demonstrate	
					that dissolving,	
					mixing and	
					changes of state	
					are reversible	
					changes	
					Explain that	
					some changes	
					result in the	



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				formation of new materials, and that this kind of change is not usually reversible, including changes associated with burning and the action of acid on bicarbonate of soda	
Possible Learning Challenge Questions	Which materials should the Three Little Pigs have used to build their house?	What is our school made from?  Can materials be changed?	How would we survive without water?	Is it gone forever?	