

This 2-Year Scheme of Work offers a suggested topic order for KS3 using Collins AQA KS3 Science Student Books 1 and 2, assuming that one teacher teaching all three sciences rotates through the sciences to give variety. Other routes through the books are possible if you wish to teach different topics first or to suit timetabling or equipment needs. Note, however, that the suggested route ensures that each term's content builds upon the previous term's content and knowledge. The suggested timings are based on covering an average of three Student Book spreads per week, but can be tailored to suit the needs of a particular class or group of students.

Year 1 of 2-year scheme of work

Year	Term	Week	Student Book	Big Idea/	Title	Programme of study	Learning objectives	CD-ROM resources
			spread number	subtopic and AQA		references		
			and lesson plan	syllabus reference				
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Book 1, Chapter 1: Forces - Speed and Gravity

Year 7	Term 1	1	1.1.1	Forces, Speed 3.1.1	Understanding speed	Change depending on direction of force and its size Speed and the quantitative relationship between average speed, distance and time (speed = distance ÷ time)	 List the factors involved in defining speed. Explain a simple method to measure speed. Use the speed formula. Worksheet 1.1.1; Practical sheet 1.1.1; Technician's notes 1.1.1
Year 7	Term 1	1	1.1.2	Forces, Speed 3.1.1	Describing journeys with distance–time graphs	The representation of a journey on a distance–time graph	 Gather relevant data to describe a journey. Use the conventions of a distance-time graph. Display the data on a distance-time graph. Worksheet 1.1.2; Practical sheet 1.1.2; Technician's notes 1.1.2
Year 7	Term 1	1	1.1.3	Forces, Speed 3.1.1	Exploring journeys on distance–time graphs	The representation of a journey on a distance–time graph Speed and the quantitative relationship between average speed, distance and time (speed = distance ÷ time)	 Interpret distance—time graphs to learn about the journeys represented. Relate distance—time graphs to different situations and describe what they show. Worksheet 1.1.3; Practical sheet 1.1.3; Technician's notes 1.1.3
Year 7	Term 1	2	1.1.4	Forces, Speed 3.1.1	Investigating the motion of a car on a ramp	Relating ideas about changing speed and factors affecting it to the identification and management of variables to gather evidence and form conclusions.	 To describe the motion of an object whose speed is changing. To devise questions that can be explored scientifically. To present data so that it can be analysed to answer questions. Worksheet 1.1.4; Practical sheet 1.1.4; Technician's notes 1.1.4
Year 7	Term 1	2	1.1.5	Forces, Speed 3.1.1	Understanding relative motion	Relative motion: trains and cars passing one another	 Describe the motion of objects in relation to each other. Explain the concept of relative motion. Worksheet 1.1.5; Practical sheet 1.1.5; Technician's notes 1.1.5



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								 Apply the concept of relative motion to various situations. 	
Year 7	Term 1	2	1.1.6	Forces, Gravity 3.1.2	Understanding forces	Forces as pushes or p arising from the interact between two objects Using force arrows in diagrams		 Recognise different examples of forces. List the main types of force. Represent forces using arrows. 	Worksheet 1.1.6
Year 7	Term 1	3	1.1.7	Forces, Gravity 3.1.2	Understanding gravitational fields	Gravity force, weight = gravitational field stren on Earth <i>g</i> =10 N/kg, donother planets and s	ngth (<i>g</i>), different	 Describe gravity as a non-contact force. Explore the concept of gravitational field and weight. Relate this concept to life on Earth. 	Worksheet 1.1.7; Practical sheet 1.1.7; Technician's notes 1.1.7
Year 7	Term 1	3	1.1.8	Forces, Gravity 3.1.2	Understanding mass and weight	Explain the difference between mass and we		 To answer questions that draw on the distinction between mass and weight. 	Technician's notes 1.1.8
Year 7	Term 1	3	1.1.9	Forces, Gravity 3.1.2	Understanding gravity	Understanding that we an effect caused by ar being in a gravitational and that moving from a such field to another (s various places in the s system) causes a charweight.	n object Il field one such as solar	 Explain what gravity is. Understand how gravity varies according to where you are in the solar system. Apply ideas about gravity to various situations. 	Technician's notes 1.1.9
Year 7	Term 1	4	End of chapter ass	essment					

Book 1, Chapter 5: Matter – Particle model and Separating mixtures

Year 7	Term 1	4	1.5.1	Matter, particle model 3.5.1	Using particles to explain matter	The properties of different states of matter (solid, liquid and gas) in terms of the particle model, including gas pressure	 Recognise differences between solids, liquids and gases. Describe solids, liquids and gases in terms of the particle model. 	Worksheet 1.5.1; Practical sheet 1.5.1; Technician's notes 1.5.1
Year 7	Term 1	5	1.5.2	Matter, particle model 3.5.1	Understanding solids	The properties of different states of matter (solid, liquid and gas) in terms of the particle model, including gas	 Describe the properties of solids. Relate the properties and behaviour of solids to the particle model. 	Worksheet 1.5.2; Practical sheet 1.5.2; Technician's notes 1.5.2
Year 7	Term 1	5	1.5.3	Matter, particle model 3.5.1	Understanding liquids and gases	pressure	 Describe the properties of liquids and gases. Relate the properties and behaviour of liquids and gases to the particle model. 	Worksheet 1.5.3; Practical sheet 1.5.3; Technician's notes 1.5.3a; Technician's notes 1.5.3b



Year 7	Term 1	5	1.5.4	Matter, particle model 3.5.1	Exploring diffusion	Diffusion in liquids and driven by differences is concentration Diffusion in terms of the particle model	n	 Use the particle model to explain observations involving diffusion. 	Worksheet 1.5.4; Practical sheet 1.5.4; Technician's notes 1.5.4
Year 7	Term 1	6	1.5.5	Matter, particle model 3.5.1	Explaining changes of state	Changes of state in terms the particle model	rms of	 Recognise changes of state as being reversible changes. Use scientific terminology to describe changes of state. Explain changes of state using the particle model and ideas about energy transfer. 	Worksheet 1.5.5; Practical sheet 1.5.5; Technician's notes 1.5.5
Year 7	Term 1	6	1.5.6	Matter, separating mixtures 3.5.2	Separating mixtures	Mixtures, including dis Simple techniques for separating mixtures: fi		Recognise the differences between substances and use these to separate them.	Worksheet 1.5.6; Technician's notes 1.5.6
Year 7	Term 1	6	1.5.7	Matter, separating mixtures 3.5.2	Exploring solutions	Mixtures, including dis	ssolving	 Explain the terms solvent, solution, solute and soluble. Describe the effect of temperature on solubility. Analyse patterns and present data to explain solubility. 	Worksheet 1.5.7; Practical sheet 1.5.7; Technician's notes 1.5.7
Year 7	Term 1	7	1.5.8	Matter, separating mixtures 3.5.2	Understanding distillation	Simple techniques for separating mixtures: distillation		 Use distillation to separate substances. Explain why distillation can purify substances. Devise ways to separate mixtures, based on their properties. 	Worksheet 1.5.8a; Worksheet 1.5.8b; Practical sheet 1.5.8; Technician's notes 1.5.8
Year 7	Term 1	7	1.5.9	Matter, separating mixtures 3.5.2	Exploring chromatography	Simple techniques for separating mixtures: chromatography The identification of pu substances		 Use chromatography to separate dyes. Use evidence from chromatography to identify unknown substances in a mixture. 	Worksheet 1.5.9; Technician's notes 1.5.9
Year 7	Term 1	7/8	End of chapter assess	ment					

Book 1, Chapter 8: Organisms – Movement and Cells

Year 7	Term 1	8	1.8.1	Organisms, Movement 3.8.1	Exploring the human skeleton	The structure and functions of the human skeleton, to include support, protection,	•	Identify bones of the human skeleton. Describe the roles of the skeleton.	Worksheet 1.8.1; Technician's notes 1.8.1
i						movement and making blood			



						cells	 Explain why we have different shapes and sizes of bones. 	
Year 7	Term 1	8	1.8.2	Organisms, Movement 3.8.1	Understanding the role of joints and muscles	Biomechanics – the interaction between skeleton and muscles, including the measurement of force exerted by different muscles	 Describe the roles of tendons, ligaments, joints and muscles. Identify muscles used in different movements. Compare different joints in the human skeleton. 	Worksheet 1.8.2
Year 7	Term 1	9	1.8.3	Organisms, Movement 3.8.1	Examining interacting muscles	The function of muscles and examples of antagonistic muscles	 Describe antagonistic muscles and give examples. Explain how antagonistic muscles bring about movement using scientific vocabulary Plan an investigation to compare muscle strengths 	Worksheet 1.8.3; Practical sheet 1.8.3a; Technician's notes 1.8.3b; Practical sheet 1.8.3a; Technician's notes 1.8.3b
Year 7	Term 1	9	1.8.4	Organisms, Movement 3.8.1	Exploring problems with the skeletal system	The structure and functions of the human skeleton, to include support, protection, movement and making blood cells Biomechanics – the interaction between skeleton and muscles, including the measurement of force exerted by different muscles	 Recall some medical problems with the skeletal system. Explain how some conditions affect the skeleton. Consider the benefits and risks of a technology for improving human movement. 	Worksheet 1.8.4
Year 7	Term 1	9	1.8.5	Organisms, Cells 3.8.2	Understanding organisation in multicellular organisms	Hierarchical organisation of multicellular organisms: from cells to tissues to organs to systems to organisms	 Define the terms tissues, organs and organ systems. Describe how some recreational drug affect body systems. Suggest the effect of organ damage on other body systems. 	Worksheet 1.8.5
Year 7	Term 1	10	1.8.6	Organisms, Cells 3.8.2	Describing plant and animal cells	Cells as the fundamental unit of living organisms, including how to observe and record cell structure using a light microscope The functions of the cell wall, cell membrane, cytoplasm, nucleus, vacuole, mitochondria and chloroplasts The similarities and differences between animal and plant cells	 Describe the structures found in animal and plant cells. Explain the function of some of the structures within animal and plant cells. Communicate ideas about cells effectively using scientific terminology. 	Worksheet 1.8.6a; Worksheet 1.8.6b; Technician's notes 1.8.6



Year 7	Term 1	10	1.8.7	Organisms, Cells 3.8.2	Understanding adaptations of cells	The functions of the ce cell membrane, cytopla nucleus, vacuole, mitochondria and chlor The similarities and differences between an and plant cells	roplasts	 Recall the purpose of specialised cells. Identify examples of specialised plant and animal cells. Explain the structure and function of specialised cells. 	Worksheet 1.8.7; Technician's notes 1.8.7
Year 7	Term 1	10	1.8.8	Organisms, Cells 3.8.2	Exploring cells	Cells as the fundament of living organisms, inc how to observe and recell structure using a ligmicroscope The similarities and differences between an and plant cells	cluding cord ght	 Observe cells using a microscope and record findings. Explain how to use a microscope to identify and compare cells. Explain how developments in science can change ideas. 	Worksheet 1.8.8; Practical sheet 1.8.8a; Practical sheet 1.8.8b; Technician's notes 1.8.8
Year 7	Term 1	11	1.8.9	Organisms, Cells 3.8.2	Understanding unicellular organisms	The structural adaptation some unicellular organic	nisms	 Recognise different types of unicellular organisms. Explain how unicellular organisms are adapted to carry out functions. Compare and contrast features of unicellular organisms. 	Worksheet 1.8.9
Year 7	Term 1	11	End of chapter assess	ment					

Book 1, Chapter 2: Electromagnets – Voltage and resistance and Current

Year 7	Term 1	12	1.2.1	Electromagnets, Voltage and resistance 3.2.1	Describing electric circuits	Other processes that involve energy transfer: completing an electrical circuit Electric current, measured in amperes, in circuits	•	Describe and draw circuit diagrams. Explain what is meant by current. Explain how materials allow current to flow.	Worksheet 1.2.1; Practical sheet 1.2.1; Technician's notes 1.2.1
Year 7	Term 1	12	1.2.2	Electromagnets, Voltage and resistance 3.2.1	Understanding energy in circuits	Other processes that involve energy transfer: completing an electrical circuit Electric current, measured in amperes, in circuits Potential difference, measured in volts, battery and bulb ratings	•	Describe what the voltage does in a circuit.	Worksheet 1.2.2; Technician's notes 1.2.2



Year 7	Term 1	12	1.2.3	Electromagnets, Voltage and resistance; Current 3.2.1, 3.2.2	Explaining resistance	Potential difference, measured in volts, battery and bulb ratings Resistance, measured in ohms, as the ratio of potential difference (p.d.) to current	•	Explain what resistance is and how it affects the circuit. Investigate and identify the relationship between voltage and current.	Worksheet 1.2.3; Practical sheet 1.2.3; Technician's notes 1.2.3
Year 7	Term 2	1	1.2.4	Electromagnets, Voltage and resistance; Current 3.2.1, 3.2.2	Describing series and parallel circuits	Series and parallel circuits, currents add where branches meet and current as flow of charge	•	Describe how the voltage, current and resistance are related in different circuits. Understand the differences between a series and a parallel circuit.	Worksheet 1.2.4; Technician's notes 1.2.4
Year 7	Term 2	1	1.2.5	Electromagnets, Voltage and resistance; Current 3.2.1, 3.2.2	Comparing series and parallel circuits	Electric current, measured in amperes, in circuits Series and parallel circuits, currents add where branches meet and current as flow of charge Potential difference, measured in volts, battery and bulb ratings	•	Investigate and explain current and voltage in series and parallel circuits. Explain the circuits in our homes.	Worksheet 1.2.5; Practical sheet 1.2.5; Technician's notes 1.2.5
Year 7	Term 2	1	1.2.6	Electromagnets, Current 3.2.2	Investigating static charge	Non-contact forces: forces due to static electricity Separation of positive or negative charges when objects are rubbed together: transfer of electrons, forces	•	Recognise the effects of static charge. Explain how static charge can be generated. Use evidence to develop ideas about static charge.	Worksheet 1.2.6; Practical sheet 1.2.6; Technician's notes 1.2.6
Year 7	Term 2	2	1.2.7	Electromagnets, Current 3.2.2	Explaining static charge	between charged objects	•	Explain static charge in terms of electron transfer. Apply this explanation to various examples.	Worksheet 1.2.7; Technician's notes 1.2.7
Year 7	Term 2	2	1.2.8	Electromagnets, Current 3.2.2	Understanding electrostatic fields	Non-contact forces: forces due to static electricity Separation of positive or negative charges when objects are rubbed together: transfer of electrons, forces between charged objects The idea of electric field, forces acting across the space between objects not in contact	•	Explain static electricity in terms of fields. Explain how charged objects affect each other.	Worksheet 1.2.8; Technician's notes 1.2.8
Year 7	Term	2/3	End of chapter assess	sment					<u> </u>



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Book 1, Chapter 6: Reactions – Metals and non-metals and Acids and alkalis

Year 7	Term 2	3	1.6.1	Reactions, metals and non-metals 3.6.1	Using metals and non-metals	The varying physical and chemical properties of different elements The properties of metals and non-metals	Recognise the properties and uses of metals and non-metals. Explain the uses of metals and non-metals based on their properties.	Worksheet 1.6.1; Practical sheet 1.6.1; Technician's notes 1.6.1
Year 7	Term 2	3	1.6.2	Reactions, metals and non-metals 3.6.1	Exploring the reactions of acids with metals	Reactions of acids with metals to produce a salt plus hydrogen	Describe the reaction between acids and metals using word equations and particle diagrams. Explain the reaction between acids and metals. Compare the reactivities of different metals.	Worksheet 1.6.2; Practical sheet 1.6.2; Technician's notes 1.6.2
Year 7	Term 2	4	1.6.3	Reactions, metals and non-metals 3.6.1	Understanding displacement reactions	The order of metals and carbon in the reactivity series; representing chemical reactions using formulas and using equations; displacement reactions; changes of state and chemical reactions.	 Represent and explain displacement reactions using equations and particle diagrams. Make inferences about reactivity from displacement reactions. 	Worksheet 1.6.3; Practical sheet 1.6.3; Technician's notes 1.6.3
Year 7	Term 2	4	1.6.4	Reactions, metals and non-metals 3.6.1	Understanding oxidation reactions	Combustion, thermal decomposition, oxidation and displacement reactions	 Recall examples of oxidation reactions. Describe oxidation using word equations and particle diagrams. Investigate changes caused by oxidation. 	Worksheet 1.6.4; Practical sheet 1.6.4a; Practical sheet 1.6.4b; Technician's notes 1.6.4
Year 7	Term 2	4	1.6.5	Reactions, Acids and alkalis 3.6.2	Exploring acids	Defining acids and alkalis	 Describe what an acid is and give examples. Evaluate the hazards that acids pose. 	Worksheet 1.6.5; Technician's notes 1.6.5
Year 7	Term 2	5	1.6.6	Reactions, Acids and alkalis 3.6.2	Exploring alkalis		 Describe what an alkali is and give examples. Identify the hazards that alkalis pose. 	Worksheet 1.6.6; Technician's notes 1.6.6
Year 7	Term 2	5	1.6.7	Reactions, Acids and alkalis 3.6.2	Using indicators	The pH scale for measuring acidity/alkalinity; and indicators	 Use indicators to identify acids and alkalis. Analyse data from different indicators. 	Worksheet 1.6.7; Practical sheet 1.6.7; Technician's notes 1.6.7



							Compare the effectiveness of different indicators. Describe what a pH scale measures.
Year 7	Term 2	5	1.6.8	Reactions, Acids and alkalis 3.6.2	Exploring neutralisation	Defining acids and alkaterms of neutralisation reactions The pH scale for meas acidity/alkalinity; and indicators	 Recall and use the neutralization equation. Use indicators to identify chemical reactions. Explain colour changes in terms of pH and neutralisation. Worksheet 1.6.8; Practical sheet 1.6.8; Technician's notes 1.6.8
Year 7	Term 2	6	1.6.9	Reactions, Acids and alkalis 3.6.2	Investigating neutralisation	Reactions of acids with to produce a salt plus	 Design an investigation to compare the effectiveness of indigestion remedies. Analyse data to identify a suitable indigestion remedy and suggest improvements. Worksheet 1.6.9; Practical sheet 1.6.9; Technician's notes 1.6.9
Year 7	Term 2	6	End of chapter assess	ment			

Book 1, Chapter 9: Ecosystems – Interdependence and Plant reproduction

Year 7	Term 2	7	1.9.1	Ecosystems, Interdependence 3.9.1	Understanding food webs	The interdependence of organisms in an ecosystem, including food webs	 Describe how food webs are made up of a number of food chains. Make predictions about factors affecting plant and animal populations. Analyse and evaluate changes in a food web. 	Worksheet 1.9.1a; Worksheet 1.9.1b; Technician's notes 1.9.1
Year 7	Term 2	7	1.9.2	Ecosystems, Interdependence 3.9.1	Understanding the effects of toxins in the environment	How organisms affect, and are affected by, their environment, including the accumulation of toxic materials	 Describe how toxins pass along the food chain. Explain how toxins enter and accumulate in food chains. Evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of using pesticides. 	Worksheet 1.9.2; Technician's notes 1.9.2
Year 7	Term 2	7	1.9.3	Ecosystems, Interdependence 3.9.1	Exploring the importance of insects	The interdependence of organisms in an ecosystem, including insect-pollinated crops The importance of plant reproduction through insect pollination in human food security	 Describe the impact of low pollination on fruit production. Explain why artificial pollination is used for some crops. Evaluate the risks of monoculture on world food security. 	Worksheet 1.9.3; Practical sheet 1.9.3



