

Year 2 Science





What should I already know?

- Know that we need to wash our hands regularly.
- Know the names of parts of the human body including teeth.
- Know that exercise can make us feel good.

Key Knowledge

- Exercise improves our physical health.
- Exercise improves our mental health.
- Exercising everyday makes your heart stronger.
- A healthy diet includes fruit, vegetables and other healthy food.
- An unhealthy diet is a diet that is high in fat, sugar or salt.
- It is important to eat the right amounts of different types of food.
- Germs can make you unwell.
- Germs can spread easily by unwashed hands.
- You should wash your hands, sneeze into a tissue and have regular baths or showers.
- You should brush your teeth twice a day with a toothbrush, toothpaste and water.
- Plaque can build on your teeth and can damage your teeth and gums.

Key Vocabulary and definitions

Heart	The muscle inside the chest, which pumps blood
	around the body.
Exercise	Physical activity that makes the body strong and
	healthy.
Physical	How well a person's body is working.
health	
Mental health	How a person is feeling inside their mind.
Healthy diet	A diet that includes fruit, vegetables and other
	healthy food.
Unhealthy	A diet that is high in fat, sugar or salt.
diet	
Hygiene	Keeping yourself and your surroundings clean.
Germs	Living things that are too small to be seen by a
	human eye.
Doctor	A person who looks after people when they are
	unwell.
Teeth	The hard structures in the mouth used to bite and
	shew through food.
Plaque	A sticky coating made by germs that can harm the
	teeth and gums.

Heart

Exercise

Healthy diet

Germs





Hygiene



Brush your teeth



Plaque



plaque









