Physics Curriculum ELC-GCSE	K\$2	KS3	KS4
Energy		<ul> <li>Calculate the cost of using fuel in the home.</li> <li>Identify changes and transfers in energy in a variety of contexts such as heating and simple machines</li> <li>Compare the energy transferred in different situations.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Calculate the energy stored in different objects.</li> <li>Define Power ats the rate or transfer of energy</li> <li>Identify non-renewable and renewable energy sources and their benefits and drawbacks</li> </ul>
Waves	<ul> <li>Identify objects that make sound.</li> <li>Describe properties of sound such as pitch and loudness.</li> <li>Understand that light travels in straight lines</li> <li>Recognise that some objects emit light whilst some reflect light into the eye</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Identify different waves a longitudinal and transverse</li> <li>Explain properties of waves using frequency and amplitude.</li> <li>Describe how waves travel though different materials</li> <li>Describe how waves interact with different materials</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Describe how velocity, frequency and wavelengths of waves are related.</li> <li>Explain how the velocity of waves change when they interact with different media.</li> <li>Describe how waves can be used and</li> </ul>
Forces	<ul> <li>Know forces as push and pull.</li> <li>Compare how objects move on different surfaces.</li> <li>Identify a variety of forces and how they effect the movement of objects</li> <li>.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Calculate the speed of objects</li> <li>Draw force diagrams and identify balanced and unbalanced forces.</li> <li>Define a moment as the turning effect of a force.</li> <li>Describe how forces stretch or compress objects</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Calculate the force acting on an object in one or two dimensions</li> <li>Represent the motion of objects on a graph.</li> <li>Calculate acceleration</li> <li>Describe Hooke's Law for elastic objects</li> </ul>

Magnetism	<ul> <li>Notice that the magnetic force acts at a difference.</li> <li>Observe how magnets interact with some materials but not others</li> <li>Describe magnets as having 2 poles.</li> <li>Predict whether magnets with attract or repel each other</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Describe when magnets will attract or repel.</li> <li>Describe the magnetic field around a bar magnet and electromagnet.</li> <li>Describe how the earth's magnetic field can be used for navigation.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Describe the magnetic fields of permeant and induced magnets.</li> <li>Describe the magnetic effect of current and how it can be enhanced.</li> <li>Describe how transformers are used in the national grid.</li> </ul>