



## Principles of teaching science

We know that good science occurs in our school when:

1. Science is investigative, hands on and triggers the children to ask more questions.
2. We make links between our experiences and other subject areas.
3. Children lead their own learning by asking questions.
4. There are enough readily available resources for all children to engage in practical 'hands on' exploring and experimenting.
5. Science is related to real world examples that the children understand.
6. Children experience science outside the classroom and use the school grounds for investigation.
7. Children explore, engage, enquire and explain
8. Science has the Wow Factor!