Knowledge Organiser Year 5 and 6 Unit - Changes of Materials

Evaporation



If a solid has dissolved in water (for example in a salt solution), heating it causes the water to EVAPORATE, leaving the solid (salt) behind.

Changes of State



Solids, liquids and gases can change state by being heated or cooled.

Irreversible Changes







These are CHEMICAL changes – they cannot be reversed as a new material has been made.

Reversible Changes



liquid chocolate
- cool solid cholate



solid lolly
- heat - liquid
lolly



mixture of rice and flour
- sieve - both separated



dissolved sugar

- evaporation (heat)

- solid sugar

These are PHYSICAL changes – they can be reversed as no permanent change has been made.

Knowledge Organiser Year 5 and 6 Unit - Changes of Materials

	solute	a substance that can be dissolved in liquid
	solvent	a substance that can dissolve in a solute
	reversible	a change to a substance that can be undone or reversed
D Þ	evaporate	the process where a liquid changes to a gas
	chemical change	a type of change in which a new substance is formed
	effervescence	fizzing or bubbling
	fair test	an experiment that only changes one variable
	corrosion	the reaction of a metal with oxygen
	combustion	an irreversible change where a fuel uses oxygen to burn and releases energy
	extinguish	to put out a fire
	reaction	process in which substances are converted into different substances
(C)2	carbon dioxide	gas which makes up around 0.04% of our atmosphere