				How organisms affect, and are affected by, their environment, including the accumulation of toxic materials	•	affect predator populations. Evaluate a model of predator— prey populations and explain the importance of predators.	
8 1	1.9.5	Ecosystems, Plant reproduction 3.9.2	Exploring flowering plants	Reproduction in plants, including flower structure, wind and insect pollination	•	Identify parts of flowering plants. Describe the function of the parts of flowering plants and link structure and function. Evaluate the differences between wind-pollinated and insect-pollinated plants.	Worksheet 1.9.5; Practical sheet 1.9.5; Technician's notes 1.9.5
8 1	1.9.6	Ecosystems, Plant reproduction 3.9.2	Exploring fertilisation	Reproduction in plants, including flower structure, wind and insect pollination, fertilisation		Describe the processes of pollination and fertilisation. Describe the role of pollen tubes. Explain how seeds are formed.	Worksheet 1.9.6; Practical sheet 1.9.6a; Practical sheet 1.9.6b; Technician's notes 1.9.6
9 1	1.9.7	Ecosystems, Plant reproduction 3.9.2	Understanding how seeds are dispersed	Reproduction in plants, including seed and fruit formation and dispersal	•	Recognise the variety of different structures shown by different seeds. Describe the need for plants to disperse their seed. Plan an investigation into seed dispersal by wind.	Worksheet 1.9.7a; Worksheet 1.9.7b; Technician's notes 1.9.7
	1.9.8	Ecosystems, Plant reproduction 3.9.2	Understanding how fruits disperse seeds	Reproduction in plants, including seed and fruit formation and dispersal, including quantitative investigation of some dispersal mechanisms		Describe how fruits are used in seed dispersal. Compare evidence about seed dispersal by wind and by fruit formation. Use data to evaluate different seed dispersal mechanisms.	Worksheet 1.9.8
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Book 1, Chapter 3: Energy – Energy costs and Energy transfer

Year 7	Term 2	10	1.3.1	Energy, Energy transfer 3.3.2	Understanding energy transfers by fuels and food	Energy as a quantity that can be quantified and calculated; the total energy has the same value before and after a change Comparing energy values of different foods (from labels) (kJ) Other processes that involve energy transfer: metabolism of food, burning fuels	 Describe the use of fuels in the home. Explain that foods are energy stores and that the amount stored can be measured. Explain that energy is not a material and can be neither created nor destroyed. 	Worksheet 1.3.1; Technician's notes 1.3.1
Year 7	Term 2	10	1.3.2	Energy, Energy transfer 3.3.2	Comparing rates of energy transfer	Comparing power ratings of appliances in watts (W, kW) Comparing amounts of energy transferred (J, kJ, kW hour)	 Describe what is meant by 'rate of energy transfer'. Recall and use the correct units for rate of energy transfer. Calculate quantities of energy transferred when change happens. 	Worksheet 1.3.2; Technician's notes 1.3.2
Year 7	Term 2	11	1.3.3	Energy, Energy costs 3.3.1	Looking at the cost of energy use in the home	Comparing power ratings of appliances in watts (W, kW) Comparing amounts of energy transferred (J, kJ, kW hour) Domestic fuel bills: fuel use and costs	 Describe the information a typical fuel bill provides. Explain and use the units used on a fuel bill. Explain how the cost of energy used can be calculated. 	Worksheet 1.3.3
Year 7	Term 2	11	1.3.4	Energy, Energy transfer 3.3.2	Getting the electricity we need	Calculation of fuel uses and costs in the domestic context: fuels and energy resources.	 Describe ways of generating electricity. Explain advantages and disadvantages of different methods. Evaluate the consequences of using various generating method. 	Worksheet 1.3.4; Technician's notes 1.3.4
Year 7	Term 2	11	1.3.5	Energy, Energy costs 3.3.1	Using electricity responsibly	Calculation of fuel uses and costs in the domestic context: comparing power ratings of appliances in watts (W, kW), comparing amounts of energy transferred (J, kJ, kW hour), domestic fuel bills, fuel use and costs and fuels and energy resources.	 Apply the concept of energy transfers to a device such as a hand crank torch. Critique claims made for the running costs of fluorescent light bulbs. Evaluate actions that could be taken in response to rising energy demand. 	Worksheet 1.3.5; Technician's notes 1.3.5
Year 7	Term 2	12	1.3.6	Energy, Energy transfer 3.3.2	Stores and transfers	Processes that involve energy transfer and changes in systems, including: energy as	Investigate a model of energy.Describe energy stores and transfers.	Worksheet 1.3.6; Technician's notes 1.3.6



						a quantity that can be quantified and calculated; comparing the starting with the final conditions of a system and describing increases and decreases in the amounts of energy.	Apply the energy model to different situations.	
Year 7	Term 2	12	1.3.7	Energy, Energy transfer 3.3.2	Exploring energy transfers	Other processes that involve energy transfer: changing motion, dropping an object, completing an electrical circuit, burning fuels Energy as a quantity that can be quantified and calculated; the total energy has the same value before and after a change.	 Recognise what energy is and its unit. Describe a range of energy transfers using simple diagrams. Use a Sankey diagram as a model to represent simple energy changes. 	Worksheet 1.3.7; Technician's notes 1.3.7
Year 7	Term 2	12	1.3.8	Energy, Energy transfer 3.3.2	Understanding potential energy and kinetic energy	Other processes that involve energy transfer: changing motion, dropping an object	 Recognise energy transfers due to falling objects. Describe factors affecting energy transfers related to falling objects. Explain how energy is conserved when objects fall. 	Worksheet 1.3.8; Technician's notes 1.3.8
Year 7	Term 3	1	1.3.9	Energy, Energy transfer 3.3.2	Understanding elastic potential energy	Other processes that involve energy transfer: stretching a spring. Work done and energy changes on deformation. Comparing the starting with the final conditions of a system and describing increases and decreases in the amounts of energy in elastic distortions	 Describe different situations that use the energy stored in compressing and stretching elastic materials. Describe how elastic potential energy in different materials can be compared. Explain how elastic potential energy is transferred. 	Worksheet 1.3.9; Practical sheet 1.3.9; Technician's notes 1.3.9
Year 7	Term 3	1	End of chapter assess	ment				

Book 1, Chapter 7: Earth - Earth structure and Universe

Year 7	Term 3	2	1.7.1	Earth, Earth structure 3.7.1	Understanding the structure of the Earth	The composition of the Earth The structure of the Earth	•	Describe the layers of the Earth. Describe the characteristics of the different layers. Explain how volcanoes change the Earth.	Worksheet 1.7.1a; Worksheet 1.7.1b; Technician's notes 1.7.1
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Year 7	Term 3	2	1.7.2	Earth, Earth structure 3.7.1	Exploring igneous rocks	The rock cycle and the formation of igneous, sedimentary and metamorphic rocks	 Describe how igneous rocks are formed. Explain how the pH of the magma affects the formation of rocks. Investigate the effect of cooling rate on the formation of crystals. 	Worksheet 1.7.2; Practical sheet 1.7.2a; Practical sheet 1.7.2b; Technician's notes 1.7.2
Year 7	Term 3	2	1.7.3	Earth, Earth structure 3.7.1	Exploring sedimentary rocks		 Describe how sedimentary rocks are formed. Explain how fossils give clues about the past. Explain the properties of sedimentary rocks. 	Worksheet 1.7.3; Practical sheet 1.7.3a; Practical sheet 1.7.3b; Technician's notes 1.7.3
Year 7	Term 3	3	1.7.4	Earth, Earth structure 3.7.1	Exploring metamorphic rocks		 Describe how metamorphic rocks are formed. Explain the properties of metamorphic rocks. 	Worksheet 1.7.4; Practical sheet 1.7.4; Technician's notes 1.7.4
Year 7	Term 3	3	1.7.5	Earth, Earth structure 3.7.1	Understanding the rock cycle		 Describe the rock cycle. Explain how rocks can change from one type to another. 	Worksheet 1.7.5a; Worksheet 1.7.5b; Practical sheet 1.7.5; Technician's notes 1.7.5
Year 7	Term 3	3	1.7.6	Earth, Universe 3.7.2	Describing stars and galaxies	Our Sun as a star, other stars in our galaxy, other galaxies	 Describe the characteristics of a star. Relate our Sun to other stars. Explain the concept of galaxies and the position of our galaxy compared to others. 	Worksheet 1.7.6
Year 7	Term 3	4	1.7.7	Earth, Universe 3.7.2	Explaining the effects of the Earth's motion	The seasons and the Earth's tilt, day length at different times of year, in different hemispheres	 Describe variation in length of day, apparent position of the Sun and seasonal variations. Compare these with changes in the opposite hemisphere. Explain these changes with reference to the motion of the Earth. 	Worksheet 1.7.7; Practical sheet 1.7.7; Technician's notes 1.7.7
Year 7	Term 3	4	1.7.8	Earth, Universe 3.7.2	Exploring our neighbours in the Universe	The light year as a unit of astronomical distance	 Recall that the light year is used to measure astronomical distances. Explain the limitation of units such as kilometres in describing astronomical distances. 	Worksheet 1.7.8; Practical sheet 1.7.8; Technician's notes 1.7.8



Year 7	Term 3	4	1.7.9	Earth, Universe 3.7.2	Using models in science	understanding that so methods and theories as earlier explanation modified to take acco new evidence and ide	s develop s are unt of	 Explain what causes the appearance of the Moon to change. Explore how we can use models to explain ideas in science. Construct an explanation using ideas and evidence. 	Worksheet 1.7.9; Technician's notes 1.7.9
								 Decide if a model is good enough to be useful. 	
Year 7	Term 3	5	End of chanter assess	ment					



Book 1, Chapter 10: Genes - Variation and Human reproduction

Year 7	Term 3	5	1.10.1	Genes, Variation 3.10.1	Looking at variation	The variation between individuals within a species being continuous or discontinuous, to include measurement and graphical representation of variation	 Describe what is meant by variation in a species. Explain the difference between continuous and discontinuous variation. Plot graphs to show variation. 	Worksheet 1.10.1; Technician's notes 1.10.1
Year 7	Term 3	6	1.10.2	Genes, Variation 3.10.1	Exploring the causes of variation	Heredity as the process by which genetic information is transmitted from one generation to the next	 Identify whether a feature is inherited or determined by the environment. Understand that offspring from the same parents may show variation. 	Worksheet 1.10.2; Practical sheet 1.10.2; Technician's notes 1.10.2
Year 7	Term 3	6	1.10.3	Genes, Variation 3.10.1	Considering the importance of variation	The variation between species and between individuals of the same species means some organisms compete more successfully, which can drive natural selection.	 Describe the importance of variation. Explain how variation may help a species to survive. Apply ideas about variation and survival to specific examples. 	Worksheet 1.10.3; Technician's notes 1.10.3
Year 7	Term 3	6	1.10.4	Genes, Human reproduction 3.10.2	Understanding the female reproductive system and fertility	Reproduction in humans (as an example of a mammal), including the structure and function of the male and female reproductive systems, menstrual cycle (without details of hormones), gametes, fertilisation, gestation and birth	 Describe the structures and functions of different parts of the female reproductive system. Describe the process of menstruation. Describe causes of low fertility. 	Worksheet 1.10.4; Technician's notes 1.10.4
Year 7	Term 3	7	1.10.5	Genes, Human reproduction 3.10.2	Understanding the male reproductive system and fertilisation	Reproduction in humans (as an example of a mammal), including the structure and function of the male and female reproductive systems	 Describe the structure and function of different parts of the male reproductive system. Describe fertilisation in humans. 	Worksheet 1.10.5; Technician's notes 1.10.5
Year 7	Term 3	7	1.10.6	Genes, Human reproduction 3.10.2	Learning how a foetus develops	Reproduction in humans (as an example of a mammal), fertilisation, gestation and birth	 Describe the role of the mother in supporting and protecting the developing foetus. Recognise the development of a foetus. 	Worksheet 1.10.6; Technician's notes 1.10.6
Year 7	Term 3	7	1.10.7	Genes, Human reproduction 3.10.2	Understanding factors affecting a developing foetus	Reproduction in humans (as an example of a mammal), to include the effect of maternal lifestyle on the foetus through the placenta	 Describe the effects of different factors on a developing foetus. Evaluate the strength of data. Analyse advice given to pregnant women. 	Worksheet 1.10.7



Year 7	Term 3	8	1.10.8	Genes, Human reproduction 3.10.2	Communicating ideas about smoking in pregnancy	Reproduction in huma an example of a mami include the effect of m lifestyle on the foetus the placenta	ımal), to naternal	•	Critique claims linked with the effects of smoking in pregnancy. Identify potential bias in sources of information. Give a reasoned opinion.	Worksheet 1.10.8; Technician's notes 1.10.8
Year 7	Term 3	8	End of chapter assess	ment						

Book 1, Chapter 4: Waves - Sound and Light

Year 7	Term 3	9	1.4.1	Waves, sound 3.4.1	Exploring sound	Sound produced by vibrations of objects; sound waves are longitudinal	 Identify how sounds are made. Describe how sound waves transfer energy. Explain how loud and quiet sounds are made. 	Worksheet 1.4.1; Practical sheet 1.4.1; Technician's notes 1.4.1
Year 7	Term 3	9	1.4.2	Waves, sound 3.4.1	Describing sound	Sound produced by vibrations of objects, in loudspeakers; detected by their effect on microphone diaphragm and the ear drum Frequencies of sound waves, measured in hertz (Hz)	 Explain what is meant by pitch. Understand frequency, wavelength and amplitude. Relate sounds to displayed waveforms. 	Worksheet 1.4.2; Technician's notes 1.4.2
Year 7	Term 3	9	1.4.3	Waves, sound 3.4.1	Hearing sounds	Sound produced by vibrations of objects, detected by their effects on microphone diaphragm and the ear drum Waves transferring information for conversion to electrical signals by microphone	 Explain what is meant by audible range. Understand how the ear detects sounds. Apply ideas about sound to explaining defects in hearing. 	Worksheet 1.4.3; Practical sheet 1.4.3; Technician's notes 1.4.3
Year 7	Term 3	10	1.4.4	Waves, sound 3.4.1	Understanding how sound travels through materials	Echoes, reflection and absorption of sound	 Recognise how the speed of sound changes in different substances. Explain why the speed of sound varies between solids, liquids and gases. 	Worksheet 1.4.4; Practical sheet 1.4.4; Technician's notes 1.4.4
Year 7	Term 3	10	1.4.5	Waves, light 3.4.2	Learning about the reflection and absorption of sound	The transmission of light through materials: absorption, diffuse scattering and specular reflection at a surface	 Recognise which materials reflect the quality of sound. Analyse the effect of different materials on sound waves. Use ideas about energy transfer to explain how soundproofing works. 	Worksheet 1.4.5; Practical sheet 1.4.5; Technician's notes 1.4.5
Year 7	Term 3	10	1.4.6	Waves, light	Exploring properties of light	Use of the ray model to explain imaging in mirrors, the	Describe how light passes through different materials.	Worksheet 1.4.6; Practical sheet 1.4.6;



				3.4.2		pinhole camera, the refraction of light and action of convex lens in focusing (qualitative); the human eye	 Explain the difference between scattering and specular reflection. Explain how shadows are formed in eclipses. 	Technician's notes 1.4.6
Year 7	Term 3	11	1.4.7	Waves, light 3.4.2	Exploring reflection	Use of the ray model to explain imaging in mirrors, the pinhole camera, the refraction of light and action of convex lens in focusing (qualitative); the human eye	 Describe how a mirror reflects light. Explain the difference between specular and diffuse reflection. Apply the law of reflection. 	Worksheet 1.4.7; Practical sheet 1.4.7; Technician's notes 1.4.7
Year 7	Term 3	11	1.4.8	Waves, light 3.4.2	Exploring refraction	Use of the ray model to explain imaging in mirrors, the pinhole camera, the refraction of light and action of convex lens in focusing (qualitative); the human eye	 Describe how light is refracted when it enters a different medium. Explain how this can cause it to change direction. Apply ideas about refraction to understanding lenses. 	Worksheet 1.4.8; Practical sheet 1.4.8; Technician's notes 1.4.8
Year 7	Term 3	11	1.4.9	Waves, light 3.4.2	Seeing clearly	Use of the ray model to explain imaging in mirrors, the pinhole camera, the refraction of light and action of convex lens in focusing (qualitative); the human eye	 Describing how the human eye works. Explaining how the eye focuses on objects different distances away. Applying ideas about lenses to the correction of vision. 	Worksheet 1.4.9; Practical sheet 1.4.9; Technician's notes 1.4.9
Year 7	Term 3	12	1.4.10	Waves, light 3.4.2	Exploring coloured light	Colour and the different frequencies of light, white light and prisms (qualitative only); differential colour effects in absorption and diffuse reflection	 Describe how a spectrum can be produced from white light. Compare the properties of light atdifferent frequencies. Explain how light of different wavelengths can be split and recombined. 	Worksheet 1.4.10; Practical sheet 1.4.10; Technician's notes 1.4.10
Year 7	Term 3	12	End of chapter assess	ment and end of year	assessment			



Year 2 of 2-year scheme of work

Υe	ear	Term	Week	Student Book	Big Idea/	Title	Programme of study	Learning objectives	CD-ROM resources
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Book 2, Chapter 1: Forces - Contact forces and Pressure

Year 8	Term 1	1	2.1.1	Forces, Contact forces	Analysing equilibrium	Opposing forces and equilibrium: weight held by stretched spring or supported on a compressed surface Using force arrows in diagrams, adding forces in one dimension, balanced and unbalanced forces	 Analyse situations to identify the various forces that are acting. Explore static situations in which objects are held in equilibrium and the nature of the forces involved. 	Worksheet 2.1.1; Practical sheet 2.1.1; Technician's notes 2.1.1
Year 8	Term 1	1	2.1.2	Forces, Contact forces	What a drag!	Forces associated with rubbing and friction between surfaces, with pushing things out of the way; resistance to motion of air and water	 Describe the effects of drag and other forces on objects as they move. Describe factors which affect the size of frictional and drag forces. Evaluate how well sports or vehicle technology reduces frictional or drag forces. 	Worksheet 2.1.2; Technician's notes 2.1.2
Year 8	Term 1	1	2.1.3	Forces, Contact forces	Understanding stretch and compression	Forces associated with deforming objects Measurements of stretch or compression as force is changed	 Explain the relationship between an applied force and the change of shape of an object. Investigate forces involved in compressing and stretching materials. Identify applications for compressible and stretchable materials. 	Worksheet 2.1.3; Practical sheet 2.1.3; Technician's notes 2.1.3
Year 8	Term 1	2	2.1.4	Forces, Contact forces	Investigating Hooke's Law	Forces associated with deforming objects; stretching and squashing – springs Measurements of stretch or compression as force is changed Force–extension linear relation; Hooke's Law as a special case	 Investigate the effects of applied forces on springs. Generate data to produce a graph and analyse outcomes. 	Worksheet 2.1.4; Practical sheet 2.1.4; Technician's notes 2.1.4



