

## Science Overview - Reception

(Adapted from Development Matters)

Our bodies	Our world	Our health	The Characteristics of effective learning
<p>Name and describe people who are familiar to them</p> <p>Describe what they see, hear and feel</p>	<p>Explore the natural world around them making observations and drawing pictures of animals and plants</p> <p>Describe their immediate environment using knowledge from observation and discussion</p> <p>Recognise that some environments are different to the ones they live in</p> <p>Understand the effect of changing seasons</p>	<p>Healthy eating</p> <p>Toothbrushing</p> <p>Sleep routines</p> <p>(Manage their own needs e.g. Personal hygiene)</p>	<p>Make independent choices.</p> <p>Accessing materials and tools.</p> <p>Collaborate and learn alongside peers.</p> <p>Engage in large-scale projects that may continue over several days.</p> <p>Sorting materials.</p> <p>Use pretend play to think beyond the here and now.</p> <p>Know more, so feel confident about coming up with their own ideas.</p> <p>Make links between ideas.</p> <p>Begin to correct their mistakes themselves. For example, instead of using increasing force to push a puzzle piece into the slot, they try another piece to see if it will fit.</p>