Year 5: Science Properties and Changes Of Materials Knowledge Mat

Subject Specific Vocabulary		Mohs Scale	Important knowledge
solubility	Is a chemical property referring to the ability for a given substance, the solute, to dissolve in a solvent.	Mohs Hardness Scale The Mohs scale rates the hardness of minerals by their	☐ I know what reversible and irreversible changes are and give examples of
conductivity	Conductivity defines a material's ability to conduct electricity.	ability to scratch softer minerals. Mineral Hardness Diamond 10 Corundum 9 8.5 Topaz 8 8	them. I can produce my own hardness scale and link the hardness of
transparency	In general, transparency is the quality of being easily seen through	Orthoclase Apatite Calcite Gypsum Talc Ouartz 07 6.5 5.5 5.5 Calcite Gypsum Talc 7 6.5 5.5 Calcite Gypsum Talc 7 6.5 5.5 Copper coin fingernail fingernail	 materials to their use. I can classify materials as transparent, translucent or opaque. I know the terms conductor and insulator and state which types of material make the best ones.
hardness	The quality or condition of being hard.	Separation Processes	I know that some materials will dissolve in liquid to form a solution, and describe how to recover a substance from a solution. I know some of the signs that tell a chemical reaction has occurred.
dissolve	To dissolve is defined as to become broken up or absorbed by something or to disappear into something else.	Sieving	 □ I can classify substances as acids, alkalis or neutral' □ I can separate mixtures through filtering, sieving and evaporating.
acid	A substance with particular chemical properties including turning litmus red, neutralizing alkalis, and dissolving some metals	Sand & Gravel	☐ I know how to record data using a table to present my results. ☐ I know how to take measurements,
alkali	A compound with particular chemical properties including turning litmus blue and neutralizing or effervescing with acids	Filtering	using a range of scientific equipment. I know how to begin to plan different types of scientific enquiries to answer questions, including recognising and controlling variables where necessary
separate	To divide a mixture into two or more distinct substances.	Beaker Containing Mixture	I know how to make my own decisions about what equipment is most suitable.
thermal	Something that is thermal is hot, retains heat, or has a warming effect.	Residue — Filter Paper Funnel	☐ I know how to use scientific diagrams and labels to record data and support my conclusion.
filtering	To filter a substance means to pass it through a device which is designed to remove certain particles contained in it.	Conical Flask	☐ I know how to carry out a scientific enquiry, make accurate observations and report my findings.