Year 8	Term 1	2	2.1.5	Forces, Pressure	Exploring pressure on a solid surface	Pressure measured by of force over area – a normal to any surface	acting	 Explain how pressure can be applied on a solid surface. Describe some effects of varying pressure. 	Worksheet 2.1.5a; Worksheet 2.1.5b; Practical sheet 2.1.5; Technician's notes 2.1.5
Year 8	Term 1	2	2.1.6	Forces, Pressure	Exploring pressure in a fluid	Pressure in liquids, increasing with depth Atmospheric pressure decreases with increase height as weight of ai above decreases with	e; ase of r	 Describe how pressure in a liquid alters with depth. Describe how pressure in a gas varies with height above the Earth. Explain pressure changes in relation to particles and gravity. 	Worksheet 2.1.6; Technician's notes 2.1.6
Year 8	Term 1	3	2.1.7	Forces, Pressure	Calculating pressure	Pressure measured by of force over area – a normal to any surface	acting	 Identify the factors that determine the size of pressure on a solid. Calculate the size of pressure exerted. 	Worksheet 2.1.7; Practical sheet 2.1.7; Technician's notes 2.1.7
Year 8	Term 1	3	2.1.8	Forces, Pressure	Explaining floating and sinking	Upthrust effects, float and sinking	ting	 Explain why some objects float and others sink. Relate floating and sinking to density, displacement and upthrust. Explain the implications of these ideas. 	Worksheet 2.1.8; Practical sheet 2.1.8; Technician's notes 2.1.8
Year 8	Term 1	3/4	End of chapter assess	ment			•		



Book 2, Chapter 5: Matter - Periodic table and Elements

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Year 8	Term 1	4	2.5.1	Matter, periodic table	Looking at the periodic table of elements	The principles underpinning the Mendeleev periodic table The periodic table: periods and groups; metals and non-metals	 Navigate the periodic table and identify some of the elements. Identify features of the periodic table and describe how it is organised. Explain why the periodic table is useful. 	Worksheet 2.5.1; Technician's notes 2.5.1
Year 8	Term 1	4	2.5.2	Matter, periodic table	Exploring metals in the periodic table	The varying physical and chemical properties of different elements How patterns in reactions can be predicted with reference to the Periodic Table The properties of metals and non-metals	 Describe the physical properties of Group 1 metals. Describe the pattern in reactions of Group 1 metals. Use data to predict the reactivity and position of metals within the periodic table. 	Worksheet 2.5.2; Practical sheet 2.5.2; Technician's notes 2.5.2
Year 8	Term 1	5	2.5.3	Matter, periodic table	Exploring non- metals in the periodic table	The varying physical and chemical properties of different elements How patterns in reactions can be predicted with reference to the Periodic Table The properties of metals and non-metals	 Describe the physical properties of the halogens. Describe the pattern in reactions of the halogens. Use data to predict the reactivity and position of non-metals within the periodic table. 	Worksheet 2.5.3; Practical sheet 2.5.3; Technician's notes 2.5.3
Year 8	Term 1	5	2.5.4	Matter, periodic table	Analysing wider patterns within the periodic table	The varying physical and chemical properties of different elements How patterns in reactions can be predicted with reference to the Periodic Table	Sort elements using chemical data and relate this to their position in the periodic table.	Worksheet 2.5.4
Year 8	Term 1	5	2.5.5	Matter, Elements	Combining elements	Differences between atoms, elements and compounds Chemical symbols and formulas for elements and compounds	 Explain what is meant by a compound. Recognise how compounds are formed and named. Interpret the ratio of atoms and formula of compounds. 	Worksheet 2.5.5; Practical sheet 2.5.5; Technician's notes 2.5.5
Year 8	Term 1	6	2.5.6	Matter, Elements	Comparing elements and compounds	Differences between atoms, elements and compounds The chemical properties of metal and non-metal oxides	 Describe the properties of elements and the compound that they form. Compare the properties of elements with the properties of the compounds that they form. 	Worksheet 2.5.6; Practical sheet 2.5.6; Technician's notes 2.5.6



Year 8	Term 1	6	2.5.7	Matter, Elements	Exploring polymers	Properties of ceramics, polymers and composites (qualitative)	 Describe what a polymer is, using examples. Explain how the properties of polymers relate to their function. 	Worksheet 2.5.7; Technician's notes 2.5.7
Year 8	Term 1	6	2.5.8	Matter, Elements	Exploring ceramics and composites	Properties of ceramics, polymers and composites (qualitative)	 Describe what is meant by ceramic and composite, using examples. Explain how the properties of ceramics and composites relate to their function. 	Worksheet 2.5.8; Practical sheet 2.5.8; Technician's notes 2.5.8
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Book 2, Chapter 8: Organisms - Breathing and Digestion

Year 8	Term 1	7	2.8.1	Organisms, Breathing	Understanding how we breathe	The mechanism of breathing to move air in and out of the lungs, using a pressure model to explain the movement of gases	 Describe the mechanism of breathing in and out. Explain how changes in pressure help us to breathe. Evaluate a model of breathing. 	Worksheet 2.8.1; Technician's notes 2.8.1
Year 8	Term 1	8	2.8.2	Organisms, Breathing	Measuring breathing	The mechanism of breathing to move air in and out of the lungs, including simple measurements of lung volume	 Describe what is meant by lung volume and identify some simple methods to measure it. Identify independent, dependent and control variables in a lung volume investigation. Interpret and evaluate data linked to lung volume. 	Worksheet 2.8.2; Practical sheet 2.8.2; Technician's notes 2.8.2
Year 8	Term 1	8	2.8.3	Organisms, Breathing	Explaining gas exchange in humans	The structure and functions of the gas exchange system in humans, including adaptations to function	 Describe the features of the human gas exchange system. Explain how the features enable gases to be exchanged. Distinguish between breathing and respiration. 	Worksheet 2.8.3; Technician's notes 2.8.3
Year 8	Term 1	8	2.8.4	Organisms, Digestion	Exploring the effects of disease and lifestyle	The impact of exercise, asthma and smoking on the human gas exchange system	 Describe the physical effects of disease and lifestyle on the breathing system. Explain the physical effects of disease and lifestyle on the breathing system. Describe how our understanding about the effects of smoking has changed over time. 	Worksheet 2.8.4; Technician's notes 2.8.4
Year 8	Term 1	9	2.8.5	Organisms, Digestion	Exploring a healthy diet	Content of a healthy human diet: carbohydrates, lipids (fats and oils), proteins, vitamins, minerals, dietary	Describe the components of a healthy diet. Examine the importance of each component of a healthy diet.	Worksheet 2.8.5



						fibre and water, and each is needed	why	Compare the energy requirements of different healthy diets.	
Year 8	Term 1	9	2.8.6	Organisms, Digestion	Understanding the effects of an unbalanced diet	The consequences of imbalances in the di including obesity, sta and deficiency disease	et arvation	 Describe the physical effects of eating too much and eating too little. Identify the causes and effects of some deficiencies in the diet. 	Worksheet 2.8.6
Year 8	Term 1	9	2.8.7	Organisms, Digestion	Understanding the human digestive system	The tissues and orgithe digestive system including adaptation function	١,	 Identify the organs of the human digestive system. Describe the process of digestion. Evaluate a model of the digestive system. 	Worksheet 2.8.7; Practical sheet 2.8.7; Technician's notes 2.8.7
Year 8	Term 1	10	2.8.8	Organisms, Digestion	Understanding the roles of the digestive organs	The tissues and orgithe digestive system including adaptation function	١,	 Describe the roles of the organs of the digestive system. Describe the importance of enzymes and gut bacteria in digestion. Explain how the structure of each of the organs is adapted to its function. 	Worksheet 2.8.8; Technician's notes 2.8.8
Year 8	Term 1	10	End of chapter assess	sment					



Book 2, Chapter 2: Electromagnets – Magnetism and Electromagnetism

Year 8	Term 1	11	2.2.1	Electromagnets, Magnetism	Forces and fields	Magnetic poles, attraction and repulsion. Magnetic fields by plottion with compass, representation by field I Earth's magnetism, compass and navigation	tting I lines	 Know the laws of magnetic attraction. Explain how a magnetic field can be represented by field lines. Apply ideas about attraction to magnetic materials placed in a field. 	Worksheet 2.2.1; Technician's notes 2.2.1
Year 8	Term 1	11	2.2.2	Electromagnets, Magnetism	Using ideas about fields	Magnetic poles, attraction and repulsion. Magnetic fields by plottion with compass, representation by field I Earth's magnetism, compass and navigation	tting I lines	 Describe key features of the Earth's magnetic field. Explain why fields vary in strength. Explore the fields around combinations of magnets. 	Worksheet 2.2.2; Technician's notes 2.2.2
Year 8	Term 1	11	2.2.3	Electromagnets, Electromagnets	Investigating electromagnetism	The magnetic effect of a current, electromagnets		 Describe what an electromagnet is. Investigate the factors affecting the strength of electromagnets. 	Worksheet 2.2.3; Practical sheet 2.2.3; Technician's notes 2.2.3
Year 8	Term 1	12	2.2.4	Electromagnets, Electromagnets	Using electromagnets	Electromagnets		Describe different applications of electromagnets.	Worksheet 2.2.4
Year 8	Term 1	12	2.2.5	Electromagnets, Electromagnets	Investigating strength of electromagnets	The magnetic effect of a current, electromagnets D.C. motors		 Identify and manage variables Investigate the effect of changing variables. Draw conclusions about how the strength of an electromagnet can be controlled. 	Worksheet 2.2.5; Technician's notes 2.2.5
Year 8	Term 1	12	End of chapter assess	sment					



Book 2, Chapter 6: Reactions – Chemical energy and Types of reaction

Year 8	Term 2	1	2.6.1	Reactions, chemical energy	Understanding exothermic reactions	Internal energy stored in materials; exothermic chemical reactions (qualitative); comparing the starting with the final conditions of a system and describing increases and decreases in the amounts of energy associated with chemical compositions	 Describe examples of exothermic reactions. Explain the energy changes taking place during an exothermic reaction. 	Worksheet 2.6.1; Practical sheet 2.6.1; Technician's notes 2.6.1
Year 8	Term 2	1	2.6.2	Reactions, chemical energy	Comparing endothermic and exothermic changes	Exothermic and endothermic chemical reactions (qualitative); comparing the starting with the final conditions of a system and describing increases and decreases in the amounts of energy associated with chemical compositions	Describe examples of endothermic reactions.	Worksheet 2.6.2; Practical sheet 2.6.2; Technician's notes 2.6.2
Year 8	Term 2	1	2.6.3	Reactions, chemical energy	Investigating endothermic reactions	Exothermic and endothermic chemical reactions (qualitative);	 Choose a suitable range and interval of values in an investigation. Consider how to present data to make conclusions. 	Worksheet 2.6.3; Practical sheet 2.6.3; Technician's notes 2.6.3
Year 8	Term 2	2	2.6.4	Reactions, chemical energy	Explaining the use of catalysts	What catalysts do	Describe what a catalyst is. Explain how catalysts work.	Worksheet 2.6.4; Practical sheet 2.6.4; Technician's notes 2.6.4
Year 8	Term 2	2	2.6.5	Reactions, types of reaction	Exploring combustion	Chemical reactions as the rearrangement of atoms Representing chemical reactions using formulas and using equations Combustion Fuels and energy resources Exothermic and endothermic chemical reactions (qualitative);	 Summarise combustion using an equation. Make observations during chemical reactions. Write word equations to represent chemical changes. Explain chemical changes using a model. 	Worksheet 2.6.5; Technician's notes 2.6.5
Year 8	Term 2	2	2.6.6	Reactions, types of reaction	Exploring the use of fuels		 Identify applications of combustion reactions. Identify fuels used in different applications. 	Worksheet 2.6.6; Practical sheet 2.6.6; Technician's notes 2.6.6



								Compare the energy content of different fuels.	
Year 8	Term 2	3	2.6.7	Reactions, types of reaction	Understanding thermal decomposition	Chemical reactions, the decomposition	nermal	 Recognise and explain thermal decomposition reactions. Describe some uses of thermal decomposition. 	Worksheet 2.6.7; Practical sheet 2.6.7a; Practical sheet 2.6.7b; Technician's notes 2.6.7
Year 8	Term 2	3	2.6.8	Reactions, types of reaction	Explaining changes	Differences between a elements and compour Chemical symbols and formulae for elements compounds Conservation of mass changes of state and chemical reactions Chemical reactions as rearrangement of atom Thermal decomposition oxidation	ands d and s the	 Observe and explain mass changes for chemical and physical processes. Use particle diagrams to explain chemical processes. 	Worksheet 2.6.8; Practical sheet 2.6.8; Technician's notes 2.6.8
Year 8	Term 2	3/4	3/4 Assessments						

Book 2, Chapter 9: Ecosystems - Respiration and Photosynthesis

Year 8	Term 2	4	2.9.1	Ecosystems, Respiration	Understanding aerobic respiration	Aerobic and anaerobic respiration in living organisms, including the breakdown of organic molecules to enable all the other chemical processes necessary for life The word equation for aerobic respiration	 Recall the equation for respiration and describe what it shows. Explain the importance of respiration. Apply what we know about respiration. 	Worksheet 2.9.1; Practical sheet 2.9.1; Technician's notes 2.9.1
Year 8	Term 2	4	2.9.2	Ecosystems, Respiration	Exploring respiration in sport	Aerobic and anaerobic respiration in living organisms, including the breakdown of organic molecules to enable all the other chemical processes necessary for life	 Describe what is meant by anaerobic respiration. Explain why some sports involve more aerobic or more anaerobic respiration. Explain what is meant 5by oxygen debt. 	Worksheet 2.9.2
Year 8	Term 2	5	2.9.3	Ecosystems, Respiration	Understanding anaerobic respiration	The process of anaerobic respiration in humans and micro-organisms, including	Recall that plants and microbes carry out anaerobic respiration.	Worksheet 2.9.3; Practical sheet 2.9.3; Technician's notes



						fermentation, and the word equation for anaerobic respiration	 Recall the word equation for fermentation in plants and microbes. Describe some evidence to show that anaerobic respiration can produce carbon dioxide. 	2.9.3
Year 8	Term 2	5	2.9.4	Ecosystems, Respiration	Investigating fermentation	The process of anaerobic respiration in humans and micro-organisms, including fermentation, and the word equation for anaerobic respiration	 Describe some applications of fermentation. Identify dependent, independent and control variables in an investigation. Analyse data and identify next steps. 	Worksheet 2.9.4; Practical sheet 2.9.4; Technician's notes 2.9.4
Year 8	Term 2	5	2.9.5	Ecosystems, Respiration	Comparing aerobic and anaerobic respiration	The differences between aerobic and anaerobic respiration in terms of the reactants, the products formed and the implications for the organism	Describe some similarities and differences between aerobic and anaerobic respiration.	Worksheet 2.9.5
Year 8	Term 2	6	2.9.6	Ecosystems, Photosynthesis	Exploring how plants make food	The reactants in, and products of, photosynthesis, and a word summary for photosynthesis Plants making carbohydrates in their leaves by photosynthesis	 Describe a method to show that chlorophyll is essential for photosynthesis. Identify risks and control measures. 	Worksheet 2.9.6; Practical sheet 2.9.6; Technician's notes 2.9.6
Year 8	Term 2	6	2.9.7	Ecosystems, Photosynthesis	Looking at leaves	The adaptations of leaves for photosynthesis	 Relate the size of a leaf to the availability of light. Relate the function of the leaf to its structure and the types of cell. Evaluate the structure of a cell related to its function. 	Worksheet 2.9.7; Practical sheet 2.9.7; Technician's notes 2.9.7
Year 8	Term 2	6	2.9.8	Ecosystems, Photosynthesis	Exploring the movement of water and minerals in plants	Plants gain mineral nutrients and water from the soil via their roots	 Identify how water and minerals move through a plant. Explain how water and minerals move through a plant. Evaluate the cell structures that allow the movement of water and minerals through a plant. 	Worksheet 2.9.8a; Worksheet 2.9.8b; Practical sheet 2.9.8; Technician's notes 2.9.8
Year 8	Term 2	7	2.9.9	Ecosystems, Photosynthesis	Investigating the importance of minerals to plants		 Identify the minerals essential to healthy plant growth. Explain the effects of a deficiency in essential minerals. Evaluate the limitations of evidence. 	Worksheet 2.9.9a; Worksheet 2.9.9b; Practical sheet 2.9.9; Technician's notes 2.9.9



Year 8	Term 2	7	2.9.10	Ecosystems, Photosynthesis	Investigating photosynthesis	The reactants in, and products of, photosynthesis and a word summary for photosynthesis	S,	 Identify the factors that can affect photosynthesis. Predict results of investigations. Interpret secondary data about photosynthesis. 	Worksheet 2.9.10a; Worksheet 2.9.10b; Practical sheet 2.9.10a; Practical sheet 2.9.10b; Technician's notes 2.9.10
Year 8	Term 2	7/8	End of chanter assess	ement					



Book 2, Chapter 3: Energy – Work and Heating and cooling

Year 8	Term 2	8	2.3.1	Energy, Work	Doing work	Work done; simple machines give bigge but at the expense or smaller movement (a versa): product of for displacement unchar	f and vice rce and	 Recognise situations where work is done. Describe the relationship work done = force × distance. Apply the equation for work done to different situations. 	Worksheet 2.3.1; Technician's notes 2.3.1
Year 8	Term 2	8	2.3.2	Energy, Work	Making work easier	Work done; simple machines give bigge but at the expense or smaller movement (a versa): product of for displacement unchar	f and vice rce and	 Understand what simple machines are. Explain why they are useful. Compare and contrast different machines 	Worksheet 2.3.2; Technician's notes 2.3.2
Year 8	Term 2	9	2.3.3	Energy, heating and cooling	Explaining thermal energy	Heating and thermal equilibrium: temperal difference between to objects leading to en	ture wo	Describe how temperature differences lead to energy transfer.	Worksheet 2.3.3; Practical sheet 2.3.3; Technician's notes 2.3.3
Year 8	Term 2	9	2.3.4	Energy, heating and cooling	How heat travels	transfer from the hott the cooler one Comparing the startii the final conditions o	ng with f a	 Explain how heat can travel by conduction, convection and radiation. Give examples of each of these happening. 	Worksheet 2.3.4; Technician's notes 2.3.4
Year 8	Term 2	9	2.3.5	Energy, heating and cooling	How to stop heat from travelling	system and describing increases and decreate the amounts of energy associated with temperatures	ases in	 Explain the difference between conductors and insulators. Explain how insulation works. Apply ideas about insulation to practical applications. 	Worksheet 2.3.5; Practical sheet 2.3.5; Technician's notes 2.3.5
Year 8	Term 2	10	2.3.6	Energy, heating and cooling	Energy and temperature	Heating and thermal equilibrium: temperar difference between to objects leading to en transfer from the hott the cooler one, throu contact (conduction) radiation; such transfer temperature difference of insulators	ture wo ergy ter to gh or fers	 Describe the warming and cooling of objects. Explain the relationship between energy transfer and temperature change. 	Worksheet 2.3.6; Practical sheet 2.3.6; Technician's notes 2.3.6
Year 8	Term 2	10	End of chapter assess	sment					

