Syllabus for Nature and Science for Children/Környezetismeret tanmenet

3rd graders

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Lessons: 36

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| 1. | INTRODUCTION OF THE NEW BOOK | | Learning the structure of the book; Reading the introduction part; Looking through the contents; Classroom rules, necessary equipment | | |
| 2. | PLANTS LIVING THINGS | also, breathe, change, die, grow, human(s) living things, non-living thing(s), plants, reproduce | Observation of the pictures. Making clear when we say that something is living. Activity part: Page: 6 - 7 | pictures of living and non-living things, pencil, coloured pencils | |
| 3. | In the Garden, in the Field | blackbird, bench, cherry, tree, cockchafer, earthworm, daffodil, field, grass, petunia, starling, wheat, plate | Classifying living things: Plants, Animals, Humans Learning why and how plants, animals and humans need each other. Making and understanding the food cycle. Activity part: Page: 8 -9 | a pencil, illustrations of the course book | |

| 4. | | different, flowering | Observation, examination of the | live flowering plant or | |
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| | PLANTS WITH | plant, hold, leaf (leaves), | different parts of a flowering plant | a picture of it, | |
| | A | root(s), soft stem, Soft | with a soft stem. | illustrations of the | |
| | SOFT STEM | stem plant(s), soil | | course book, a pencil, | |
| | | | Activity part: Page: 10 – 11 | coloured pencils | |

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| 5. | PLANTS WITH A WOODY STEM | branch(es), trunk, canopy, woody stem, woody stem plant(s) | Observation, examination of the different parts of a tree. Classifying plants: Soft and Woody stem plants. Making a fruit calendar. Activity part: Page: 12 - 13 Cutout page A | a picture of a tree, illustrations of the course book, pencil, coloured pencils | |
| 6. | REVISION: PLANTS | | Playful activities (puzzles, guessing games, fill the gaps, etc.) Revision: Page: 17 - 19 | pictures, illustrations of the course book, photocopies | |
| 7. | TEST 1 PLANTS | | | | |

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| 8. | ANIMALS ANIMALS IN THE GARDEN, IN THE FIELD | bone, common vole, domestic, invertebrate, protect, roe deer, small tortoise-shell butterfly, snail, stork, vertebrate, wagon, wild | Classifying animals in different ways: 1. Vertebrate-Invertebrate 2. Wild-Domestic Useful animals: Talking about why animals are useful for people. Activity part: Page: 22 - 23 | a pencil, illustrations of the course book | |
| 9. | VERTEBRATES | bat, belong to, bird(s), catfish, crucian carp, fish, inside, main, mammal(s), pike, shark, skeleton, swallow, whale | Learning about vertebrate animals. Learning what vertebrate means. Grouping vertebrate animals. Activity part: Page: 24 - 25 | illustrations of books, pictures, a pencil, coloured pencils, | |
| 10. | Mammals | both, constant, feed on, fur, lung(s), meat-eater, plant-eater, plant-and meat-eater, suckle, temperature, to be born alive, warm-blooded | Learning about one of the big groups of vertebrate animals: Mammals. Learning their important features. Activity part: Page: 26 - 27 | illustrations of books, pictures of mammals, a pencil, | |

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| 11. | BIRDS | beak, body feather, down feather, feather, female, flight feather, lay eggs, kind of something, tooth, teeth, world | Learning about one of the big groups of vertebrate animals: Birds. Learning their important features. Activity part: Page: 28 - 29 | illustrations of books, different types of feathers, pictures, a pencil, | |
| 12. | Fish | cold-blooded, fin, gill, lay eggs, same, scale, use, usually | Learning about one of the big groups of vertebrate animals: Fish. Learning their important features. Activity part: Page: 30 - 31 | pictures, a pencil, | |
| 13. | Invertebrates | abdoman, dragonfly, grasshopper, insect(s), ladybird, land snail, lay eggs, leech, mollusc(s), muscular, mussel, octopus, segment, slug, thorax, worm(s) | Learning about invertebrate animals. Learning what invertebrate means. Grouping invertebrate animals. Learning some important features of the different groups. Activity part: Page: 32 – 33 | illustrations of books, pictures, a pencil, coloured pencils, | |

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| 14. | REVISION: ANIMALS | | Playful activities (puzzles, guessing games, fill the gaps, etc.) Revision: Page: 37 - 39 | photocopies, pictures, word cards, sentence cards, etc. | |
| 15. | TEST 2 ANIMALS | | | | |
| 16. | BASIC PROCESSES WEATHER AND SEASONS | always, country, countries, coldest, foggy, hottest, lightning, often, sometimes, usually, weather | Talking about weather in the different seasons. Learning weather words, expressions to describe the weather properly. Learning some important frequency adverbs. Activity part: Page: 42 - 43 | weather pictures, illustrations of books, a pencil, coloured pencils, | |
| 17. | WEATHER AND TEMPERATURE | degree, element, figure, measure, important, low(er), scale, shady, temperature, thermometer, windowsill | Measuring and comparing temperature in different places. Observing how a thermometer works. Learning to read temperatures on thermometers. Activity part: Page: 44 - 45 | thermometers, a pencil | Observation of the changes of temperature in different places for some days. |

