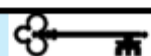




### Term 1



### Key Learning

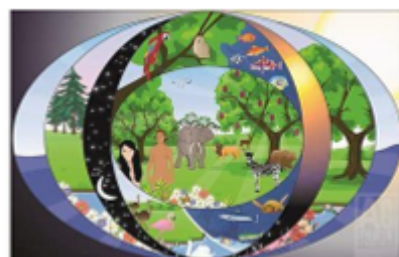
- There is much debate and some controversy around the relationship between the accounts of creation in *Genesis* and contemporary scientific accounts.
- These debates and controversies relate to the purpose and interpretation of the texts. For example, does reading *Genesis* as a poetic account conflict with scientific accounts?
- There are many scientists throughout history and now who are Christians.
- The discoveries of science make Christians wonder even more about the power and majesty of the Creator



Many Christians believe you can believe in GOD and believe in science.

Some scientific discoveries often make Christians more in awe of the power of God however, there are others who don't believe the same about the relationship between Creation and science.

Some Christians take a literal view of *Genesis* whilst others interpret it differently.



### Key Vocabulary

Contemporary	Happening in or belonging to the same period of time.
Scientific	Something, which can be measured or observed where evidence is collected to help understand an object or a process in the natural world.
Controversy	A disagreement in a way of believing or thinking between different people.
Conflict	When people have a serious disagreement. It can last for a long time and be difficult to solve.
Wonder	A feeling of amazement and admiration, caused by something beautiful, remarkable, or unfamiliar.
Majesty	Power, authority,
Power	This person or God has some inner strength that does not depend on outward things.
Interpretations	A particular adaptation of a belief.
Evolution	The theory that all the kinds of living things that exist today developed from earlier types. The differences between them resulted from changes that happened over many years.
Cosmology	The study of outer space or the universe. It seeks to explain how the universe came to be, what its structure is like, and what the future may hold for it.