Book 2, Chapter 7: Earth – Climate and Earth resources

Year 8	Term 2	11	2.7.1	Earth, Climate	Understanding our atmosphere	The composition of the atmosphere	Describe the composition of our atmosphere.	Worksheet 2.7.1; Practical sheet 2.7.1;
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Term 2 Term 2	11 11 12	2.7.2	Earth, Climate Earth, Climate	Understanding how carbon is recycled Exploring how humans affect the carbon cycle	the carbon cycle, the composition of the atmosphere and the production of carbon by human activity and impact on climate.	dioxide	Changed. Describe the carbon cycle. Understand that human activities affect the carbon cycle. Appreciate the scale of this impact.	Worksheet 2.7.2; Practical sheet 2.7.2; Technician's notes 2.7.2 Worksheet 2.7.3; Technician's notes 2.7.3
				humans affect the	composition of the atmosphere and the production of carbon by human activity and	dioxide	the carbon cycle. Appreciate the scale of this impact.	Technician's notes
Term 2	12	2.7.4			impact on climate.		Explain how the impact relates to carbon stores as well as carbon dioxide producers.	
			Earth, Climate	Understanding global warming	The production of car dioxide by human act and the impact on clir	tivity	Describe the effects of global warming. Explain the consequences of global warming for living things. Evaluate the arguments for human activity impacting on global warming.	Worksheet 2.7.4
Term 2	12	2.7.5	Earth, Earth resources	Exploring damage to the Earth's resources		•	Describe resources that the Earth provides. Explain how human activity limits these resources. Justify decisions about making changes to the environment.	Worksheet 2.7.5
Term 2	12	2.7.6	Earth, Earth resources	Considering the importance of recycling		_	Describe examples of recycling. Explain the benefits and limitations of recycling schemes. Compare the efficiency of recycling methods.	Worksheet 2.7.6; Practical sheet 2.7.6; Technician's notes 2.7.6
Term 3	1	2.7.7	Earth, Earth resources	How to extract metals	carbon in the reactivit series and the use of	ty f carbon	Understand that most metals are found as ores. Understand how less reactive metals can be extracted. Understand how more reactive metals can be extracted.	Worksheet 2.7.7; Technician's notes 2.7.7
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Book 2, Chapter 10: Genes - Evolution and Inheritance

Year 8	Term 3	2	2.10.1	Genes, Evolution	Explaining natural selection	The variation between species and between individuals of the same species means some organisms compete more successfully, which can drive natural selection	Describe how variation causes competition for resources, and drives natural selection.	Worksheet 2.10.1; Practical sheet 2.10.1; Technician's notes 2.10.1
Year 8	Term 3	2	2.10.2	Genes, Evolution	Understanding the importance of biodiversity	Changes in the environment may leave individuals within a species, and some entire species, less well adapted to compete successfully and reproduce, which in turn may lead to extinction The importance of maintaining biodiversity and the use of gene banks to preserve hereditary material	 Describe what is meant by biodiversity. Explain the importance of biodiversity. 	Worksheet 2.10.2
Year 8	Term 3	2	2.10.3	Genes, Evolution	Explaining extinction	Changes in the environment may leave individuals within a species, and some entire species, less well adapted to compete successfully and reproduce, which in turn may lead to extinction The importance of maintaining biodiversity and the use of gene banks to preserve hereditary material	 Identify changes that can cause a species to become extinct. Explain the use of gene banks to preserve hereditary material before a species becomes extinct. Analyse and evaluate theories of what caused the extinction of the dinosaurs. 	Worksheet 2.10.3
Year 8	Term 3	3	2.10.4	Genes, Inheritance	Understanding the nature of genetic material	A simple model of chromosomes, genes and DNA in heredity, including the part played by Watson, Crick, Wilkins and Franklin in the development of the DNA model	 Identify that the nucleus contains chromosomes, which carry inherited genetic information. Describe the link between chromosomes, genes and DNA. Describe the structure of DNA. Assess the work of Watson, Crick, Wilkins and Franklin on DNA structure. 	Worksheet 2.10.4a; Worksheet 2.10.4b; Practical sheet 2.10.4; Technician's notes 2.10.4



Year 8	Term 3	3	2.10.5	Genes, Inheritance	Exploring the role of chromosomes	A simple model of chromosomes, gene DNA in heredity	es and	 Identify that a fertilised egg contains a full set of chromosomes, half from each parent. Explain the number of chromosomes in gametes. Explain how some genetic disorders arise. 	Worksheet 2.10.5a; Worksheet 2.10.5b; Practical sheet 2.10.5; Technician's notes 2.10.5
Year 8	Term 3	3	2.10.6	Genes, Inheritance	Understanding variation	Heredity as the proc which genetic inform transmitted from one generation to the ne	nation is	 Identify inherited characteristics in plants and animals that vary between offspring. Explain how inherited differences arise by genetic material from both parents combining. Describe how identical twins occur and analyse data about their features. 	Worksheet 2.10.6; Technician's notes 2.10.6
Year 8	Term 3	4	2.10.7	Genes, Inheritance	Modelling inheritance	Heredity as the proc which genetic inform transmitted from one generation to the ne	nation is	 Use a model to represent inheritance of a trait. Predict likelihood of offspring inheriting specific traits. 	Worksheet 2.10.7
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Book 2, Chapter 4: Waves - Wave effects and Wave properties

Year 8	Term 3	5	2.4.1	Waves, Wave effects	Exploring sound	frequencies of sound waves, measured in hertz (Hz); echoes, reflection and absorption of sound sound needs a medium to travel, the speed of sound in	 Understand how sound waves vary in frequency. Apply ideas about frequency to understand ultrasound. Understand practical applications of ultrasound. 	Worksheet 2.4.1; Technician's notes 2.4.1
Year 8	Term 3	5	2.4.2	Waves, Wave effects	Sound systems	air, in water, in solids auditory range of humans and animals. use for cleaning and physiotherapy by ultra- sound; waves transferring information for conversion to electrical signals by microphone. sound produced by vibrations of objects, in loud speakers, detected by their effects on microphone diaphragm and the ear drum; sound waves are longitudinal	 Understand the function of microphones and loudspeakers. Understand how audio equipment responds to different frequencies. 	Worksheet 2.4.2; Technician's notes 2.4.2
Year 8	Term 3	5	2.4.3	Waves, wave properties	Exploring light	the similarities and differences between light waves and waves in matter light waves travelling	 Understanding light can vary in frequency. Describe UV light and its risks. Explain the uses of UV light. 	Worksheet 2.4.3; Technician's notes 2.4.3
Year 8	Term 3	6	2.4.4	Waves, wave properties	Exploring waves	through a vacuum; speed of light the transmission of light through materials: absorption, diffuse	 Use water waves to model wave behaviour. Understand and apply the processes of reflection and absorption. 	Worksheet 2.4.4; Technician's notes 2.4.4
Year 8	Term 3	6	2.4.5	Waves, wave properties	Comparing transverse and longitudinal waves	scattering and specular reflection at a surface use of ray model to explain imaging in mirrors, the pinhole camera, the refraction of light and action of convex lens in focusing (qualitative); the human eye light transferring energy from source to absorber leading to chemical and	 Understanding longitudinal waves. Understanding transverse waves. Comparing types of wave 	Worksheet 2.4.5; Practical sheet 2.4.5; Technician's notes 2.4.5



				electrical effects; ph sensitive material in retina and in camera colours and the diffe frequencies of light, light and prisms (qu only); differential co effects in absorption diffuse reflection. Waves on water as undulations which to through water with transverse motion; to waves can be reflect add or cancel — superposition	n the ras erent , white ualitative olour n and rravel	
Year 8	Term 3	6/7	End of chapter assessment			
Year 8	Term 3	7 to 12	Revision and end of Key Stage assessment			





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Year 9	Term 1	1/2	B: 1 Cell biology	1.1	Looking at cells	Describe the structure of eukaryotic cells. Recognise the order of magnitude of cells. Explain how the main subcellular structures are related to their functions.	4.1.1.1; 4.1.1.2	Worksheets 1.1.1, 1.1.2 and 1.1.3; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 1	1/2	B: 1 Cell biology	1.2	The light microscope	Describe how to use a microscope. Observe plant and animal cells with a light microscope. Understand the limitations of light microscopy.	4.1.1.5	Worksheet 1.2; Practical sheet 1.2; Technician's notes 1.2; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 1	1/2	B: 1 Cell biology	1.3	Looking at cells in more detail	Identify the differences in the magnification and resolving power of light and electron microscopes. Describe simply how electron microscopes work in comparison to light microscopes. Explain how electron microscopy has increased our understanding of sub-cellular structures.	4.1.1.2; 4.1.1.5	Worksheet 1.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	1/2	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.1	Elements and compounds	Identify symbols of elements from the periodic table.	4.1.1.1	Practical sheet 1.1.1, Worksheet 1.1.1, Worksheet 1.1.2, Technician's notes 1.1.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet



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						Recognise compounds from their formula. Identify the elements in a compound			Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 1	1/2	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.2	Atoms, formulae and equations	 Explain that an element consists of the same type of atoms. Explain that atoms join together to make molecules. Explain how formulae represent elements and compounds. 	4.1.1.1	Practical sheet 1.2; Worksheets 1.2.1, 1.2.2 and 1.2.3; Technician's notes 1.2; Presentation 1.2.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 9	Term 1	1/2	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.3	Mixtures	Recognise that all substances are chemicals. Understand that all substances are either mixtures, compounds or elements. Explain that mixtures can be separated.	4.1.1.2, 4.8.1.1	Practical sheet 1.3.1; Worksheets 1.3.1 and 1.3.2; Technician's notes 1.3.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	1/2	P: 1 Energy	1.1	Potential energy	 Consider what happens when a spring is stretched. Describe what is meant by gravitational potential energy. Calculate the energy stored by an object raised above ground level. 	4.1.1.1 4.1.1.2	Worksheet 1.1; Practical sheet 1.1; Technician's notes 1.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	1/2	P: 1 Energy	1.2	Investigatin g kinetic energy	Describe how the kinetic energy store of an object changes as its speed changes Calculate kinetic energy. Consider how energy is transferred.	4.1.1.1 4.1.1.2	Worksheet 1.2; Practical sheet 1.2.1 and 1.2.2; Technician's notes 1.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 1	3/4	B: 1 Cell biology	1.4	Required practical: Using a light microscope to observe and record	Apply knowledge to select techniques, instruments, apparatus and materials to observe cells. Make and record observations and measurements.	4.1.1.2 Prac 1	Worksheets 1.4.1 and 1.4.2; Practical sheets 1.4.1 and 1.4.2; Technician's notes 1.4; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video



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					animal and plant cells	Present observations and other data using appropriate methods.			
Year 9	Term 1	3/4	B: 1 Cell biology	1.5	Primitive cells	Describe and explain the differences between prokaryotic cells and eukaryotic cells. Explain how prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells evolved over time.	4.1.1.1; 4.1.1.2; 4.6.4	Worksheet 1.5; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	3/4	B: 1 Cell biology	1.6	Cell division	Describe the process of mitosis in growth, and mitosis as part of the cell cycle. Describe how the process of mitosis produces cells that are identical genetically to the parent cell.	4.1.2.1; 4.1.2.2	Worksheets 1.6.1 and 1.6.2; Technician's notes 1.6; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	3/4	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.4	Changing ideas about atoms	Describe how the atomic model has changed over time. Explain why the atomic model has changed over time. Understand that a theory is provisional until the next piece of evidence is available.	4.1.1.3	Worksheets 1.4.1, 1.4.2 and 1.4.3; Technician's notes 1.4.1; Presentation 1.4.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 9	Term 1	3/4	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.5	Modelling the atom	Describe the atom as a positively charged nucleus surrounded by negatively charged electrons. Explain that most of the mass of an atom is in the nucleus. Explain that the nuclear radius is much smaller than that of the atom and with most of the mass in the nucleus.	4.1.1.4; 4.1.1.5	Worksheet 1.5.1; Technician's notes 1.5.1; Presentation 1.5.1 'Helium'; Graph plotter 1.5.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz higher tier
Year 9	Term 1	3/4	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.6	Relating charges and masses	Describe the structure of atoms. Recall the relative masses and charges of protons, neutrons and electrons. Explain why atoms are neutral.	4.1.1.4, 4.1.1.6	Worksheet 1.6.1; Technician's notes 1.6.1; Presentation 1.6.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 9	Term 1	3/4	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.7	Sub-atomic particles	Use the definitions of atomic number and mass number. Calculate the number of protons, neutrons and electrons in atoms. Calculate the number of subatomic particles in isotopes and ions.	4.1.1.5	Worksheets 1.7.1 and 1.7.2; Presentation 1.7.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 1	3/4	P: 1 Energy	1.3	Work done and energy transfer	Understand what is meant by work done. Explain the relationship between work done and force applied. Identify the transfers between energy stores when work is done against friction.	4.1.1.1 4.5.2	Worksheet 1.3; Practical sheet 1.3.1 and 1.3.2; Technician's notes 1.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 1	3/4	P: 1 Energy	1.4	Understandi ng power	Define power. Compare the rate of energy transfer by various machines and electrical appliances. Calculate power.	4.1.1.4	Worksheet 1.4; Practical sheet 1.4.1 and 1.4.2; Technician's notes 1.4.1 and 1.4.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	3/4	P: 1 Energy	1.13	Maths skills: Calculations using significant figures	 Substitute numerical values into equations and use appropriate units. Change the subject of an equation. Give an answer to an appropriate number of significant figures 	4.1.1.1, 4.1.1.2, 4.1.1.4	Worksheet 1.13	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	5/6	B: 1 Cell biology	1.7	Cell differentiatio n	Explain the importance of cell differentiation. Understand size and scale in relation to cells, tissues, organs and body systems. Describe how cells, tissues, organs and organ systems are organised to make up an organism.	4.1.1.3; 4.1.1.4; 4.2.1	Worksheet 1.7; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 9	Term 1	5/6	B: 1 Cell biology	1.8	Cancer	 Describe cancer as a condition resulting from changes in cells that lead to their uncontrolled growth, division and spread. Understand some of the risk factors that trigger cells to become cancerous. 	4.2.2.7	Worksheets 1.8.1, 1.8.2 and 1.8.3; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 9	Term 1	5/6	B: 1 Cell biology	1.9	Stem cells	Identify cells as being differentiated, or as stem cells. Describe the function of stem cells in embryonic and adult animals. Explain how stem cells can be useful.	4.1.2.3	Worksheets 1.9.1 and 1.9.2; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	5/6	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.8	Electronic structure	 Explain how electrons occupy 'shells' in an order. Describe the pattern of the electrons in shells for the first 20 elements. 	4.1.1.7	Worksheets 1.8.1, 1.8.2 and 1.8.3; Technician's notes 1.8.1; Presentation 1.8.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	5/6	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.9	The periodic table	 Explain how the electronic structure of atoms follows a pattern. Recognise that the number of electrons in an element's atoms outer shell corresponds to the element's group number. Explain that the electronic structures of transition metals position the elements into the transition metal block. 	4.1.2.1	Worksheet 1.9.1, Worksheet 1.9.2, Worksheet 1.9.3, Presentation 1.9.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 9	Term 1	5/6	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.10	Developing the periodic table	Describe the steps in the development of the periodic table. Explain how Mendeleev left spaces for undiscovered elements.	4.1.2.2	Worksheets 1.10.1 and 1.10.2; Technician's notes 1.10.1; Presentation 1.10.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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						Explain why the element order in the modern periodic table was changed. Explain how testing a prediction can support or refute a new scientific idea.			
Year 9	Term 1	5/6	P: 1 Energy	1.5	Specific heat capacity	 Understand how things heat up. Find out about heating water. Find out about specific heat capacity. 	4.1.1.3	Worksheet 1.5; Practical sheet 1.5; Technician's notes 1.5	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	5/6	P: 1 Energy	1.6	Required practical: Investigatin g specific heat capacity	 Use theories to develop a hypothesis. Evaluate a method and suggest improvements. Perform calculations to support conclusions. 	4.1.1.3 Prac 1	Worksheet 1.6; Practical sheet 1.6; Technician's notes 1.6	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	7/8	B: 1 Cell biology	1.10	Stem cell banks	Explore the use of stem cells in medicine. Identify the risks in using stem cells. Evaluate the benefits and disadvantages of using stem cells.	4.1.2.3	Worksheet 1.10; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 9	Term 1	7/8	B: 1 Cell biology	1.11	Key concept: Cell developmen t	Revise ideas about cell structure, cell division and stem cells. Apply ideas about cells to unfamiliar contexts. Describe how plant meristems can be used in cloning.	4.1.1.4; 4.1.2.2; 4.1.2.3	Worksheets 1.11.1 and 1.11.2; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 9	Term 1	7/8	B: 1 Cell biology	1.12	Cells at work	Recognise that all organisms respire. Explain respiration as the process of making energy. Describe aerobic respiration as an exothermic reaction.	4.4.2.1	Worksheet 1.12; Practical sheet 1.12; Technician's notes 1.12; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 9	Term 1	7/8	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.11	Comparing metals and non-metals	Recall a number of physical properties of metals and nonmetals. Describe some chemical properties of metals and nonmetals. Explain the differences between metals and non-metals on the basis of their characteristic physical and chemical properties.	4.1.2.3	Practical sheet 1.11.1; Worksheet 1.11.1; Technician's notes 1.11.1; Presentations 1.11.1 and 1.11.2.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	7/8	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.12	Metals and non-metals	Describe why metals are found on the left of the periodic table and non-metals on the right. Explain the differences between metals and non-metals based on their physical and chemical properties. Explain why metals form positive ions and non-metals do not.	4.1.1.7 4.1.2.3	Worksheets 1.12.1 and 1.12.2; Technician's notes 1.12.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 9	Term 1	7/8	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.13	Key concept: The outer electrons	Recognise when electrons transfer. Recognise when atoms share electrons. Predict when electrons are transferred most easily.	4.1.1.7	Worksheet 1.13.1; Technician's notes 1.13.1; Presentation 1.13.1 '	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	7/8	P: 1 Energy	1.7	Dissipation of energy	Explain ways of reducing unwanted energy transfer. Describe what affects the rate of cooling of a building. Understand that energy is dissipated.	4.1.2.1	Worksheet 1.7; Practical sheet 1.7.1, 1.7.2 and 1.7.3; Technician's notes 1.7	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 1	7/8	P: 1 Energy	1.8	Energy efficiency	Explain what is meant by energy efficiency. Calculate the efficiency of energy transfers.	4.1.2.2	Worksheet 1.8; Practical sheet 1.8.1, 1.8.2, 1.8.3, 1.8.4 and 1.8.5; Technician's notes 1.8.1 and 1.8.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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						Find out about conservation of energy.			
Year 9	Term 1	9/10	B: 1 Cell biology	1.13	Living without oxygen	Describe the process of anaerobic respiration. Compare the processes of aerobic and anaerobic respiration. Explain how the body removes lactic acid produces during anaerobic respiration.	4.4.2.1; 4.4.2.2	Worksheet 1.13; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 9	Term 1	9/10	B: 1 Cell biology	1.14	Growing microorgani sms	 Describe the techniques used to produce uncontaminated cultures of microorganisms. Describe how bacteria reproduce by binary fission. Calculate the number of bacteria in a population. 	4.1.1.6	Worksheet 1.14; Practical sheet 1.14; Technician's notes 1.14; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	9/10	B: 1 Cell biology	1.15	Testing new antibiotics	 Use appropriate apparatus to investigate the effect of antibiotics on bacterial growth. Use microorganisms safely. Apply sampling techniques to ensure that samples are representative. 	4.1.1.6; 4.3.1.8	Worksheets 1.15.1, 1.15.2 and 1.15.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	9/10	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.14	Exploring Group 0	Describe the unreactivity of the noble gases. Predict and explain the trends of boiling point of the noble gases (going down the group). Explain how properties of the elements in Group 0 depend on the outer shell of electrons of their atoms.	4.1.2.4	Worksheet 1.14.1; Graph plotter 1.14.1; Presentations 1.14.1 and 1.14.2 'Group 0'	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 1	9/10	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.15	Exploring Group 1	Explain why Group 1 metals are known as the alkali metals.	4.1.2.5	Worksheets 1.15.1, 1.15.2 and 1.15.3; Technician's notes 1.14.1; Presentation 1.15.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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						Predict the properties of other Group 1 metals from trends down the group. Relate the properties of the alkali metals to the number of electrons in their outer shell.			
Year 9	Term 1	9/10	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.16	Exploring Group 7	Recall that fluorine, chlorine, bromine and iodine are nonmetals called halogens. Describe that they react vigorously with alkali metals. Construct balanced symbol equations for the reactions of metals with halogens.	4.1.2.6	Worksheets 1.16.1, 1.16.2 and 1.16.3; Technician's notes 1.16.1 and 1.16.2; Presentation 1.16.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 1	9/10	P: 1 Energy	1.9	Required practical: Investigatin g ways of reducing the unwanted energy transfers in a system	Use scientific ideas to make predictions. Analyse data to identify trends. Evaluate an experimental procedure.	4.1.2.1 Prac 2	Worksheet 1.9; Practical sheet 1.9; Technician's notes 1.9	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	9/10	P: 1 Energy	1.12	Key concept: Energy transfer	 Understand why energy is a key concept in science. Use ideas about energy stores and energy transfers to explain what energy does. Understand why accounting for energy transfers is a useful idea. 	4.1	Worksheet 1.12; Practical sheet 1.12.1 and 1.12.2; Technician's notes 1.12.1 and 1.12.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 1	11/12	B: 1 Cell biology	1.16	Required practical: Investigatin g disinfectants	Carry out experiments with due regard to health and safety. Present and process data, identifying anomalous results. Evaluate methods and suggest further investigations	4.1.1.6 Prac 2	Worksheet 1.16; Practical sheet 1.16; Technician's notes 1.16	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow



