St. James' Church of England Primary Academy

SCIENCE OVERVIEW

2026/2027

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Year 1	Everyday materials and seasons	Everyday materials and seasons	Animals including humans and seasons	Animals including humans and seasons	Plants and seasons	Plants and seasons
Year 2	Uses of everyday materials	Animals including humans (1)	Animals including humans	Living things and their habitats	Seasons (1)	Plants
Year 3	Rocks	Light	Plants	Plants and animals including humans (2)	Animals including humans	Forces and magnets
Year 4	Rocks	Light	Plants	Plants and animals including humans (3)	Animals including humans	Forces and magnets
Year 5	Animals Including humans	Living things and their habitats	Forces and magnets (3)	Forces States of matter (4)	Properties and changes of materials	Earth and space
Year 6	Animals including humans	Living things and their habitats	Forces and magnets (3)	Forces States of matter (4)	Properties and changes of materials	Earth and space