PENTECOST TERM 2 SCIENCE – Year 3 - Medium Term Planning – PHYSICS: LIGHT AND SHADOWS				
LESSON 1	LESSON 2	LESSON 3		
 LEARNING INTENTION: To know that dark is the absence of light and we need light to be able to see. To know that a light source produces light and a reflector reflects light. Disciplinary Knowledge: Ask simple, relevant questions and use scientific enquiries to answer them. Aim: Develop scientific knowledge and conceptual understanding through the specific discipline of physics. 	 LEARNING INTENTION: To know that some materials are reflective and others non-reflective. Disciplinary Knowledge: Set up simple practical enquiries, comparative and fair tests, with support. Gather, record, classify and present data in a variety of ways. Aim: Develop understanding of the nature, processes and methods of science through different types of science enquiries that help them to answer scientific questions about the world around them. 	 LEARNING INTENTION: To know that the light from the Sun is dangerous. Disciplinary Knowledge: Recognise that light from the sun can be dangerous and that there are ways to protect their eyes. Aim: Be equipped with the scientific knowledge required to understand the uses and implications of science, today and for the future. 		
Key Vocabulary: light source, reflector, reflect, natural, artificial, produce, bounce	Key Vocabulary: source, reflect, reflector, reflective, non- reflective, material, image, rough, dull, shiny, smooth	Key Vocabulary: light rays, ultra-violet, dangerous, harmful, protection, vision, skin, invisible		
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 Child: Dark is the absence of light and we need light to be able to see. A light source is something that produces light. A reflector is an object that reflects light from a light source. Teacher: Light is a form of energy that travels in straight lines. Some light sources are natural, like the Sur or a firefly. The Sun is the main natural source of light on Earth. Some light sources are artificial, like a torch or a light bulb. Artificial light sources are made by people They do not produce their own light. 	 Some materials are reflective, such as metals or smooth plastics, because they reflect light When they reflect light from a light source, reflective materials can appear lit up or show a reflected image. 	 There are five ways people can protect themselves from UV light. Protection from the Sun includes sun cream, sun hats, sunglasses and staying indoors or in the shade.

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LESSON 4	LESSON 5	LESSON 6		
LEARNING INTENTION: To know that a shadow is made when an object blocks the passage of light from a light source.	LEARNING INTENTION: To know that different objects cast different shadows. Disciplinary Knowledge:	 LEARNING INTENTION: To know that shadows can change. Disciplinary Knowledge: Report on findings from enquiries, 		
 Disciplinary Knowledge: Make careful observations and, where appropriate, take measurements using standard units, using a range of equipment. Record findings using simple scientific language, drawings, labelled diagrams and tables. 	 Set up simple practical enquiries, comparative and fair tests, with support. Identify changes that relate to simple scientific ideas, when prompted. Report on findings from enquiries, including oral and written 	Aim: Develop understanding of the nature, processe and methods of science through different types of science enquiries that help them to answer scientific questions about the world around them.		
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Key Vocabulary: shadow, cast, straight, block, shape, light source, opaque, object		Key Vocabulary: light source, change , cast, shadow, high, low		

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 Child: When an opaque object is placed in front of a light source, it prevents the light from passing through. This absence of light creates a dark shape on the surface behind it. Teacher: A shadow is made when an object blocks the passage of light from a light source. Shadows always appear on the opposite side of the light source. A shadow is the same shape as the object 	 Different objects cast different shadows due to how much light the object lets pass through. Transparent objects cast very light shadows. Opaque objects cast dark shadows. Translucent objects cast light, blurry shadows. Teacher: Transparent materials let most of the light pass through. Translucent materials allow some light to pass through. 	source moves.