



# St Cuthbert's Catholic Primary School

## Science Overview 2025 - 2026

### Year 1

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14	Week 15
Autumn		The Human Body						<b>Seasonal Changes (Autumn)</b>	Materials <i>Stephanie Kwolek (USA)†</i>						Seasonal Changes (Winter)
Spring	Planting A		Animals <i>Dr Jane Goodall (UK)†</i>				Animals		Seasonal Changes (Spring)		Planting B				
Summer	Planting B	Plants <i>Stefano Mancuso (Italy)</i>				Plants	Planting C		Seasonal Changes (Summer)		Consolidation				



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### Year 2

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14	Week 15
Autumn		Animals' needs for survival					Humans							Materials <i>Charles Macintosh (UK)</i> †	
Spring	Plants (Light and Dark)		Living things and their Habitats <i>Wangari Maathai (Africa)</i> †			Living things and their Habitats <i>Wangari Maathai (Africa)</i> †				Plants (Light and Dark)					
Summer	Plants (Bulbs and Seeds) <i>Meg Lowman (USA)</i>		Growing Up		Growing Up			Plants (Bulbs and Seeds) <i>Meg Lowman (USA)</i>		Consolidation					



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Autumn		Skeletons		Movement			Nutrition and Diet <i>Dr Marion Nestle (USA)</i>		Nutrition and Diet <i>Dr Marion Nestle (USA)</i>						Consolidation
Spring		Fossils <i>Mary Anning (UK)†</i>		Soil		Light			Light						
Summer		Plants A			Forces <i>Sir James Dyson (UK)</i>				Magnets		Plants B				



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### Year 4

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Autumn		Group and classify living things		Data Collection A		States of Matter <i>Dr Fabiola Gianotti (Italy)</i>				States of Matter <i>Dr Fabiola Gianotti (Italy)</i>					Consolidation
Spring		Sound			Data Collection B		Electricity <i>Dr Ayanna Howard (USA)</i>								
Summer	Data Collection C		Habitats			The digestive system <i>William Beaumont (USA)†</i>				Food Chains					



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Autumn		Forces <i>Sir Isaac Newton (UK)†</i>		Space		Space							Consolidation		
Spring		Properties of Materials <i>Dr Hayat Sindi (Saudi Arabia)</i>	Animals including Humans		Animals including Humans					Life Cycles					
Summer	Life Cycles	Reproduction A		Reversible and Irreversible Changes <i>Marie Curie (Poland) †</i>					Reproduction B						



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	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14	Week 15
Autumn		Living things and their Habitats <i>Carl Linnaeus (Sweden)†</i>					Electricity					Electricity			
Spring		Light		The Circulatory System <i>Dr Daniel Hale Williams (USA)†</i>		The Circulatory System <i>Dr Daniel Hale Williams (USA)†</i>				Diet, drugs and lifestyle					
Summer	Variation	Adaptations <i>Charles Darwin (UK)†</i>		Adaptations <i>Charles Darwin (UK)†</i>				Fossils <i>Mary Anning (UK)†</i>		Consolidation					