

How our resources support assessment

Track students' progress in the new linear GCSE course, with regular formative and summative assessment.

How do I measure, track and report progress with your resource?

Formative and summative assessment opportunities are integrated throughout.

The course structure is organised into four progressive teaching blocks, with assessment at the end of each block, providing common review checkpoints so you can review performance across subjects, across the class and across year groups.

Students' performance can be analysed by topic and assessment objective, providing detailed insights into strengths, weakness and progression over time.

Online digital testing on Collins Connect provides targeted feedback on students' performance against the different question categories in the exam – AO1, AO2 and AO3, required practical, maths based and synoptic – enabling you to focus on key areas for improvement.

All tests are available in print and digital formats so you can administrate them the way you want.

What opportunities are there for formative assessment?

Formative and self-assessment opportunities are embedded across the resource: integrated questions on every page in the textbooks, along with end-of-chapter practice questions, enable students to test themselves to see how well they have understood each topic.

Digital, auto-marked homework quizzes help check students have mastered the lesson content.

Detailed lesson plans in the Teacher's Guide, along with targeted resource sheets, provide opportunities to continually review students' performance and plan next steps.

How often do you provide summative assessment?

A bank of summative assessment materials, along with detailed tracking tools, are provided on Collins Connect:

- Print and digital end-of-topic tests for every chapter
- Print and digital assessments at the end of every teaching block, providing common review checkpoints
- End-of-year tests and practice papers to help students to prepare and practice for the exams

How does the KS4 Assessment link to KS3?

The assessment and tracking tools for GCSE follow the same structure as Collins Key Stage 3 Science, supporting consistency across key stages.