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| 18. | FREEZING AND MELTING | become, Earth, freeze, freezing point, frozen, high(er), ice cube, liquid, melt(ing), melting point, puddle, quickly, slowly, solid, sunshine | Making clear the connection between the weather and the temperature; how the changes of the weather influence the temperature. Learning the freezing and the melting point of the water. Activity part: Page: 46 - 47 | two plates, two glasses, some ice cubes, salt, a watch, a pencil, an infra lamp | Experiments with water and ice. 1. Put some ice cubes in two plates. Put one in the Sun, the other in a shady place. 2. Use two glasses. Put some ice cubes in each one. Spread some salt on the ice cubes in one of the glasses. |
| 19. | EVAPORATION AND CONDENSATION | boil, boiling point, condense, condensation, cool down, disappear, evaporate, evaporation, gas, heat, mix, rise, tiny, turn into, water droplet, water vapour | Making clear the connection between the weather and the temperature; how the changes of the weather influence the temperature. Learning the melting point of the water. Activity part: Page: 48 - 49 | a kettle of cold water, a glass beaker, two glasses, a heater, a watch, a thermometer, a mirror, a pencil | Experiments with water. 1. Heat a beaker of water and read the temperature in each minute. 2. Heat the beaker of water until it evaporates. Hold a mirror above it. 3. Water two pieces of clothes, put to diff. places |

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| 20. | SOLUTIONS | behave, dissolve, form, matter, particle, seem, solution, state of matter, still | Learning the three states of matter: Solid, Liquid, Gas. Making clear the differences between melting and solution. Activity part: Page: 50 - 51 | water, five glasses, a teaspoon for stirring, salt, sugar, sand, oil, some pebbles, a pencil | Experiments with matter that dissolves and matter that does not. |
| 21. | MAGNETS | attract, flat, iron, law of magnetism, lodestone, magnet, magnetite, magnetic field, material, north, object, pole, repel, south | Experiencing how magnets work. Learning the law of magnetism. Observing the magnetic field of the different shaped magnets. Activity part: Page: 52 – 53 | bar, horseshoe, ring magnets, paper clips, rubber, keys, nails, rulers, rubbers, a hundred forint coins, pieces of cloth, pencils | Experiments using magnets and different objects. Observing how the magnets work, which objects they attract and which ones they repel. |
| 22. | THE COMPASS AND NAVIGATION | abbreviation, cardinal points, compass, direction, discover, East, horizontal, invent, navigate, needle, North, South, standard, tool, West | Talking about navigation in the past. Learning the four cardinal points of the compass. Learning how to use a compass. Activity part: Page: 54 - 55 | illustrations of the course book, a compass, a pencil | Experiments with a compass. |
| 23. | BIRDS AND NAVIGATION | | | illustrations of the course book, pictures, maps, a compass, a pencil | |

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| 24. | ENERGY | appliance, coal, electricity, energy, fuel, machine, oil, petrol, wood | Teaching that everything needs energy to live or work. Learning about the different sources of energy and how to save energy at home, at school. Activity part: Page: 58 – 59 | pictures, illustrations of the course book, a pencil | |
| 25-26. | REVISION: BASIC PROCESSES | | Playful activities (puzzles, guessing games, fill the gaps, etc.) Revision: Page: 63 - 65 | photocopies, pictures, word cards, etc. | |
| 27. | TEST 3 BASIC PROCESSES | | | | |

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| 28. | HUMANS AS THE YEARS PASS, YOU GROW | eat, ate, enough, rest, since, wear, wore, weigh, weighed | Making clear that humans are also living things because they grow, change They look different at different age stages. Measuring weight and height. Activity part: Page: 68 - 69 | two photos, illustrations of the course book, glue, a pencil, coloured pencils | |
| 29. | YEAR BY YEAR | age, adult, death, elderly, end, foetus, lifecycle, person, stage, toddler, womb, young, adult | Learning the names of the different age stages. Talking about what people can/can't do at a certain age. Activity part: Page: 70 - 71 | illustrations of the course book, pictures, a pencil, | |
| 30. | Appearance and Character | appearance, average, character/istic, disabled, height, inherit, inner, in ways, judge, length, look, outer, size, take after, unique, while | Making clear that all the people look different and have good or bad characteristics. Improving the good characteristics help the people in many ways, eg.: making more friends, etc. It is important to talk about disabled people. Activity part: Page: 72 - 73 | a mirror, a family photo, some photos of disabled people, magazine pictures of fashion models, advertisements | |

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| 31. | KEEPING HEALTHY | carbohydrate, cheerful, balanced diet, especially, fat, fibre, fit, health/y, improve, neat, need to do something, protein | Talking about the importance of healthy lifestyle. Learning about the "dos and don'ts" to keep fit and healthy. Activity part: Page: 74 - 75 | illustrations of the course book, pictures of healthy/unhealthy foods, a pencil, coloured pencils | |
| 32. | HEALTH AND SICKNESS | bandage, blood, coughing, dirty, fight, against, germ hide, prevent, rub, share, sick/ness, sneezing, through, tissue, wiping, wound | Learning about some useful ways, "dos and don'ts" to avoid germs and sicknesses. Talking about the importance of regular hand washing. The steps of proper hand wash. Activity part: Page: 76 - 77 Cutout page B | a pencil, glue, scissors | |
| 33. | HEALTH AND SAFETY | accident, ache, bleed, broken, burn, danger, emergency, first aid, get hurt, graze, injured, lean forward, pinch, press, save, spot, sterilize, unconscious | Giving basic first aid knowledge to children. Discussing what to do, how to act in an emergency. Explaining how to spot dangers or dangerous situations. Practise what to do in different situations (how to react, warn others, etc.) Activity part: Page: 78 - 79 | illustrations of the course book, a pencil, coloured pencils | |

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| 34-35. | REVISION: HUMANS | | Playful activities: (guessing games, puzzles, fill the gaps, etc.) Revision: Page: 83 - 85 | photocopies, pictures, word cards | |
| 36. | TEST 4 HUMANS | | | | |