## **BEXLEY PUBLIC SCHOOL SCIENCE OVERVIEW**

	ODD YEAR				EVEN YEAR			
TERM	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
Early Stage 1 every year Stage 1	Natural Environment - Observing the seasons, day/night using their senses - Basic needs of living things  Material World (NE & ME) - Everyday materials can be changed and combined for a particular purpose	Made Environment - Familiar products, places and spaces are made to suit the purpose  Earth and Space (NE) - Changes in the sky and landscape - Using science to care for the environment and Earth's resources	Natural Environment - Movement of objects  Living World (NE) - Features of living things - Environments for living things	Natural and Made Environment - Objects are made of materials with different properties  Products (ME) - Purpose and design of locally manufactured products	Material World (NE & ME) - Relationship between properties of common materials and their use	Built Environments (ME) - Design and purpose of places in local environment	Physical World (NE) - Sources of light and sound - Push/pull forces	Information (ME) - Design and purpose of information, communication and technology sources
Stage 2	Material World (NE & ME) - Changing states of matter by adding and removing heat	Earth and Space (NE) - Changes to Earth's surface over time - Sun/Earth relationship	Living World (NE)  - Life cycles, features of living and non-living things for basic grouping  - Scientific ways to assist human impact on the environment and survival	Products (ME) - Design, production and use of products by humans	Material World (NE & ME) - Physical properties of natural and processed materials and how they determine their use	Built Environments (ME) - Human interaction within built environments and factors considered in design and construction	Physical World (NE)  - Heat and transfer of heat  - Interactions between contact and non-contact forces	Information (ME) - Designing information solutions to address the need of humans
Stage 3	Material World (NE & ME) - Properties of solid, liquids, gases and reversible and irreversible changes	Earth and Space (NE)  - The Solar system and discoveries from different cultures - Rapid changes at the Earth's surface by natural events	Living World (NE)  - Adaptations of living things for survival  - Environmental conditions that affect survival	Products (ME) - Systems to manufacture products - Social and environmental influences on product design	Material World (NE & ME) - Properties of materials and how they determine their use for specific purposes	Built Environments (ME) - Social and economic factors that influence built environments	Physical World (NE) - Electricity sources, transfer, transformation and use - Transfer of light to solve everyday problems	Information (ME) - Social influences impact on the design and use of ICT
All stages	Working Scientifically Working Technologically				Working Scientifically Working Technologically			

**KEY: NE = Natural Environment** 

**ME = Made Environment**