



Year 8 Science Learning Programme 5

The LORIC skill focus for his LP is: COMMUNICATION.	Literacy:
The Moral Virtues focus for this LP are: COURAGE and HUMILITY.	 Capital letters must be used at the start
Courage - Acting with bravery and overcoming fears.	of sentences and for the first letter of
Humility - Having a modest view of oneself.	proper nouns
, ,	Full stops must be used at the end of a
What will I be learning about in this Learning Programme?	sentence
To understand what a wave is, how sound and light travel by waves and the different properties of light waves.	 Question marks must be used at the
	end of a question
	 Apostrophes should only be used for
Where have I seen this learning before?	possession or omission
Light and properties of light waves in KS2. Sound waves in KS2 and year 7.	 Days of the week and months must be
	spelled correctly
	 Key words must be spelled correctly
What could I use it for?	
GCSE physics, A-level physics and BTEC applied science.	

how to use some sampling techniques; how to use quadrants to investigate samp how to identify patterns in observations f	oles on a field; rom wave experiments and compare the properties of waves and their features.	Amplitude	Learn spellings
In LP5.2, I will know:	19/05/25 - (WK 2)	Key Vocabulary	Homework
that transverse waves can be reflected by	observing waves;		
to describe sound as the transfer of energ	y through vibrations and explain why sound cannot travel through a vacuum;		Learn definitions
how to complete an investigation on how	sound travels using string phones.	Longitudinal	
LP5 RLW, I will:	02/06/25 - (WK 1)		
			Revise using the techniques learned

In LP5.3, I will know:

how to use frequency and wavelength to CALCULATE wave speed;
how to describe the relationship between frequency and pitch;
how light will interact with different materials.

review my learning, recalling and applying key knowledge, and focus on closing any gaps in my knowledge.

Knowledge organiser flipper

during learning review week

Extended Task.

how to review the summative assessment;
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10 core questions homework
Reflection

In LP5.5, I will know:

23/06/25 - (WK 2)

Key Vocabulary

how to draw a ray diagram showing how an image is formed in a plane mirror, and complete a practical to demonstrate specular

reflection;

what happens when light is refracted;

Refraction

how to complete a practical to demonstrate the concept of refraction.

Extended literacy task

Frequency

In LP5.6, I will know:

the colours in white light;
that an object's colour determines what wavelength is absorbed or reflected;
why objects appear different colours using ideas of reflection and absorption.

Absorption

10 core questions homework

Extended Task.

in LP5.7, I will know: 07/06/25 - (WK 2) Key Vocabulary Homework
the structures and functions of the human eye;
how a pin hole camera works and how to make one;
some uses and dangers of the electromagnetic spectrum.

Extended exam question
Spectrum

Resources to support learning

Booklet, Knowledge organiser, BBC bitesize, MS TEAMS and KS3 revision resources.

FET Award Challenge for this Learning Programme

Design a practical to investigate the effect of reflected colours of light on different coloured objects. For example, compare what a red object looks like under different colours of light. Explain why.