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Year 9	Term 1	11/12	B: 1 Cell biology	1.17	Maths skills: Size and number	To make estimates of the results of simple calculations, without using a calculator. To use ratio and proportion to calibrate a microscope. To recognise and use numbers in decimal and standard form.	4.1.1.1; 4.1.1.2; 4.1.1.5	Worksheets 1.17.1 and 1.17.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 9	Term 1	11/12	B: 1 Cell biology	End of chap Student Boo End of chap Connect		Assessment			End of chapter test
Year 9	Term 1	11/12	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.17	Reaction trends and predicting reactions	 Explain why the trends down the group in Group 1 and in Group 7 are different. Explain the changes across a period. Predict the reactions of elements with water, dilute acid or oxygen from their position in the periodic table. 	4.1.2.1	Worksheet 1.17.1; Presentation 1.17.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	11/12	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.18	Transition metals	 Compare the properties of transition metals with Group 1 metals. Describe the formation of coloured ions with different charges. Explore the properties of Cr, Mn, Fe, Co, Ni and Cu. 	4.1.3.1, 4.1.3.2	Worksheet 1.18.1; Technician's notes 1.18.1; Presentation 1.18.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 1	11/12	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	1.19	Maths skills: Standard form and making estimates	 Recognise the format of standard form. Convert decimals to standard form and vice versa. Make estimates without calculators so the answer in standard form seems reasonable. 		Worksheet 1.19.1; Technician's notes 1.19.1; Presentation 1.19.1	Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	11/12	C: 1 Atomic structure and the periodic table	End of chap Student Boo		Assessment			End of chapter test



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				End of chap	ter test Collins				
Year 9	Term 1	11/12	P: 1 Energy	1.10	Using energy resources	Describe the main energy sources available for use on Earth. Distinguish between renewable and non-renewable sources. Explain the ways in which the energy resources are used.	4.1.3	Worksheet 1.10; Practical sheet 1.10; Technician's notes 1.10	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 1	11/12	P: 1 Energy	End of chap Student Boo End of chap Connect		Assessment			End of chapter test
Year 9	Term 2	13/14	B: 2 Photosynthesis	2.1	Explaining photosynthe sis	 Identify the raw materials and products of photosynthesis. Describe photosynthesis by an equation. Explain gas exchange in leaves. 	4.4.1.1	Worksheet 2.1; Practical sheet 2.1; Technician's notes 2.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 2	13/14	B: 2 Photosynthesis	2.2	Looking at photosynthe sis	Explain the importance of photosynthesis. Explain how plants use the glucose they produce.	4.4.1.1; 4.4.1.3; 4.2.3.2	Worksheet 2.2; Technician's notes 2.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 2	13/14	B: 2 Photosynthesis	2.3	Investigatin g leaves	Identify the internal structures of a leaf. Explain how the structure of a leaf is adapted for photosynthesis. Recall that chlorophyll pigments in chloroplasts absorb light energy for photosynthesis.	4.2.3.1; 4.2.3.2	Worksheets 2.3.1, 2.3.2 and Technician's notes 2.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 2	13/14	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.1	Chemical bonds	Describe the three main types of bonding. Explain how electrons are used in the three main types of bonding.	4.2.1.1	Worksheets 2.1.1 and 2.1.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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						Explain how bonding and properties are linked.			Homework quiz – higher tier
Year 9	Term 2	13/14	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.2	lonic bonding	 Represent an ionic bond with a diagram. Draw dot and cross diagrams for ionic compounds. Work out the charge on the ions of metals from the group number of the element (1, 2, 6 & 7). 	4.2.1.2	Practical sheet 2.2.1; Worksheet 2.2.1; Technician's notes 2.2.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz - higher tier Video
Year 9	Term 2	13/14	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.3	lonic compounds	Identify ionic compounds from structures. Explain the limitations of diagrams and models. Work out the empirical formula of an ionic compound.	4.2.1.3	Practical sheet 2.3.1; Worksheets 2.3.1, 2.3.2 and 2.3.3; Technician's notes 2.3.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz higher tier
Year 9	Term 2	13/14	P: 1 Energy	1.11	Global energy supplies	Analyse global trends in energy use. Understand what the issues are when using energy resources.	4.1.3	Worksheet 1.11; Practical sheet 1.11; Technician's notes 1.11	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 2	13/14	P: 1 Energy	1.14	Maths skills: Handling data	Recognise the difference between mean, mode and median. Explain the use of tables and frequency tables. Explain when to use scatter diagrams, bar charts and histograms.		Worksheet 1.14	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 2	15/16	B: 2 Photosynthesis	2.4	Required practical: Investigate the effect of light intensity on the rate of photosynthe	Identify and manage variables. Process data and identify outliers. Evaluate an experimental process.	4.4.1.2 Prac 6	Worksheet 2.4; Practical sheets 2.4.1, 2.4.2 and 2.4.3; Technician's notes 2.4	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow



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					sis using an aquatic organism such as pondweed				
Year 9	Term 2	15/16	B: 2 Photosynthesis	2.5	Increasing photosynthe sis	 Identify factors that affect the rate of photosynthesis. Interpret data about the rate of photosynthesis. Explain the interaction of factors in limiting the rate of photosynthesis. 	4.4.1.2	Worksheet 2.5; Technician's notes 2.5	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 2	15/16	B: 2 Photosynthesis	2.6	Increasing food production	Explain how factors that increase food production can be controlled. Evaluate the benefits of manipulating the environment to increase food production. Understand use inverse square law and light intensity in the context of photosynthesis.	4.4.1.2	Worksheet 2.6; Technician's notes 2.6	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 9	Term 2	15/16	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.4	Covalent bonding	Recognise substances made of small molecules from their formula. Draw dot and cross diagrams for small molecules. Deduce molecular formulae from models and diagrams.	4.2.1.4	Worksheets 2.4.1 and 2.4.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 9	Term 2	15/16	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.5	Metallic bonding	Describe why metals form giant structures. Explain how metal ions are held together. Explain the delocalisation of electrons.	4.2.1.5	Practical sheet 2.5.1; Worksheets 2.5.1 and 2.5.2; Technician's notes 2.5.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz – higher tier Video



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Year 9	Term 2	15/16	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.6	Three states of matter	Use data to predict the states of substances. Explain the changes of state. Use state symbols in chemical equations.	4.2.2.1, 4.2.2.2	Practical sheet 2.6.1; Worksheets 2.6.1 and 2.6.2: Technician's notes 2.6.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz - higher tier Slideshow Video
Year 9	Term 2	15/16	P: 2 Electricity	2.1	Static electricity	 Describe how insulating materials can become charged. Know that there are two kinds of electric charge. Explain these observations in terms of electron transfer. 	4.2.5.1	Worksheet 2.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 2	15/16	P: 2 Electricity	2.2	Electric fields	 Explain what an electric field is. Draw an electric field pattern for a charged sphere. Use the idea of an electric field to explain electrostatic attraction and sparking. 	4.2.5.2	Worksheets 2.2.1, 2.2.2 and 2.2.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 2	17/18	B: 2 Photosynthesis	2.7	Key concept: Diffusion in living systems	Use concentration gradients to explain the direction of diffusion. Apply the principles of diffusion to movement of different substances in plants.	4.1.3.1	Worksheets 2.7.1, 2.7.2 and 2.7.3; Practical sheet 2.7; Technician's notes 2.7	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 9	Term 2	17/18	B: 2 Photosynthesis	2.8	Looking at stomata	 Describe transpiration in plants. Explain the structure and function of stomata. Explain the relationship between transpiration and leaf structure. 	4.2.3.1; 4.2.3.2	Worksheet 2.8; Practical sheet 2.8; Technician's notes 2.8	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 9	Term 2	17/18	B: 2 Photosynthesis	2.9	Moving water	Describe the structure and function of xylem and roots. Describe how xylem and roots are adapted to absorb water. Explain why plants in flooded or waterlogged soil die.	4.2.3.1; 4.2.3.2	Worksheets 2.9.1, 2.9.2 and 2.9.3; Practical sheet 2.9; Technician's notes 2.9	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video



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						Explain how wilting occurs.			
Year 9	Term 2	17/18	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.7	Properties of ionic compounds	Describe the properties of ionic compounds. Relate their melting points to forces between ions. Explain when ionic compounds can conduct electricity.	4.2.2.3	Practical sheets 2.7.1 and 2.7.2; Worksheet 2.7.1; Technician's notes 2.7.1 and 2.7.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz – higher tier Video
Year 9	Term 2	17/18	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.8	Properties of small molecules	 Identify small molecules from formulae. Explain the strength of covalent bonds. Relate the intermolecular forces to the bulk properties of a substance. 	4.2.2.4	Worksheets 2.8.1 and 2.8.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz higher tier Video
Year 9	Term 2	17/18	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.9	Polymer structures	Identify polymers from diagrams showing their bonding and structure. Explain why some polymers can stretch. Explain why some plastics do not soften on heating.	4.2.2.5	Practical sheet 2.9.1; Worksheet 2.9.1; Technician's notes 2.9.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz higher tier
Year 9	Term 2	17/18	P: 2 Electricity	2.3	Electric current	Know circuit symbols. Recall that current is a rate of flow of electric charge. Recall that current (I) depends on resistance (R) and potential difference (V) Explain how an electric current passes round a circuit.	4.2.1.1 4.2.1.2 4.2.1.3	Worksheets 2.3.1, 2.3.2 and 2.3.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 2	17/18	P: 2 Electricity	2.4	Series and parallel circuits	Recognise series and parallel circuits. Describe the changes in the current and potential difference in series and parallel circuits.	4.2.2	Worksheets 2.4.1, 2.4.2 and 2.4.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow



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Year 9	Term 2	19/20	B: 2 Photosynthesis	2.10	Investigatin g transpiration	Describe how transpiration is affected by different factors. Explain the movement of water in the xylem.	4.2.3.2	Worksheet 2.10; Practical sheet 2.10; Technician's notes 2.10	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 2	19/20	B: 2 Photosynthesis	2.11	Moving sugar	 Describe the movement of sugar in a plant as translocation. Explain how the structure of phloem is adapted to its function in the plant. Explain the movement of sugars around the plant. 	4.2.3.2	Worksheet 2.11; Technician's notes 2.11	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 2	19/20	B: 2 Photosynthesis	2.12	Maths skills: Surface area to volume ratio	Calculate surface area and volume. Calculate surface-area to volume ratio. Know how to apply ideas about surface area and volume.	4.2.3.2	Worksheet 2.12	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 9	Term 2	19/20	B: 2 Photosynthesis	Connect	ok oter test Collins hing block test	Assessment			End of chapter test End of teaching block test
Year 9	Term 2	19/20	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.10	Giant covalent structures	Recognise giant covalent structures from bonding and structure diagrams. Explain the properties of giant covalent structures. Recognise the differences in different forms of carbon.	4.2.2.6	Practical sheet 2.10.1; Worksheets 2.10.1 and 2.10.2; Technician's notes 2.10.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 2	19/20	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.11	Properties of metals and alloys	 Identify metal elements and their properties, and metal alloys. Describe the purpose of a tinlead alloy. 	4.2.2.7, 4.2.2.8	Practical sheet 2.11.1; Worksheets 2.11.1 and 2.11.2; Technician's notes 2.11.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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						Explain why alloys are harder than pure metals.			Slideshows
Year 9	Term 2	19/20	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.12	Diamond	Identify why diamonds are so hard. Explain how the properties relate to the bonding structure in diamond. Explain why diamond differs from graphite.	4.2.3.1	Worksheet 2.12.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz - higher tier Slideshow Video
Year 9	Term 2	19/20	P: 2 Electricity	2.5	Investigatin g circuits	Use series circuits to test components and make measurements. Carry out calculations on series circuits.	4.2.2	Worksheets 2.5.1, 2.5.2 and 2.5.3; Practical sheet 2.5; Technician's notes 2.5	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 2	19/20	P: 2 Electricity	2.6	Circuit components	 Set up a circuit to investigate resistance. Investigate the changing resistance of a filament lamp. Compare the properties of a resistor and filament lamp. 	4.2.1.4	Practical sheet 2.6; Technician's notes 2.6	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 2	21/22	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.1	Explaining water movement	Describe how water moves by osmosis in living tissues. Identify factors that affect the rate of osmosis. Explain what the term 'partially permeable membrane' means.	4.1.3.2	Worksheet 3.1; Practical sheet 3.1; Technician's notes 3.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 2	21/22	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.2	Required practical: Investigate the effect of a range of concentrations of salt or sugar solutions on	 Use scientific ideas to develop a hypothesis. Plan experiments to test a hypothesis. Draw conclusions from data and compare these with hypotheses made. 	4.1.3.2 Prac 3	Worksheet 3.2; Practical sheets 3.2.1 and 3.2.2; Technician's notes 3.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow



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					the mass of plant tissue				
Year 9	Term 2	21/22	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.3	Learning about active transport	Describe active transport. Explain how active transport is different from diffusion and osmosis. Explain why active transport is important.	4.1.3.3	Worksheet 3.3; Technician's notes 3.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 2	21/22	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.13	Graphite	 Describe the structure and bonding of graphite. Explain the properties of graphite. Explain the similarity to metals. 	4.2.3.2	Worksheets 2.13.1 and 2.13.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz – higher tier Video
Year 9	Term 2	21/22	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.14	Graphene and fullerenes	 Explain the properties of graphene by its structure and bonding. Recognise graphene and fullerenes from their bonding and structure. Describe the uses of fullerenes, including carbon nanotubes. 	4.2.3.3	Worksheets 2.14.1 and 2.14.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz – higher tier Video
Year 9	Term 2	21/22	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.15	Nanoparticl es, their properties and uses	 Relate the sizes of nanoparticles to atoms and molecules. Explain that there may be risks associated with nanoparticles. Evaluate the use of nanoparticles for specific purposes. 	4.2.4.1, 4.2.4.2	Worksheets 2.15.1, 2.15.2 and 2.15.3; Technician's notes 2.15.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 2	21/22	P: 2 Electricity	2.7	Required practical: Investigate, using circuit diagrams to construct circuits,	Understand how an experiment can be designed to test an idea. Evaluate how an experimental procedure can yield more accurate data. Interpret and explain graphs using scientific ideas.	4.2.1.4 Prac 4	Practical sheet 2.7; Technician's notes 2.7	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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					the I–V characteristics of a filament lamp, a diode and a resistor at constant temperature				
Year 9	Term 2	21/22	P: 2 Electricity	2.9	Control circuits	Use a thermistor and light-dependent resistor (LDR). Investigate the properties of thermistors, LDRs and diodes.	4.2.1.4	Worksheet 2.9; Practical sheet 2.9; Technician's notes 2.9	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 2	23/24	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.4	Key concept: Investigatin g the need for transport systems	Describe how the size of an organism affects the rate of diffusion. Explain how changes in conditions affects the rate of diffusion. Explain the need for exchange surfaces and transport systems using surface area to volume ratio.	4.1.3.1	Worksheet 3.4; Practical sheet 3.4; Technician's notes 3.4	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 9	Term 2	23/24	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.5	Explaining enzymes	 Describe what enzymes are and how they work. Explain the lock-and-key theory. Use the collision theory to explain enzyme action. 	4.2.2.1; 4.4.2.3	Worksheet 3.5; Practical sheet 3.5; Technician's notes 3.5	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 2	23/24	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.6	Required practical: Investigate the effect of pH on the rate of reaction of amylase enzyme	Describe how safety is managed, apparatus is used and accurate measurements are made. Explain how representative samples are taken. Make and record accurate observations.	4.2.2.1 Prac 5	Worksheets 3.6.1, 3.6.2 and 3.6.3; Practical sheet 3.6; Technician's notes 3.6	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow



