St Philips Science Record of Assessment Year 3

		Year 3			
	Working	Working Towards	Expected	Greater Depth	Proportion/
	Below (<25%)	(25%-49%)	(50-74%)	(76%>)	percentage
Working scientifically					Autumn
 asking relevant questions and 					
using different types of					Working Below
scientific enquiries to answer					%
them					Working
setting up simple practical					Towards%
enquiries, comparative and					
fair tests					Expected%
making systematic and					Greater Depth
careful observations and,					%
where appropriate, taking					
accurate measurements using					Spring
standard units, using a range					Spring
of equipment, including					Working Below
thermometers and data					%
loggers					Marking
 gathering, recording, 					Working Towards%
classifying and presenting					
data in a variety of ways to					Expected%
help in answering questions					Greater Depth
 recording findings using 					%
simple scientific language,					
drawings, labelled diagrams,					<u> </u>
keys, bar charts, and tables					Summer
 reporting on findings from 					Working Below
enquiries, including oral and					%
written explanations, displays					
or presentations of results					Working Towards%
and conclusions					10warus
 using results to draw simple 					Expected%
conclusions, make predictions					Croster Donth
for new values, suggest					Greater Depth%
improvements and raise					
further questions					
• identifying differences,					
similarities or changes related					
to simple scientific ideas and					
processes					
using straightforward					
scientific evidence to answer					
questions or to support their					
findings.					

Plants			
 identify and describe the 			
functions of different parts of			Working Below
flowering plants: roots,			%
stem/trunk, leaves and			
flowers			Working
explore the requirements of			Towards%
plants for life and growth (air,			
light, water, nutrients from			Expected%
soil, and room to grow) and			
how they vary from plant to			
plant			Greater Depth
 investigate the way in which 			%
water is transported within			
plants			
explore the part that flowers			
play in the life cycle of			
flowering plants, including			
pollination, seed formation			
and seed dispersal			
Animals, including humans			
• identify that animals,			
including humans, need the right types and amount of			Working Below
nutrition, and that they			%
cannot make their own food;			
they get nutrition from what			Working
they eat			Towards%
• identify that humans and			
some other animals have			Expected%
skeletons and muscles for			
support, protection and			
movement			Greater Depth
			%
Rocks			
• compare and group together			
different kinds of rocks on the			Working Below
basis of their appearance and			%
simple physical properties			
• describe in simple terms how			Working
fossils are formed when			Towards%
things that have lived are			
trapped within rock			Formanta d. 04
• recognise that soils are made			Expected%
from rocks and organic			
matter			
			Greater Depth %

Light				
Pupils should be taught to:				
recognise that they need light				Working Below%
in order to see things and				/0
that dark is the absence of				
lightnotice that light is reflected				Working Towards%
from surfaces				
recognise that light from the				Expected %
sun can be dangerous and				Expected%
that there are ways to protect				
their eyes				Greater Depth
 recognise that shadows are 				%
formed when the light from a				
light source is blocked by a				
solid object • find patterns in the way that				
the size of shadows change				
the size of shadows change				
Forces and magnets				
• compare how things move on				
different surfaces				Working Below
• notice that some forces need				%
contact between 2 objects,				
but magnetic forces can act				Working Towards%
at a distanceobserve how magnets attract				10ward3/0
or repel each other and				Francisco O/
attract some materials and				Expected%
not others				
 compare and group together 				Greater Depth
a variety of everyday				%
materials on the basis of				
whether they are attracted to a magnet, and identify some				
magnetic materials				
 describe magnets as having 2 				
poles				
 predict whether 2 magnets 				
will attract or repel each				
other, depending on which				
poles are facing				
Note the addition of aspects cove	ered, especially on	es from Y4		
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