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## Light and Sound (ssience Light and Shadow)

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| Do children know that we need light in order to see things? |
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| Do children know that dark is the absence of light? |
| Can children identify a variety of light sources? |
| Can children name a way to protect their skin or eyes from the sun? |
| Can children identify ways in which a test can be made fair? |
| Are children able to make clear and relevant observations? |
| Do children know that shadows are formed when light is blocked? |
| Do children know the difference between objects that are transparent, translucent and |
| opaque? |
| Can children explore shadows and record their observations? |
| Can children explain that a shadow is made because light is being blocked? |
| Can children identify where a shadow will be based on the position of the light source? |
| Can children use simple equipment to explore how shadows behave? |
| Can children explain why shadows created by the Sun change position during the course of |
| a day? |
| Can children plan and carry out an investigation? |
| Can children find patterns in the way the size of shadows change? |
| Do children know that light travels in a straight line? |
| Do children know that we see objects when light is reflected from a surface? |
| Do children understand that all objects reflect light to some degree? |
| Can children describe what a highly reflective object/ surface is? |
| Can children identify a highly reflective object? |
| Are children able to identify ways in which we use reflective surfaces? |