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						Draw and interpret a graph from secondary data using knowledge and observations.			
Year 9	Term 2	23/24	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.16	Key concept: Sizes of particles and orders of magnitude	Identify the scale and measurements of length. Explain the conversion of small lengths to metres. Explain the relative sizes of electrons, nuclei and atoms.	4.1.1.5	Practical sheet 2.16.1; Worksheets 2.16.1 and 2.16.2; Technician's notes 2.16.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 9	Term 2	23/24	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	2.17	Maths skills: Visualise and represent 2D and 3D shapes	Use 2D diagrams and 3D models to: represent atoms, molecules and ionic structures represent giant covalent structures calculate empirical formulae of ionic structures.	4.2	Worksheets 2.17.1, 2.17.2 and 2.17.3	
Year 9	Term 2	23/24	C: 2 Structure, bonding and the properties of matter	Connect	ok oter test Collins hing block test	Assessment			End of chapter test End of teaching block test
Year 9	Term 2	23/24	P: 2 Electricity	2.8	Required practical: Use circuit diagrams to set up and check appropriate circuits to investigate	Use a circuit to determine resistance. Gather valid data to use in calculations. Apply the circuit to determine the resistance of combinations of components.	4.2.1.3, 4.2.2, Prac 3	Worksheet 2.8; Practical sheets 2.8.1, 2.8.2, 2.8.3; Technician's notes 2.8	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 9	Term	23/24	P: 2 Electricity	2.10	the factors affecting the resistance of electrical circuits, including the length of a wire at constant temperature and combination s of resistors in series and parallel Electricity in	Recall that the domestic supply in	4.2.3.1,	Worksheets 2.10.1, 2.10.2 and	Quick starter
16013	2	20124	T. Z Electricity	2.10	the home	the UK is a.c. at 50 Hz and about 230 V. Describe the main features of live, neutral and earth wires.	4.2.3.2	2.10.3	Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 3	25/26	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.7	Learning about the digestive system	 Identify and locate the organs in the digestive system, and describe their functions. Describe how the products of digestion are absorbed into the body. Explain why the small intestine is an efficient exchange surface. 	4.2.2.1; 4.4.2.3	Worksheet 3.7; Practical sheet 3.7 (teacher demonstration); Technician's notes 3.7	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 3	25/26	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.8	Explaining digestion	 Describe how physical digestion helps to increase the rate of chemical digestion. Name the sites of production and action of specific enzymes. Interpret data about digestive enzymes. 	4.2.2.1	Worksheet 3.8	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 9	Term 3	25/26	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.9	Required practical: Use qualitative reagents to test for a range of carbohydrat es, lipids and proteins	Suggest appropriate apparatus for the procedures. Describe how safety is managed and apparatus is used. Describe how accurate measurements are made. Interpret observations and make conclusions.	4.2.2.1 Prac 4	Practical sheets 3.9.1 and 3.9.2; Technician's notes 3.9	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 3	25/26	C: 3 Chemical quantities and calculations	3.1	Key concept: Conservatio n of mass and balanced equations	 Explain the law of conservation of mass. Explain why a multiplier appears as a subscript in a formula. Explain why a multiplier appears in equations before a formula. 	4.3.1.1	Worksheet 3.1.1; Technician's notes 3.1.1; Presentation 3.1.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 9	Term 3	25/26	C: 3 Chemical quantities and calculations	3.2	Relative formula mass	Identify the relative atomic mass of an element from the periodic table. Calculate relative formula masses from atomic masses. Verify the law of conservation of mass in a balanced equation.	4.3.1.2	Worksheets 3.2.1, 3.2.2 and 3.2.3; Technician's notes 3.2.1; Presentation 3.2.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 3	25/26	C: 3 Chemical quantities and calculations	3.3	Mass changes when gases are in reactions	 Explain any observed changes in mass in a chemical reaction. Identify the mass changes using a balanced symbol equation. Explain these changes in terms of the particle model. 	4.3.1.3	Worksheet 3.3.1; Practical sheet 3.3.1; Technician's notes 3.3.1; Presentations 3.3.1 and 3.3.2; Graph Plotter 3.3.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 3	25/26	P: 2 Electricity	2.11	Transmitting electricity	Describe how electricity is transmitted using the National Grid. Explain why electrical power is transmitted at high potential differences. Understand the role of transformers.	4.2.4.3	Worksheet 2.11	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 9	Term 3	25/26	P: 2 Electricity	2.12	Power and energy transfers	 Describe the energy transfers in different domestic appliances. Describe power as a rate of energy transfer. Calculate the energy transferred. 	4.2.4.2	Worksheets 2.12.1, 2.12.2 and 2.12.3; Practical sheet 2.12; Technician's notes 2.12	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 3	27/28	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.10	Looking at more exchange surfaces	 Identify the structures responsible for gas exchange in fish, amphibians and insects. Describe the adaptations of different gas exchange surfaces. Explain the gas exchange surfaces in amphibians. 	4.1.3.1	Worksheets 3.10.1, 3.10.2 and 3.10.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 9	Term 3	27/28	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.11	Learning about plants and minerals	 Describe how mineral ions from the soil help plants to grow. Explain how root hair cells are adapted for efficient osmosis. Describe the function of different mineral ions in a plant. 	4.1.3.3; 4.2.3.2	Worksheet 3.11	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 3	27/28	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.12	Investigatin g how plants use minerals	Describe why plants need different mineral ions. Explain the effects of mineral deficiencies on plant growth. Explain the importance of fertilisers.	4.3.3.1	Worksheet 3.12; Practical sheet 3.12; Technician's notes 3.12	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 9	Term 3	27/28	C: 3 Chemical quantities and calculations	3.4	Chemical measureme nts and uncertainty	Understand that all measurements have a degree of uncertainty. Estimate the uncertainty from the distribution of results. Measure uncertainty from the range of a set of measurements and their mean.	4.3.1.4	Technician's notes 3.4.1; Presentation 3.4.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 3	27/28	C: 3 Chemical quantities and calculations	3.5	Moles (Higher tier only)	Describe the measurements of amounts of substances in moles. Calculate the number of moles in a given mass.	4.3.2.1	Worksheets 3.5.1 and 3.5.2; Technician's notes 3.5.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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						Calculate the mass of a given number of moles.			
Year 9	Term 3	27/28	C: 3 Chemical quantities and calculations	3.6	Amounts of substances in equations (Higher tier only)	Calculate the masses of substances in a balanced symbol equation. Calculate the masses of reactants and products from balanced symbol equations. Calculate the mass of a given reactant or product.	4.3.2.2	Worksheet 3.6.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 3	27/28	P: 2 Electricity	2.13	Calculating power	 Calculate power. Use power equations to solve problems. Consider power ratings and changes in stored energy. 	4.2.4.1 4.1.1.1 4.1.1.2 4.1.1.3	Worksheets 2.13.1, 2.13.2 and 2.13.3; Practical sheet 2.13; Technician's notes 2.13	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 3	27/28	P: 2 Electricity	2.14	Key concept: What's the difference between potential difference and current?	Understand and apply the concepts of current and potential difference. Use these concepts to explain various situations.	4.2.1	Worksheet 2.14; Practical sheets 2.14.1, 2.14.2 and 2.14.3; Technician's notes 2.14	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 3	27/28	P: 2 Electricity	2.15	Maths skills: Using formulae and understandi ng graphs	 Recognise how algebraic equations define the relationships between variables. Solve simple algebraic equations by substituting numerical values. Describe relationships expressed in graphical form. 	4.2	Worksheets 2.15.1, 2.15.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 3	29/30	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.13	Learning about the circulatory system	 Identify the parts of the circulatory system. Describe the functions of the parts of the circulatory system. 	4.2.2.2; 4.2.2.3	Worksheets 3.13.1, 3.13.2 and 3.13.3; Practical sheets 3.13.1 and 3.13.2; Technician's notes 3.13	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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						Explain how the structure of each part of the circulatory system relates to its function.			
Year 9	Term 3	29/30	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.14	Exploring the heart	 Describe the structure and functions of the heart. Identify the functions and adaptations of the parts of the heart. Explain the movement of blood around the heart. 	4.2.2.2	Worksheet 3.14; Practical sheet 3.14; Technician's notes 3.14	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Videos
Year 9	Term 3	29/30	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.15	Studying blood	Identify the parts of the blood and their functions. Explain the adaptations of red blood cells. Explain how red blood cells and haemoglobin transport oxygen efficiently.	4.2.2.3	Worksheets 3.15.1 and 3.15.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 9	Term 3	29/30	C: 3 Chemical quantities and calculations	3.7	Using moles to balance equations (Higher tier only)	 Convert masses in grams to amounts in moles. Balance an equation given the masses of reactants and products. Change the subject of a mathematical equation. 	4.3.2.3, 4.3.2.4	Worksheet 3.7.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 3	29/30	C: 3 Chemical quantities and calculations	3.8	Concentrati on of solutions	Relate mass, volume and concentration. Calculate the mass of solute in solution. Relate concentration in mol/dm³ to mass and volume.	4.3.2.5	3.8.1, Worksheet 3.8.1, Technician's notes 3.8.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 3	29/30	C: 3 Chemical quantities and calculations	3.9	Key concept: Percentage yield	 Calculate the percentage yield from the actual yield. Identify the balanced equation for calculating yields. Calculate theoretical product amounts from reactant amounts. 	4.3.3.1	Practical sheet 3.9.1; Worksheet 3.9.1; Technician's notes 3.9.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video



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Year 9	Term 3	29/30	P: 2 Electricity	Connect	ok eter test Collins ning block test	Assessment			End of chapter test End of teaching block test
Year 9	Term 3	29/30	P: 3 Particle model of matter	3.1	Density	Use the particle model to explain the different states of matter and differences in density. Calculate density.	4.3.1.1	Worksheet 3.1; Practical sheet 3.1; Technician's notes 3.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 3	31/32	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.16	Investigatin g gas exchange	Identify the parts of the human gas exchange system and know their functions. Explain how gas exchange occurs in humans. Explain the adaptations of the gas exchange surfaces.	4.1.3.1; 4.2.2.2	Worksheet 3.16; Practical sheet 3.16; Technician's notes 3.16	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 9	Term 3	31/32	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.17	Learning about coronary heart disease	Identify the causes and symptoms of coronary heart disease and heart failure. Describe possible treatments of coronary heart disease and heart failure. Evaluate the possible treatments of coronary heart disease and heart failure.	4.2.2.4	Worksheets 3.17.1, 3.17.2 and 3.17.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 3	31/32	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	3.18	Maths skills: Extracting and interpreting information	Extract and interpret information from tables, charts and graphs.		Worksheets 3.18.1, 3.18.2 and 3.18.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 9	Term 3	31/32	B: 3 Moving and changing materials	End of chap Student Boo		Assessment			End of chapter test



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Year 9	Term 3	31/32	C: 3 Chemical quantities and calculations	3.10	Atom economy	 Identify the balanced equation of a reaction. Calculate the atom economy of a reaction to form a product. Explain why a particular reaction pathway is chosen. 	4.3.3.2	Worksheets 3.10.1 and 3.10.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz higher
Year 9	Term 3	31/32	C: 3 Chemical quantities and calculations	3.11	Using concentratio ns of solutions	 Describe how to carry out titrations. Calculate concentrations in titrations in mol/dm³ and in g/dm³. Explain how the concentration of a solution in mol/dm³ is related to the mass of the mass of the solute and the volume of the solution. 	4.3.4, 4.4.2.5	Practical sheet 3.11.1, Worksheet 3.11.1 Technician's notes 3.11.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz higher Slideshow
Year 9	Term 3	31/32	C: 3 Chemical quantities and calculations	3.12	Amounts of substance in volumes of gases (Higher tier only)	 Explain that the same amount of any gas occupies the same volume at room temperature and pressure (rtp). Calculate the volume of a gas at rtp from its mass and relative formula mass. Calculate volumes of gases from a balanced equation and a given volume of a reactant or product. 	4.3.5	Practical sheet 3.12.1; Worksheet 3.12.1; Technician's notes 3.12.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 9	Term 3	31/32	P: 3 Particle model of matter	3.2	Required practical: To investigate the densities of regular and irregular solid objects and liquids	 Interpret observations and data. Use spatial models to solve problems. Plan experiments and devise procedures. Use an appropriate number of significant figures in measurements and calculations. 	4.3.1.1 Prac 5	Worksheet 3.2; Practical sheet 3.2; Technician's notes 3.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 9	Term 3	31/32	P: 3 Particle model of matter	3.3	Changes of state	Describe how, when substances change state, mass is conserved. Describe energy transfer in changes of state. Explain changes of state in terms of particles.	4.3.1.2	Worksheet 3.3; Practical sheet 3.3; Technician's notes 3.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 3	33/34	B: 4 Health matters	4.1	Learning about health	Recall the difference between health and disease. Explain how some diseases interact. Evaluate data about lifestyle and health.	4.2.2.5; 4.2.2.6; 4.2.2.7	Worksheets 4.1.1, 4.1.2 and 4.1.3; Practical sheet 4.1; Technician's notes 4.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 3	33/34	B: 4 Health matters	4.2	Key concept: Looking at risk factors	Recall the causes of some non-communicable diseases. Describe the impact of lifestyle on non-communicable diseases. Explain the impact of lifestyle on non-communicable diseases.	4.2.2.6	Worksheets 4.2.1 and 4.2.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 9	Term 3	33/34	B: 4 Health matters	4.3	Exploring non- communica ble diseases	Identify risk factors for cancer. Explain the differences between types of tumours. Explain the impact of noncommunicable diseases	4.2.2.6; 4.2.2.7	Worksheet 4.3; Practical sheet 4.3; Technician's notes 4.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 3	33/34	C: 3 Chemical quantities and calculations	3.13	Key concept: Amounts in chemistry	 Use atomic masses to calculate formula mass. Explain how formula mass relates to the number of moles. Explain how the number of moles relates to other quantities. 	4.3	Worksheets 3.13.1 and 3.13.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz - higher Slideshow Video
Year 9	Term 3	33/34	C: 3 Chemical quantities and calculations	3.14	Maths skills: Change the subject of an equation	 Use an equation to demonstrate conservation. Rearrange the subject of an equation. Carry out a multi-step calculation. 		Worksheet 3.14.1; PowerPoint 3.14.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video



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Year 9	Term 3	33/34	C: 3 Chemical quantities and calculations	End of chap Student Boo End of chap Connect		Assessment			End of chapter test
Year 9	Term 3	33/34	P: 3 Particle model of matter	3.4	Internal energy	 Describe the particle model of matter. Understand what is meant by the internal energy of a system. Describe the effect of heating on the energy stored within a system. 	4.3.2.1	Worksheet 3.4; Practical sheets 3.4.1, 3.4.2, 3.4.3, 3.4.4, 3.4.5, 3.4.6; Technician's notes 3.4	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 3	33/34	P: 3 Particle model of matter	3.5	Specific heat capacity	 Describe the effect of increasing the temperature of a system in terms of particles. State the factors that are affected by an increase in temperature of a substance. Explain specific heat capacity. 	4.3.2.2	Worksheet 3.5; Practical sheet 3.5; Technician's notes 3.5	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 3	35/36	B: 4 Health matters	4.4	Analysing and evaluating data	 Translate information between graphical and numerical forms. Use scatter diagrams to identify correlations. Evaluate the strength of evidence. 	4.2.2.5; 4.2.2.6	Worksheets 4.4.1, 4.4.2 and 4.4.3; Practical sheet 4.4; Technician's notes 4.4	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 3	35/36	B: 4 Health matters	4.5	Studying pathogens	Recall the definition of a pathogen. Explain how communicable diseases can be controlled. Distinguish between epidemics and pandemics.	4.3.1.1	Worksheets 4.5.1 and 4.5.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Videos
Year 9	Term 3	35/36	B: 4 Health matters	4.6	Learning about viral diseases	Describe the symptoms of some viral diseases. Describe the transmission and control of some viral diseases. Explain how some viral diseases are spread.	4.3.1.2	Worksheets 4.6.1, 4.6.2 and 4.6.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow



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Year 9	Term 3	35/36	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.1	Metal oxides	Identify that metals react with oxygen to form metal oxides. Explain oxidation by gain of oxygen. Identify metal oxides as bases.	4.4.1.1	Practical sheet 4.1.1; Worksheets 4.1.1, 4.1.2 and 4.1.3; Presentation 4.1.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 9	Term 3	35/36	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.2	Reactivity series	 Describe the reactions, if any, of metals with water or dilute acids. Deduce an order of reactivity of metals based on experimental results. Explain how the reactivity is related to the tendency of the metal to form its positive ion. 	4.4.1.2	Practical sheet 4.2.1; Worksheet 4.2.1; Technician's notes 4.2.1; Presentations 4.2.1 and 4.2.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz – higher Slideshow
Year 9	Term 3	35/36	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.3	Extraction of metals	Identify substances reduced by loss of oxygen. Explain how extraction methods depend on metal reactivity. Interpret or evaluate information on specific metal extraction processes.	4.4.1.3	Practical sheet 4.3.1; Worksheet 4.3.1; Technician's notes 4.3.1; Presentation 4.3.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz higher Slideshow
Year 9	Term 3	35/36	P: 3 Particle model of matter	3.6	Latent heat	Explain what is meant by latent heat. Describe that when a change of state occurs it changes the energy stored but not the temperature. Perform calculations involving specific latent heat.	4.3.2.3	Worksheet 3.6; Practical sheet 3.6; Technician's notes 3.6	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 9	Term 3	35/36	P: 3 Particle model of matter	3.9	Key concept: Particle model and changes of state	Use the particle model to explain states of matter. Use ideas about energy and bonds to explain changes of state. Explain the relationship between temperature and energy.	4.3	Worksheet 3.9; Practical sheet 3.9; Technician's notes 3.9	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	35/36	P: 3 Particle model of matter	3.10	Maths skills: Drawing	Plot a graph of temperature against time.	4.3.2.3	Worksheet 3.10; Practical sheet 3.10; Technician's notes 3.10	Quick starter



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					and interpreting graphs	Draw a line of best fit (which may be a curve). Interpret a graph of temperature against time.			Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	37/38	B: 4 Health matters	4.7	Studying bacterial diseases	 Describe the symptoms of some bacterial diseases. Explain how some bacterial diseases can be controlled. Compare and contrast bacterial and viral diseases. 	4.3.1.3	Worksheets 4.7.1, 4.7.2 and 4.7.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	37/38	B: 4 Health matters	4.8	Looking at fungal diseases	 Recall the name and symptoms of a fungal disease. Describe the transmission and treatment of rose black spot. Explain how rose black spot affects the growth of the plant. 	4.3.1.4	Worksheet 4.8	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 1	37/38	B: 4 Health matters	4.9	Learning about malaria	Recall that malaria is a protist disease. Describe the lifecycle of the malarial vector. Evaluate control methods for the spread of malaria.	4.3.1.5	Worksheets 4.9.1 and 4.9.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	37/38	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.4	Oxidation and reduction in terms of electrons	Use experimental results of displacement reactions to confirm the reactivity series. Write ionic equations for displacement reactions. Identify in a half equation which species are oxidised and which are reduced.	4.4.1.2, 4.4.1.4	Practical sheet 4.4.1; Worksheet 4.4.1; Technician's notes 4.4.1; Presentations 4.4.1 and 4.4.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz – higher
Year 10	Term 1	37/38	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.5	Reaction of metals with acids	Describe how to make salts from metals and acids. Write full balanced symbol equations for making salts. Use half equations to describe oxidation and reduction.	4.4.2.1	Practical sheet 4.5.1; Worksheets 4.5.1 and 4.5.2; Technician's notes 4.5.1; Presentations 4.5.1 and 4.5.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz higher



