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Focus of visit Science visit Post-Ofsted action plan links: LM2 leadership of the curriculum LM3 assessment systems across subjects LM5 development of subject leaders	Classes/staff visited Meeting with Miss Justice, Science Co-ordinator, to discuss priorities in this subject, the plan for Science and the June Science week. .
Summary of activities As above	
What have I learned as a result of my visit? Key priorities are: curriculum progression; staff understanding of the 5 types of scientific enquiry; a whole school approach to assessment in Science. I also learned about the further development of Forest Schools work and that the children now had separate Science books for working in rather than using topic books. We discussed what the priorities were and why and how they would be addressed. This was very useful. Miss Justice also outlined the plans for the June Science week.	
Positive comments about the visit The visit was very informative. Miss Justice has a clear view of the priorities and a plan for addressing the issues. A Science week is planned for June. In addition, Miss Justice (as other co-ordinators) will be compiling a report for the June GB meeting as part of the post-Ofsted action plan.	
Aspects I would like clarified / questions that I have I asked about external support for Science. This is available from Rosemary Feasey (through Newcastle LA), STEM ambassadors and the Catholic network. I also asked how Science is timetabled. It is usually taught as a block of lessons rather than every week.	
Ideas for future visits To review Science week. To look at assessment, attainment and progress in Science.	
Any other comments	