

Children at the heart of our unique community becoming aspirational, reflective and independent learners for life

Topic:	Skills and Knowledge		Key Vocabulary
Forces	 Magnets Describe magnets as having two poles. Predict whether two magnets will attract or repel each other, depending on which poles are facing. Forces Explain that unsupported objects fall towards the Earth because of the force of gravity acting between the Earth and the falling object. Identify the effect of drag forces, such as air resistance, water resistance and friction that act between moving surfaces. Describe, in terms of drag forces, why moving objects that are not driven tend to slow down. Understand that force and motion can be transferred through mechanical devices such as gears, pulleys, levers and springs. Understand that some mechanisms including levers, pulleys and gears, allow a smaller force to have a greater effect. Ongoing Plan enquiries, including recognising and controlling variables where necessary. Use appropriate techniques, apparatus, and materials during fieldwork and laboratory work. Record data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams and labels, classification keys, tables, bar and line graphs, and models. Report findings from enquiries, including oral and written explanations of results, explanations involving causal relationships, and conclusions. 		Force, push, pull, gravity, air-resistance, magnetism, water-resistance, friction; lever, pulley, gear, Newton, Newton Meter, drag; fair test, variable, predict, conclusion.
Subject:	Duration		Celebration:
Science	2 weeks		Drama session: losing Forces.
Things to support learning at home: Focus Value/Learning		g Power:	
Talk about forces in everyday life, e.g. supermarket trolleys, tin- openers, etc. Discuss the direction the forces are acting. Curiosity: asking questions and investigation of the forces are acting.			stigating answers.

Justice: make links about forces having equal but opposite
reactions, and link with justice.