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Year 10	Term 1	37/38	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.6	Neutralisatio n of acids and salt production	Describe ways that salts can be made. Predict products from given reactants. Deduce the formulae of salts from the formulae of common ions.	4.4.2.2	Practical sheet 4.6.1; Worksheets 4.6.1 and 4.6.2; Technician's notes 4.6.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz - higher Video
Year 10	Term 1	37/38	P: 3 Particle model of matter	3.7	Particle motion in gases	 Relate the temperature of a gas to the average kinetic energy of the particles. Explain how a gas has a pressure. Explain that changing the temperature of a gas held at constant volume changes its pressure. 	4.3.3.1	Worksheet 3.7; Practical sheet 3.7; Technician's notes 3.7	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	37/38	P: 3 Particle model of matter	3.8	Increasing the pressure of a gas	Describe the relationship between the pressure and volume of a gas at constant temperature. Calculate the change in the pressure or volume of a gas held at constant temperature when either the pressure or volume is increased or decreased. Explain how doing work on a gas can increase its temperature.	4.3.3.2, 4.3.3.3	Worksheet 3.8; Practical sheet 3.8; Technician's notes 3.8	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
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Year 10	Term 1	39/40	B: 4 Health matters	4.10	Protecting the body	Describe how the body protects itself from pathogens. Explain how the body protects itself from pathogens.	4.3.1.6	Worksheets 4.10.1, 4.10.2 and 4.10.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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						Explain how communicable diseases can be spread.			
Year 10	Term 1	39/40	B: 4 Health matters	4.11	Exploring white blood cells	Describe phagocytosis. Explain how antibody production can lead to immunity. Explain the specificity of immune system responses	4.3.1.6	Worksheet 4.11	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	39/40	B: 4 Health matters	4.12	Using antibiotics and painkillers	Describe the uses of antibiotics and painkillers. Explain how antibiotics and painkillers can be used to treat diseases. Explain the limitations of antibiotics.	4.3.1.8	Worksheet 4.12; Practical sheet 4.12; Technician's notes 4.12	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	39/40	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.7	Soluble salts	Describe how to make pure, dry samples of soluble salts. Explain how to name a salt. Derive the formula for a salt from its ions.	4.4.2.3	Practical sheet 4.7.1; Worksheets 4.7.1 and 4.7.2; Technician's notes 4.7.1; Presentations 4.7.1 and 4.7.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz - higher Video
Year 10	Term 1	39/40	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.8	Required practical: Preparing a pure, dry sample of a salt from an insoluble oxide or carbonate	Describe a practical procedure for producing a salt from a solid and an acid. Explain the apparatus, materials and techniques used for making the salt. Describe how to safely manipulate apparatus and accurately measure melting points.	4.4.2.3 Prac 1	Practical sheet 4.8.1; Technician's notes 4.8.1; Presentations 4.8.1 and 4.8.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz – higher
Year 10	Term 1	39/40	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.9	pH and neutralisatio n	Describe the use of universal indicator to measure pH. Use the pH scale to identify acidic or alkaline solutions.	4.4.2.4	Practical sheet 4.9.1; Worksheet 4.9.1; Technician's notes 4.9.1, 4.9.2 and 4.9.3; Presentation 4.9.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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						Investigate pH changes when a strong acid neutralises a strong alkali.			
Year 10	Term 1	39/40	P: 4 Atomic structure	4.1	Atomic structure	 Describe the structure of the atom. Use symbols to represent particles. Describe ionisation. 	4.4.1.1, 4.4.1.2	Worksheets 4.1.1, 4.1.2 and 4.1.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	39/40	P: 4 Atomic structure	4.2	Radioactive decay	 Describe radioactive decay. Describe the types of nuclear radiation. Understand the processes of alpha decay and beta decay. 	4.4.2.1	Worksheets 4.2.1, 4.2.2 and 4.2.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 1	39/40	P: 4 Atomic structure	4.3	Background radiation	 Recall sources of background radiation. Describe how different types of radiation have different ionising power. Justify the selection of sources for particular applications. 	4.4.2.1, 4.4.3.1	Worksheets 4.3.1, 4.3.2 and 4.3.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	41/42	B: 4 Health matters	4.13	Building immunity	Recall how vaccinations prevent infection. Explain how mass vaccination programmes reduce the spread of a disease. Evaluate the global use of vaccination.	4.3.1.7	Worksheets 4.13.1, 4.13.2 and 4.13.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 10	Term 1	41/42	B: 4 Health matters	4.14	Making new drugs	 Recall some traditional drugs and their origins. Describe how new drugs are developed. Explain why 'double-blind' trials are conducted. 	4.3.1.9	Worksheets 4.14.1 and 4.14.2; Practical sheet 4.14; Technician's notes 4.14	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 10	Term 1	41/42	B: 4 Health matters	4.15	Investigatin g monoclonal antibodies	Describe uses of monoclonal antibodies. Explain how monoclonal antibodies are produced.	4.3.2.1; 4.3.2.2	Worksheet 4.15	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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					(Higher tier only)	Evaluate the use of monoclonal antibodies.			
Year 10	Term 1	41/42	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.10	Required practical: Finding the reacting volumes of acid and alkali by titration	Describe how safety, the correct manipulation of apparatus and the accuracy of measurements are managed when titrations are carried out. Make and record observations and accurate measurements using burettes. Calculate the concentration of a solution from the concentration and volume of another.	4.4.2.5 Prac 2	Practical sheet 4.10.1; Technician's notes 4.10.1; Presentations 4.10.1 and 4.10.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz – higher
Year 10	Term 1	41/42	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.11	Strong and weak acids (Higher tier only)	 Explain weak and strong acids by the degree of ionisation. Describe neutralisation by the effect on hydrogen ions and pH. Explain dilute and concentrated as amounts of substance. 	4.4.2.6	Worksheet 4.11.1; Presentation 4.11.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 10	Term 1	41/42	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.12	The process of electrolysis	Identify reactions at electrodes during electrolysis. Explain why a mixture is used and the anode needs constant replacement. Write and balance half equations for the electrode reactions.	4.4.3.1	Practical sheet 4.12.1; Worksheet 4.12.1; Technician's notes 4.12.1; Presentation 4.12.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz - higher Slideshow Video
Year 10	Term 1	41/42	P: 4 Atomic structure	4.4	Nuclear equations	Understand nuclear equations. Write balanced nuclear equations.	4.4.2.2	Worksheets 4.4.1, 4.4.2 and 4.4.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	41/42	P: 4 Atomic structure	4.5	Radioactive half-life	 Explain what is meant by radioactive half-life. Calculate half-life. Calculate the decline in activity after a number of half-lives. 	4.4.2.3, 4.4.3.2	Worksheets 4.5.1, 4.5.2 and 4.5.3; Practical sheet 4.5; Technician's notes 4.5	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 10	Term 1	41/42	P: 4 Atomic structure	4.6	Hazards and uses of radiation	Describe radioactive contamination. Give examples of how radioactive tracers can be used.	4.4.2.4	Worksheets 4.6.1, 4.6.2 and 4.6.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	43/44	B: 4 Health matters	4.16	Looking at plant diseases	Recall the causes of plant diseases. Describe the symptoms and identification methods of some plant diseases. Explain the use of monoclonal antibodies in identifying plant pathogens.	4.3.2.1; 4.3.3.1	Worksheets 4.16.1, 4.16.2 and 4.16.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	43/44	B: 4 Health matters	4.17	Learning about plant defences	Recall some physical plant defence responses. Explain how mechanical plant defence systems help them survive. Explain how chemical plant defence systems help them survive.	4.3.3.2	Worksheet 4.17	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	43/44	B: 4 Health matters	4.18	Maths skills: Sampling and scientific data	 Understand why sampling is used in science. Be able to explain different sampling techniques. 	4.2.2.5; 4.2.2.6; 4.3	Worksheet 4.18; Practical sheet 4.18; Technician's notes 4.18	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
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Year 10	Term 1	43/44	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.13	Electrolysis of molten	Identify which ions move to the cathode and anode.	4.4.3.2	Worksheet 4.13.1; Presentation 4.13.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet



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					ionic compounds	Explain how the ions of a molten electrolyte are discharged. Predict the products of electrolysis of molten binary compounds.			Homework quiz Homework quiz – higher
Year 10	Term 1	43/44	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.14	Using electrolysis to extract metals	 Explain the process of the electrolysis of aluminium oxide. Explain why a mixture is used and the anode needs constant replacement. Write half equations for the reactions at the electrodes. 	4.4.3.3	Worksheet 4.14.1; Presentations 4.14.1 and 4.14.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz - higher Slideshow
Year 10	Term 1	43/44	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.15	Electrolysis of aqueous solutions	 Explain the electrolysis of copper sulfate using inert electrodes. Predict the products of the electrolysis of aqueous solutions. Represent reactions at electrodes by half equations. 	4.4.3.4, 4.4.3.5	Practical sheet 4.15; Technician's notes 4.15.1; Presentation 4.15.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	43/44	P: 4 Atomic structure	4.7	Irradiation	Explain what is meant by irradiation. Understand the distinction between contamination and irradiation. Appreciate the importance of communication between scientists.	4.4.2.4	Worksheets 4.7.1, 4.7.2 and 4.7.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	43/44	P: 4 Atomic structure	4.8	Uses of radiation in medicine	 Compare gamma rays and X-rays. Describe some uses of nuclear radiation for medical diagnosis and therapy. 	4.4.3.3	Worksheets 4.8.1, 4.8.2, 4.8.3 and 4.8.4	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	43/44	P: 4 Atomic structure	4.9	Using nuclear radiation	Explore the risks and benefits of using nuclear radiation. Describe how internal organs can be explored.	4.4.3.3	Worksheets 4.9.1, 4.9.2 and 4.9.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow



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						Understand how nuclear radiation can control or destroy unwanted tissue.			
Year 10	Term 1	45/46	B: 4 Health matters	5.1	Homeostasi s	Explain the importance of homeostasis in regulating internal conditions in the body. Recall that these control systems involve nervous or chemical responses. Describe how control systems involve receptors, coordination centres and effectors.	4.5.1	Worksheets 5.1.1 and 5.1.2; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	45/46	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.2	The nervous system	 Describe the structure and function of the nervous system. Explain how the nervous system is adapted to its functions. Describe the structure of sensory, motor and relay neurones. 	4.5.2.1	Worksheets 5.2.1 and 5.2.2; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	45/46	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.3	Reflex actions	 Explain the importance of reflex actions. Describe the path of a reflex arc. Explain how the structures in the reflex arc relate to their function. 	4.5.2.1	Worksheets 5.3.1, 5.3.2 and 5.3.3; Practical sheet 5.3; Technician's notes 5.3; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 1	45/46	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.16	Required practical: Investigatin g what happens when aqueous solutions are electrolysed using inert electrodes	Use scientific theories and explanations to develop hypotheses. Plan experiments to make observations and test hypotheses. Apply a knowledge of the apparatus needed for electrolysis including use of inert electrodes and varying electrolytes. Make and record observations.	4.4.3.4 Prac 3	Practical sheet 4.16.1; Technician's notes 4.16.1; Presentations 4.16.1 and 4.16.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz – higher
Year 10	Term 1	45/46	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.17	Key concept:	Explain why atoms lose or gain electrons.	4.2.1.2, 4.4.1.4, 4.4.1.2	Worksheet 4.17.1; Presentation 4.17.1	Quick starter



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					Electron transfer, oxidation and reduction	Explain oxidation and reduction by electron transfer. Relate ease of losing electrons to reactivity.			Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 10	Term 1	45/46	C: 4 Chemical changes	4.18	Maths skills: Make order of magnitude calculations	 Use graphs and diagrams to apply the pH scale to acid rain distribution. Calculate the concentration of acids. Calculate the effect of hydrogen ion concentration on the numerical value of pH. 	4.4.2	Practical sheet 4.18.1; Technician's notes 4.18.1; Presentation 4.18.1	
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Year 10	Term 1	45/46	P: 4 Atomic structure	4.10	Nuclear fission	Describe nuclear fission. Explain how a chain reaction occurs. Explain how fission is used.	4.4.4.1	Worksheets 4.10.1, 4.10.2 and 4.10.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	45/46	P: 4 Atomic structure	4.11	Nuclear fusion	 Explain nuclear fusion. Describe the conditions needed for fusion. Describe how nuclear fusion may be an attractive energy source. 	4.4.4.2	Worksheet 4.11.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 1	45/46	P: 4 Atomic structure	4.12	Key concept: Developing ideas for the structure of the atom	Understand how ideas about the structure of the atom have changed. Understand how evidence is used to test and improve models.	4.4.1.3	Worksheets 4.12.1, 4.12.2, 4.12.3 and 4.12.4	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow



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Year 10	Term 1	47/48	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.4	The brain	Recall that the brain controls complex behaviour using billions of interconnected neurones. Identify the three main regions of the brain and describe their functions. Describe how the regions of the brain are mapped.	4.5.2.2	Worksheets 5.4.1 and 5.4.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 10	Term 1	47/48	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.5	Required practical: Investigatin g reaction time	Select appropriate apparatus and techniques for the measurement of biological processes. Carry out physiological experiments safely. Use appropriate techniques in problem-solving contexts.	4.5.2.1 Prac 7	Worksheets 5.5.1,5.5.2 and 5.5.3; Practical sheet 5.5; Technician's notes 5.5	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 1	47/48	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.6	The eye	Relate the structures of the eye to their functions. Explain how the eye is adapted to seeing in colour and in dim light.	4.5.2.3	Worksheets 5.6.1, 5.6.2 and 5.6.3; Practical sheet 5.6; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 1	47/48	C: 5 Energy changes	5.1	Key concept: Endothermi c and exothermic reactions	Identify exothermic and endothermic reactions from temperature changes. Evaluate the energy transfer of a fuel. Investigate the variables that affect temperature changes in reacting solutions.	4.5.1.1, 4.5.1.2, 4.5.1.3	Practical sheet 5.1.1; Worksheet 5.1.1; Technician's notes 5.1.1; Graph plotters 5.1.1, 5.1.2, 5.1.3 and 5.1.4	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 1	47/48	C: 5 Energy changes	5.2	Required practical: Investigate the variables that affect temperature changes in reacting solutions,	Use scientific theories and explanations to develop hypotheses. Plan experiments to make observations and test hypotheses. Evaluate methods to suggest possible improvements and further investigations.	4.5.1.1 Prac 4	Practical sheet 5.2.1; Technician's notes 5.2.1; Presentation 5.2.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz – higher



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					such as acid plus metals, acid plus carbonates, neutralisatio ns, displaceme nt of metals				
Year 10	Term 1	47/48	C: 5 Energy changes	5.3	Reaction profiles	 Draw simple reaction profiles (energy level diagrams). Use reaction profiles to identify reactions as exothermic or Endothermic. Explain the energy needed for a reaction to occur and calculate energy changes. 	4.5.1.2	Worksheets 5.3.1 and 5.3.2; Technician's notes 5.3.1; Presentation 5.3.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz - higher Video
Year 10	Term 1	47/48	P: 4 Atomic structure	4.13	Maths skills: Using ratios and proportional reasoning	Calculate radioactive half-life from a curve of best fit. Calculate the net decline in radioactivity.	4.4.2.3	Worksheets 4.13.1 and 4.13.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 1	47/48	P: 4 Atomic structure	Connect	oter test ok ter test Collins ning block test	Assessment			End of chapter test End of teaching block test
Year 10	Term 2	49/50	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.7	Seeing in focus	Relate the structures of the eye to their functions. Understand how the eye is able to focus on near or distant objects.	4.5.2.3	Worksheets 5.7.1, 5.7.2 and 5.7.3; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 10	Term 2	49/50	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.8	Eye defects	Understand that, in myopia and hyperopia, the eye cannot focus light rays on the retina.	4.5.2.3	Worksheets 5.8.1, 5.8.2 and 5.8.3; Practical sheet 5.8	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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						Demonstrate how techniques are used to correct eye defects.			Slideshow
Year 10	Term 2	49/50	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.9	Controlling body temperature	Understand the mechanisms by which body temperature is controlled when too hot or cold. Explain how body temperature can be controlled in a specific context.	4.5.2.4	Worksheet 5.9; Practical sheet 5.9; Technician's notes 5.9; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 2	49/50	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.10	The endocrine system	 Recall that the endocrine system is made up of glands that secrete hormones into the blood. Know the location of the major endocrine glands. Understand why the pituitary gland is the 'master gland'. 	4.5.3.1	Worksheets 5.10.1 and 5.10.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	49/50	C: 5 Energy changes	5.4	Energy change of reactions (Higher tier only)	 Describe the energy changes in bond breaking and bond making. Explain how a reaction is endothermic or exothermic overall. Calculate the energy transferred in chemical reactions using bond energies. 	4.5.1.3	Worksheets 5.4.1 and 5.4.2; Technician's notes 5.4.1; Presentation 5.4.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	49/50	C: 5 Energy changes	5.5	Cells and batteries	Explain how a voltage can be produced by metals in an electrolyte. Evaluate the use of cells. Interpret data for the relative reactivity of different metals.	4.5.2.1	Practical sheet 5.5.1; Worksheets 5.5.1 and 5.5.2; Technician's notes 5.5.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz higher Slideshows
Year 10	Term 2	49/50	C: 5 Energy changes	5.6	Fuel cells	 Describe how a fuel cell works. Explain the processes in the energy conversions. Evaluate the use of hydrogen fuel cells in comparison with rechargeable cells and batteries. 	4.5.2.2	Worksheet 5.6.1; Technician's notes 5.6.1; Presentations 5.6.1 and 5.6.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video



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Year 10	Term 2	49/50	C: 5 Energy changes	5.7	Maths skills: Recognise and use expressions in decimal form	Read scales in integers and using decimals. Calculate the energy change during a reaction. Calculate energy transferred for comparison.	4.5.1	Practical sheet 5.7.1; Worksheet 5.7.1; Technician's notes 5.7.1; Presentation 5.7.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	49/50	P: 5 Forces	5.1	Forces	Describe a force. Recognise the difference between contact and non-contact forces. State examples of scalar and vector quantities.	4.5.1.1 4.5.1.2 4.5.6.1.3	Worksheet 5.1.1, 5.1.2 and 5.1.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	49/50	P: 5 Forces	5.2	Speed	 Calculate speed using distance travelled divided by time taken. Calculate speed from a distance-time graph. Measure the gradient of a distance-time graph at any point. 	4.5.6.1.1 4.5.6.1.2 4.5.6.1.4	Worksheets 5.2.1, 5.2.2 and 5.2.3; Practical sheet 5.2; Technician's notes 5.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 2	49/50	P: 5 Forces	5.3	Acceleration	Describe acceleration. Calculate acceleration. Explain motion in a circle.	4.5.6.1.3 4.5.6.1.5	Worksheets 5.3.1, 5.3.2 and 5.3.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	51/52	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.11	Controlling blood glucose	 Recall that blood glucose is monitored and controlled by the pancreas. Understand how insulin controls blood glucose levels. Understand how insulin works with another hormone – glucagon – to control blood sugar levels. 	4.5.3.2; 4.5.3.7	Worksheets 5.11.1, 5.11.2 and 5.11.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 10	Term 2	51/52	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.12	Diabetes	Understand the causes of Type 1 and Type 2 diabetes. Compare Type 1 and Type 2 diabetes. Evaluate information on the relationship between obesity and	4.5.3.2; 4.5.3.7	Worksheets 5.12.1 and 5.12.2; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video



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						diabetes, and make appropriate recommendations			
Year 10	Term 2	51/52	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.13	Diabetes recommend ations	Understand the causes of Type 1 and Type 2 diabetes. Compare Type 1 and Type 2 diabetes. Evaluate information on the relationship between obesity and diabetes, and make appropriate recommendations	4.5.3.2; 4.5.3.7	Worksheet 5.13	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 2	51/52	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.14	Water balance	Recall the ways in which the body loses water. Explain why cells do not function efficiently if they lose or gain too much water. Explain how excess protein is converted to urea for excretion.	4.5.3.3; 4.5.3.7	Worksheets 5.14.1, 5.14.2 and 5.14.3; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	51/52	C: 5 Energy changes	End of chap Student Boo End of chap Connect		Assessment			End of chapter test
Year 10	Term 2	51/52	C: 6 The rate and extent of chemical change	6.1	Measuring rates	 Explain how to measure the amount of gas given off in a reaction. Explain how to measure the rate of a reaction. Read data from graphs to interpret stages of a reaction. 	4.6.1.1	Practical sheet 6.1.1; Worksheet 6.1.1; Technician's notes 6.1.1; Presentations 6.1.1 and 6.1.2; Graph plotter 6.1.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz higher
Year 10	Term 2	51/52	C: 6 The rate and extent of chemical change	6.2	Key concept: Limiting reactants and molar masses (Higher tier only)	Identify which reactant is in excess. Explain the effect of a limiting quantity of a reactant on the amount of products. Calculate amount of products in moles or masses in grams.	4.3.2.4	Practical sheet 6.2.1; Worksheets 6.2.1 and 6.2.2; Technician's notes 6.2.1; Presentation 6.2.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video



