

What are we learning
this term?

Lower Key Stage 2
Spring 1 Curriculum 2025 Overview





What is London like?

What is Canterbury like?

What is Thanet Earth and why is it located in the South East?

How does the North East compare to the South East?

What is the United Kingdom? Where is the South East of England?

Is Prudhoe Street busier than Swansfield Park Road?

Geography
London and the South East

Prior Learning
Street survey, What is it like where I live?
Capitals of the UK, Comparison Study

Vocabulary

tally chart, traffic survey, data, bar chart, United Kingdom, England, London, South East, region, Wharf, tourism / tourist, cathedral, climate, weather, Canterbury, cathedral, county, Kent, agriculture, glasshouse, compare,

Science

Living Things and their Habitats

I can group animals and know the difference between vertebrates and invertebrates

I can identify living things and their habitats

I know what deforestation means and the impact on the UK and the rest of the world.

Record, classify and present data and report on findings using written explanations.

I can group and classify plants.

I can collect data to show how many vertebrates and invertebrates are in my local area

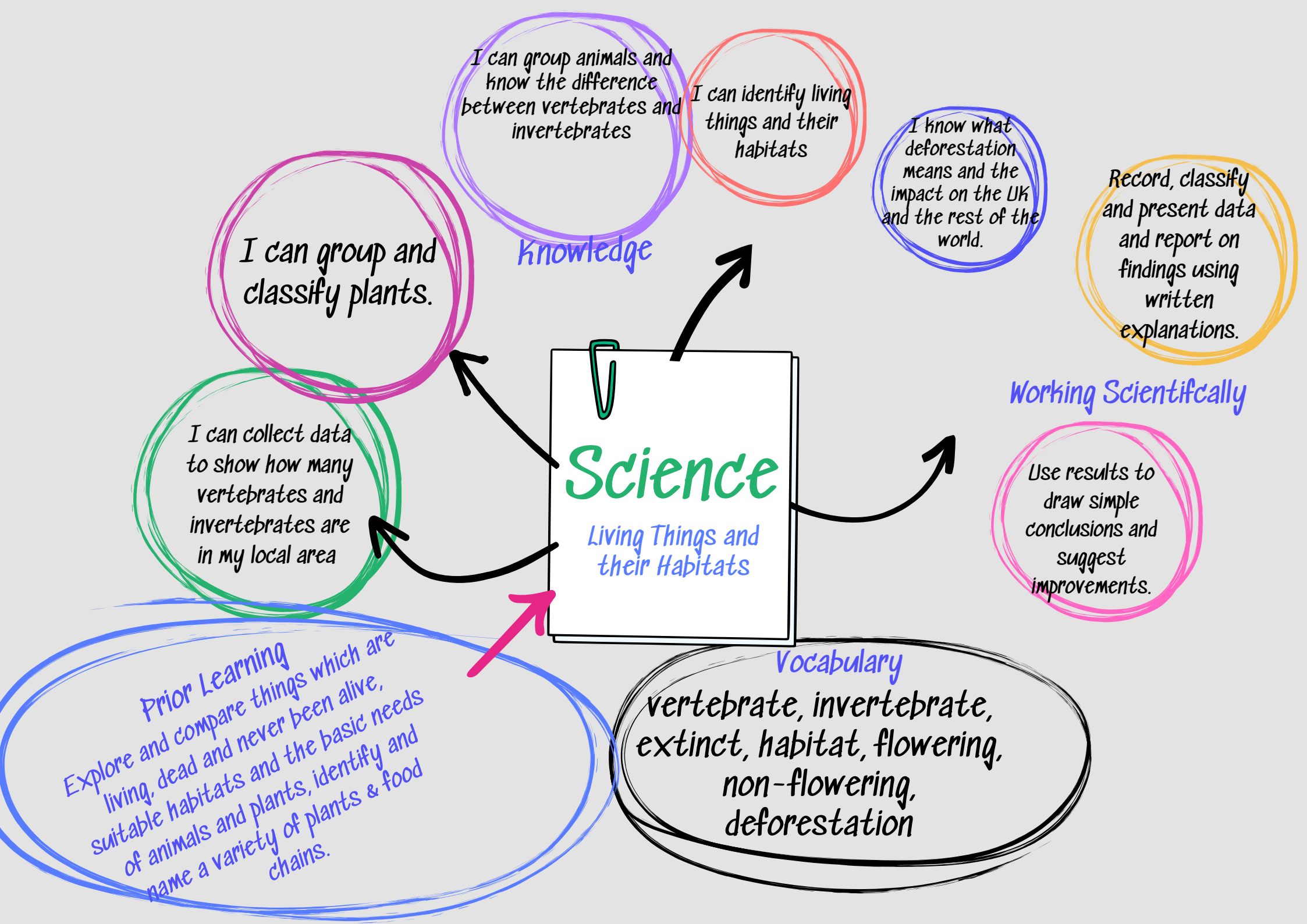
Working Scientifically

Use results to draw simple conclusions and suggest improvements.

Prior Learning
Explore and compare things which are living, dead and never been alive, suitable habitats and the basic needs of animals and plants, identify and name a variety of plants & food chains.

Vocabulary
vertebrate, invertebrate, extinct, habitat, flowering, non-flowering, deforestation

Knowledge



Art and Design

Pointillism: George Seurat

Exploring the artwork of Georges Seurat and the style he became famous for, Pointillism, before creating our own artwork using this technique.

Music

Composing using your imagination

Sharing musical experiences

French

Names of animals and descriptions

PHRSE

(Jigsaw scheme)

Dreams and Goals

R.E.

Islam

How do festivals and worship show what matters to Muslim people?

Computing

Programming and Data Logging
Using Hive Hackers, children will learn about Algorithms, sequencing and debugging

P.E.

Spring 1

Monday - Dance
Tuesday - Football

Prior Learning

Sequencing sentences to form short narratives.
In narratives, creating settings, characters and plot.

Prior Learning

2, 5 & 10 times tables
3, 4 & 8 times tables
Formal multiplication

English

This half-term, we will be enjoying reading 'The Adventures of Alfie Onion' by Vivian French in Maple and Willow classes. Chestnut class will be reading 'Rabbit and Bear, Bear's Bad Habits' by Julian Gough.



Year Three & Four Maths

This half-term we will be learning about:

- Multiplication and division
- Length and perimeter
- Fractions
- Decimals