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## Overview

 Yuhua

 Primary School

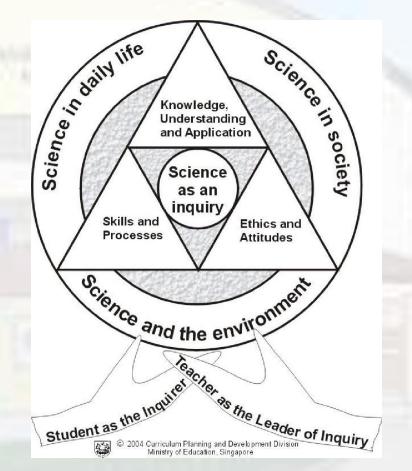
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# **Science Curriculum**





- The science curriculum seeks to nurture the student as an inquirer.
- Incorporate Inquiry Based Approach
- Seek balance between content knowledge and application to real world



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Knowledge, Understanding and Application	Skills and Processes	Ethics and Attitudes	
<ul> <li>Scientific phenomena, facts, concepts and principles</li> <li>Scientific vocabulary, terminology and conventions</li> <li>Scientific instruments and apparatus including techniques and aspects of safety</li> <li>Scientific and technological applications</li> </ul>	Skills•Observing•Comparing•Classifying•Using apparatus and equipment•Communicating•Inferring•Formulating hypothesis•Formulating possibilities•Predicting•Generating possibilities•EvaluatingProcessesCreative problem solving•Decision-making•Investigation	<ul> <li>Curiosity</li> <li>Creativity</li> <li>Integrity</li> <li>Objectivity</li> <li>Open-mindedness</li> <li>Perseverance</li> <li>Responsibility</li> </ul>	Primary S



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#### Science Syllabus (2023)

Levels	P3	P4	P5	P6
Themes	Diversity .	Cycles . Syste	ms . Interactio	ns . Energy
Topics	<ul> <li>Diversity of living and non-living things (General</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Cycles in matter and water (Matter)</li> </ul>	Cycles in matter and water (Water)	Energy forms and uses (Photosynthesis)
	characteristics and classification)	<ul> <li>Human system (Digestive system)</li> </ul>	Cycles in plants and animals	Energy conversion
	Diversity of materials	<ul> <li>Plant system (Plant parts and functions)</li> </ul>	<ul><li>(Reproduction)</li><li>Plant system</li></ul>	Interaction of forces     (Frictional force,     gravitational force,
	<ul> <li>Cycles in plants and animals (Life cycles)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Energy forms and uses (Light)</li> </ul>	<ul><li>(Respiratory and circulatory systems)</li><li>Human system</li></ul>	<ul> <li>elastic spring force)</li> <li>Interactions within</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Interaction of forces (Magnets)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Energy forms and uses (Heat)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(Respiratory and circulatory systems)</li> <li>Electrical system</li> </ul>	th <mark>e</mark> environment



#### Yuhua Primary School Primary 3 Science Assessment Plan 2025 (Aligned with 2023 Syllabus)



Primary School

Term 1 Term 2 Term 3 Term 4 Assessment **Topical Review** Science Gardening Programme Science Gardening **Topical Review Diversity of Materials** Programme Diversity of Living **Topical Review** and Non-living Formative Life Cycles of Plants Properties of Magnets things Assessment Life Cycles of Animals -Classification of Making and Using Magnets (Non-Living Things weighted) Term 2 Review Test Term 3 Review Test End-of-Year Exam Week 7 (5 – 9 May) Week 7 - 8 (15 - 20 Aug) Week 6 (24 Oct) (30 marks, 45 min) (30 marks, 45 min) (80 marks, 1h 30 min) Written Assessment: Written Assessment: Written Assessment: Multiple Choice and May include video stimulus, specimen-Multiple Choice and Summative Structured Questions Structured Questions based questions Assessment Topics to be assessed Topics to be assessed Topics to be assessed (Weighted) Diversity of Living and Diversity of Living and Non-Living -All the topics covered in Total: 100% Non-Living Things Things P3. Classification of Living Things Classification of Living Things -Life Cycles of Plants **Diversity of Materials** Life Cycles of Animals 15% 15% 70%



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### Learning of Science



#### P3s in action!

Learning about diversity of living things and making observations



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## Home Support

#### <u>Strategy 1</u> Relate Science concepts to applications in daily life



What are examples of insects which you can see in the garden?



differences between nonflowering and flowering plants?

What are the



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How are magnets

used in our daily lives?

## Home Support

#### <u>Strategy 2</u> Encourage your child to predict, observe and explain.



What do you observe when the like poles of magnets are placed facing each other?





What do you think will happen to the iron rod if I place a magnet near it?

> Why do you predict this would happen after placing the iron rod near the magnet?



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### **Textbooks and Resources**

(1) Keep all Science textbooks, workbooks and worksheets until P6. All topics from P3 to P6 are included in PSLE.

(2) When your child is in Primary 4 next year, all P3 and P4 topics are included in the End of Year Examination.







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