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Year 10	Term 2	51/52	P: 5 Forces	5.4	Velocity– time graphs	Draw velocity–time graphs. Calculate acceleration using a velocity–time graph. Calculate displacement using a velocity–time graph.	4.5.6.1.1 4.5.6.1.3 4.5.6.1.5	Worksheets 5.4.1, 5.4.2 and 5.4.3; Practical sheet 5.4; Technician's notes 5.4	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 2	51/52	P: 5 Forces	5.5	Calculations of motion	Describe uniform motion. Use an equation for uniform motion. Apply this equation to vertical motion.	4.5.6.1.5	Worksheets 5.5.1, 5.5.2, 5.5.3, 5.5.4, 5.5.5 and 5.5.6	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	51/52	P: 5 Forces	5.6	Heavy or massive?	Identify the correct units for mass and weight. Explain the difference between mass and weight. Understand how weight is an effect of gravitational fields.	4.5.1.3	Worksheet 5.6.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	53/54	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.15	The kidneys	 Recall that excess water, ions and urea are removed from the body by the kidneys in urine. Describe how the kidneys produce urine. Explain how the hormone ADH regulates the amount of water in the urine, and therefore, in the body. 	4.5.3.3	Worksheets 5.15.1 and 4.15.2; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 10	Term 2	53/54	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.16	Negative feedback (Higher tier only)	 Explain the role of thyroxine in the body. Understand the principles of negative feedback, as applied to thyroxine. 	4.5.3.7	Worksheet 5.16; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	53/54	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.17	Kidney failure	Recall that people who suffer from kidney failure can be treated by dialysis or kidney transplant. Understand the principles of dialysis. Evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of treating organ	4.5.3.3	Worksheet 5.17	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow



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						failure using a mechanical device or transplant.			
Year 10	Term 2	53/54	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.18	Dialysis or transplant?	 Recall that people who suffer from kidney failure can be treated by dialysis or kidney transplant. Evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of treating organ failure using a mechanical device or transplant. 	4.5.3.3	Worksheets 5.18.1, 5.18.2 and 5.18.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 10	Term 2	53/54	C: 6 The rate and extent of chemical change	6.3	Calculating rates	Calculate the mean rate of a reaction. Draw and interpret graphs of reaction times. Draw tangents to the curves as a measure of the rate of reaction.	4.6.1.1	Practical sheet 6.3.1; Worksheet 6.3.1; Technician's notes 6.3.1; Presentations 6.3.1 and 6.3.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz higher
Year 10	Term 2	53/54	C: 6 The rate and extent of chemical change	6.4	Factors affecting rates	Identify which factors affect the rate of reactions. Explain how changes of surface area affect rates. Explain how rates are affected by different factors.	4.6.1.2	Practical sheet 6.4.1; Worksheets 6.4.1 and 6.4.2; Technician's notes 6.4.1; Presentation 6.4.1; Graph plotter 6.4.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz - higher Video
Year 10	Term 2	53/54	C: 6 The rate and extent of chemical change	6.5	Required practical: Investigate how changes in concentration affect the rates of reactions by a method involving the production of a gas and a method involving a	Use scientific theories and explanations to develop a hypothesis. Plan experiments to test the hypothesis and check data. Make and record measurements using gas syringes. Evaluate methods and suggest improvements and further investigations.	4.6.1.2 Prac 5	Practical sheets 6.5.1 and 6.5.2; Worksheet 6.5.1; Technician's notes 6.5.1; Presentations 6.5.1 and 6.5.2; Graph plotters 6.5.1 and 6.5.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz - higher



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Year 10	Term 2	53/54	P: 5 Forces	5.7	Forces and motion	 Understand what a force does. Explain what happens to an object if all the forces acting on it cancel each other out. Analyse how this applies to everyday situations. 	4.5.6.1.5 4.5.6.2.1	Worksheet 5.7.1, 5.7.2 and 5.7.3; Practical sheet 5.7; Technician's notes 5.7	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	53/54	P: 5 Forces	5.8	Resultant forces	Calculate the resultant of a number of forces. Draw free-body diagrams to find resultant forces. Understand that a force can be resolved into two components acting at right angles to each other.	4.5.1.3 (centre of mass), 4.5.1.4	Worksheets 5.8.1, 5.8.2 and 5.8.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	53/54	P: 5 Forces	5.9	Forces and acceleration	 Explain what happens to the motion of an object when the resultant force is not zero. Analyse situations in which a non-zero resultant force is acting. Explain what inertia is. 	4.5.6.2.1 (inertia), 4.5.6.2.2	Practical sheets 5.9.1, 5.9.2 and 5.9.3; Technician's notes 5.9	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	55/56	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.19	Human reproduction	Describe the roles of hormones in sexual reproduction. Explain how hormones interact in the menstrual cycle.	4.5.3.4	Worksheets 5.19.1 and 5.19.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	55/56	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.20	IVF (Higher tier only)	 Explain the use of hormones in technologies to treat infertility. Describe the technique of <i>in-vitro</i> fertilisation. Evaluate the scientific, emotional, social and ethical issues of <i>in-vitro</i> fertilisation. 	4.5.3.6	Worksheet 5.20; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	55/56	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.21	IVF evaluation (Higher tier only)	Describe the technique of in-vitro fertilisation.	4.5.3.6	Worksheet 5.21	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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						Evaluate the scientific, emotional, social and ethical issues of <i>in-</i> <i>vitro</i> fertilisation.			
Year 10	Term 2	55/56	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.22	Systems working together (Higher tier only)	Describe the effects of adrenaline. Understand that automatic control systems may involve nervous responses and chemical responses. Understand that combinations of hormones work to produce a response.	4.5.3.7	Worksheet 5.22	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	55/56	C: 6 The rate and extent of chemical change	6.6	Factors increasing the rate	 Analyse experimental data on rates of reaction. Predict the effects of changing conditions on rates of reactions. Use ideas about proportionality to explain the effect of a factor. 	4.6.1.2	Practical sheet 6.6.1; Worksheet 6.6.1; Technician's notes 6.6.1; Presentation 6.6.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz – higher Slideshow
Year 10	Term 2	55/56	C: 6 The rate and extent of chemical change	6.7	Collision theory	Describe a reaction by particles colliding. Explain the effects of changes of factors on rates of reaction using collision theory. Describe activation energy.	4.6.1.3	Worksheets 6.7.1 and 6.7.2; Presentations 6.7.1 and 6.7.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz higher
Year 10	Term 2	55/56	C: 6 The rate and extent of chemical change	6.8	Catalysts	Identify catalysts in reactions. Explain catalytic action. Explain activation energy.	4.6.1.4	Practical sheet 6.8.1; Worksheet 6.8.1; Technician's notes 6.8.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz higher Video
Year 10	Term 2	55/56	P: 5 Forces	5.10	Required practical: Investigatin g the	 Plan an investigation to explore an idea. Analyse results to identify patterns and draw conclusions. 	4.5.6.2.2 Prac 7	Worksheets 5.10.1, 5.10.2 and 5.10.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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					acceleration of an object	Compare results with scientific theory.			
Year 10	Term 2	55/56	P: 5 Forces	5.11	Newton's third law	Identify force pairs. Understand and apply Newton's third law.	4.5.6.2.3	Worksheets 5.11.1, 5.11.2 and 5.11.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	57/58	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.23	Contracepti	Understand that fertility can be controlled by different hormonal and non-hormonal methods of contraception. Evaluate the different methods of contraception.	4.5.3.5	Worksheets 5.23.1 and 5.23.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	57/58	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.24	Which contraceptiv e?	Understand that fertility can be controlled by different hormonal and non-hormonal methods of contraception. Evaluate the different methods of contraception.	4.5.3.5	Worksheet 5.24	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	57/58	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.25	Auxins	Recall that plants produce hormones to coordinate and control growth, and responses to light and gravity. Describe how unequal distributions of auxins cause unequal growth rates in plant shoots and roots.	4.5.4.1; 4.5.4.2	Worksheets 5.25.1, 5.25.2 and 5.25.3; Practical sheet 5.25; Technician's notes 5.25	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	57/58	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.26	Applications of auxins	Explain how auxins coordinate and control responses to light and gravity. Explain that auxins act on 'stem cells' in plants called meristems. Describe some applications of auxins.	4.5.4.2, 4.5.4.2	Worksheets 5.26.1, 5.26.2 and 5.26.3; Practical sheet 5.26; Technician's notes 5.26	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 10	Term 2	57/58	C: 6 The rate and extent of chemical change	6.9	Reversible reactions and energy changes	Identify a reversible reaction. Explain how energy changes occur in reversible reactions. Consider changing the conditions of a reversible reaction.	4.6.2.1, 4.6.2.2	Practical sheet 6.9.1; Worksheet 6.9.1; Technician's notes 6.9.1; Presentation 6.9.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz - higher
Year 10	Term 2	57/58	C: 6 The rate and extent of chemical change	6.10	Equilibrium	 Describe how equilibrium is reached. Explain what happens to the forward and reverse reactions. Predict the effects of changes on systems at equilibrium. 	4.6.2.3	Worksheets 6.10.1; Technician's notes 6.10.1; Presentation 6.10.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	57/58	C: 6 The rate and extent of chemical change	6.11	Changing concentratio n and equilibrium (Higher tier only)	 Identify reactants and products in a reversible reaction. Explain how changing concentrations changes the position of equilibrium. Interpret data to predict the effect of a change in concentration. 	4.6.2.4, 4.6.2.5	Worksheet 6.11.1; Technician's notes 6.11.1; Presentation 6.11.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	57/58	C: 6 The rate and extent of chemical change	6.14	Maths skills: Use the slope of a tangent as a measure of rate of change	Draw graphs from numeric data. Draw tangents to the curve to observe how the slope changes. Calculate the slope of the tangent to identify the rate of reaction.	4.6	Worksheets 6.14.1 and 6.14.2; Presentations 6.14.1 and 6.14.2	Video
Year 10	Term 2	57/58	P: 5 Forces	5.12	Momentum (Higher tier only)	Explain what is meant by momentum. Apply ideas about rate of change of momentum to safety features in cars. Use momentum calculations to predict what happens in a collision.	4.5.7.1, 4.5.7.2, 4.5.7.3	Worksheets 5.12.1, 5.12.2 and 5.12.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	57/58	P: 5 Forces	5.13	Keeping safe on the road	Explain the factors that affect stopping distance.	4.5.6.3.1, 4.5.6.3.2, 4.5.6.3.3,	Worksheets 5.13.1, 5.13.2 and 5.13.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet



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						 Explain the dangers caused by large deceleration. Estimate the forces involved in the deceleration of a road vehicle. Apply the idea of rate of change of momentum to explain safety features. 	4.5.6.3.4, 4.5.7.3		Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	57/58	P: 5 Forces	5.20	Key concept: Forces and acceleration	 Recognise examples of balanced and unbalanced forces. Apply ideas about speed and acceleration to explain sensations of movement. Apply ideas about inertia and circular motion to explain braking and cornering. 	4.5	Worksheets 5.20.1, 5.20.2 and 5.20.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 2	59/60	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.27	Required practical: The effect of light and gravity on the growth of germinating seeds	 Describe how an experiment is planned for a specific purpose. Make and record observations and translate data from one form to another. Interpret observations and other data, identifying patterns and trends, make inferences and draw conclusions. 	4.5.4.1 Prac 8	Worksheet 5.27; Practical sheet 5.27; Technician's notes 5.27	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 2	59/60	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.28	Other plant hormones (Higher tier only)	Recall that gibberellins are important in seed germination, and ethene in cell division and ripening of fruit. Explain the application of the plant hormones ethene and gibberellins.	4.5.4.2	Worksheet 5.28	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	59/60	B: 5 Coordination and control	5.29	Maths skills: The spread of scientific data	Use range bars on graphs. Understand how box and whisker plots can be used to show the spread of data.		Worksheets 5.29.1, 5.29.2 and 5.29.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow



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						Understand how to use percentiles.			Video
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Year 10	Term 2	59/60	C: 6 The rate and extent of chemical change	6.12	Changing temperature and equilibrium (Higher tier only)	 Explain how exothermic reactions behave. Explain how endothermic reactions behave. Apply Le Chatelier's principle to reactions in equilibrium. 	4.6.2.6	Worksheets 6.12.1 and 6.12.2; Technician's 6.12.1; Presentation 6.12.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	59/60	C: 6 The rate and extent of chemical	6.13	Changing pressure and equilibrium (Higher tier only)	Predict the effects of changes in pressure. Explain why these effects occur. Interpret data to predict the effect of a change in pressure.	4.6.2.7	Worksheet 6.13.1; Presentation 6.13.1 '	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	59/60	C: 6 The rate and extent of chemical	Connect	ter test ok ter test Collins ning block test	Assessment			End of chapter test End of teaching block test
Year 10	Term 2	59/60	P: 5 Forces	5.14	Moments	 Describe the turning effect of a force about a pivot. Explain and use the principle of moments. Explain how the turning effect on an object depends on the position of its centre of mass. 	4.5.1.3 (centre of mass), 4.5.4	Worksheets 5.14.1, 5.14.2 and 5.14.3; Practical sheet 5.14; Technician's notes 5.14	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 2	59/60	P: 5 Forces	5.15	Levers and gears	Describe how levers and gears can be used to transmit the rotational effect of a force.	4.5.4	Worksheets 5.15.1, 5.15.2 and 5.15.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet



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						Explain how levers and gears transmit forces.			Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 2	59/60	P: 5 Forces	5.16	Pressure in a fluid	 Explain how pressure acts in a fluid. Calculate pressure at different depths in a liquid. Explain what causes upthrust. 	4.5.5.1.1, 4.5.5.1.2	Worksheets 5.16.1, 5.16.2 and 5.16.3; Practical sheet 5.16; Technician's notes 5.16	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	61/62	B: 6 Genetics	6.1	DNA and genes	Describe the structure of DNA. Describe a gene as a small section of DNA that codes for a protein.	4.6.1.4; 4.6.1.5	Worksheet 6.1; Practical sheet 6.1; Technician's notes 6.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 10	Term 3	61/62	B: 6 Genetics	6.2	The human genome	Describe a gene as a small section of DNA that codes for a protein. Explain the importance of understanding the human genome.	4.6.1.4; 4.6.1.5	Worksheet 6.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	61/62	B: 6 Genetics	6.3	Tracing human migration	Explain the importance of understanding the human genome. Discuss the use of the human genome in understanding human migration patterns.	4.6.1.4	Worksheets 6.3.1 and 6.3.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	61/62	C: 7 Hydrocarbons	7.1	Crude oil, hydrocarbon s and alkanes	 Describe why crude oil is a finite resource. Identify the hydrocarbons in the series of alkanes. Explain the structure and formulae of the alkanes. 	4.7.1.1	Worksheets 7.1.1 and 7.1.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 10	Term 3	61/62	C: 7 Hydrocarbons	7.2	Fractional distillation and petrochemic als	Describe how crude oil is used to provide modern materials. Explain how crude oil is separated by fractional distillation.	4.7.1.2	Practical sheet 7.2.1; Worksheets 7.2.1 and 7.2.2; Technician's notes 7.2.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz – higher



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						Explain why the boiling points of the fractions are different.			Video
Year 10	Term 3	61/62	C: 7 Hydrocarbons	7.3	Properties of hydrocarbon s	Describe how different hydrocarbon fuels have different properties. Identify the properties that influence the use of fuels. Explain how the properties are related to the size of the molecules.	4.7.1.3	Worksheets 7.3.1 and 7.3.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 10	Term 3	61/62	P: 5 Forces	5.17	Atmospheric pressure	 Show that the atmosphere exerts a pressure. Explain variations in atmospheric pressure with height. Describe a simple model of the Earth's atmosphere and atmospheric pressure. 	4.5.5.2	Worksheets 5.17.1, 5.17.2 and 5.17.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	61/62	P: 5 Forces	5.18	Forces and energy in springs	 Explain why you need two forces to stretch a spring. Describe the difference between elastic and inelastic deformation. Calculate extension, compression and elastic potential energy. 	4.5.3	Worksheets 5.18.1, 5.18.2 and 5.18.3; Practical sheet 5.18; Technician's notes 5.18	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 3	61/62	P: 5 Forces	5.19	Required practical: Investigate the relationship between force and the extension of a spring	 Interpret readings to show patterns and trends. Interpret graphs to form conclusions. Apply the equation for a straight line to the graph. 	4.5.3 Prac 6	Worksheets 5.19.1, 5.19.2 and 5.19.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	63/64	B: 6 Genetics	6.4	The structure of DNA	Describe the structure of DNA as repeating nucleotide units. Identify the four bases in DNA.	4.6.1.5	Worksheets 6.4.1 and 6.4.2 Practical sheet 6.4; Technician's notes 6.4	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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						Explain that the bases A and T, and C and G, are complementary.			
Year 10	Term 3	63/64	B: 6 Genetics	6.5	Proteins	Describe how proteins are synthesised according to the DNA template of a gene. Explain that the genetic code of a gene specifies the protein to be made.	4.6.1.5	Worksheets 6.5.1 and 6.5.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 10	Term 3	63/64	B: 6 Genetics	6.6	Mutations	Model changes to the base sequences of DNA to illustrate mutations. Describe the negative and, sometimes, positive effects of mutations. Describe how mutations can affect protein function.	4.6.1.5	Worksheet 6.6	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 10	Term 3	63/64	C: 7 Hydrocarbons	7.4	Combustion	Describe the process of complete combustion. Balance equations showing the combustion of hydrocarbons. Explain the consequences of incomplete combustion.	4.7.1.3	Practical sheet 7.4.1; Worksheet 7.4.1; Technician's notes 7.4.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	63/64	C: 7 Hydrocarbons	7.5	Cracking and alkenes	Describe the usefulness of cracking. Balance chemical equations as examples of cracking. Explain why modern life depends on the uses of hydrocarbons.	4.7.1.4	Practical sheet 7.5.1; Worksheet 7.5.1; Technician's notes 7.5.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	63/64	C: 7 Hydrocarbons	7.6	Structure and formulae of alkenes	Describe the difference between an alkane and an alkene. Draw the displayed structural formulae for the first four members of the alkenes. Explain why alkenes are called unsaturated molecules.	4.7.2.1	Worksheets 7.6.1 and 7.6.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video



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Year 10	Term 3	63/64	P: 5 Forces	5.21	Maths skills: Making estimates of calculations	Estimate the results of simple calculations. Round numbers to make an estimate. Calculate order of magnitude.	4.5	Worksheets 5.21.1, 5.21.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	63/64	P: 5 Forces	End of chap Student Boo End of chap Connect		Assessment			End of chapter test
Year 10	Term 3	63/64	P: 6 Waves and light	6.1	Describing waves	Describe wave motion. Define wavelength and frequency. Apply the relationship between wavelength, frequency and wave velocity.	4.6.1.2	Worksheets 6.6.1, 6.6.2, 6.6.3, 6.6.4, 6.6.5 and 6.6.6	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	65/66	B: 6 Genetics	6.7	Meiosis	Explain how meiosis halves the number of chromosomes for gamete production. Explain how fertilisation restores the chromosome number. Understand that the four gametes produced by meiosis are genetically different.	4.6.1.1; 4.6.1.2; 4.6.1.8	Worksheets 6.7.1 and 6.7.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 10	Term 3	65/66	B: 6 Genetics	6.8	Asexual and sexual reproduction	Understand that asexual reproduction involves just one parent and produces genetically identical offspring. Understand that sexual reproduction leads to variety in the offspring.	4.6.1.1; 4.6.1.3	Worksheets 6.8.1 and 6.8.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 3	65/66	B: 6 Genetics	6.9	Genetics	Understand and be able to use genetics terms, such as dominant, recessive, genotype, phenotype, homozygous and heterozygous.	4.6.1.6; 4.6.1.7	Worksheets 6.9.1, 6.9.2 and 6.9.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video



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						Know that some human conditions are caused by a recessive allele.			
Year 10	Term 3	65/66	C: 7 Hydrocarbons	7.7	Reactions of alkenes	 Describe the addition reactions of alkenes. Draw the full displayed structural formulae of the products alkenes make. Explain how alkenes react with hydrogen, water and the halogens. 	4.7.2.2	Practical sheet 7.7.1; Worksheets 7.7.1 and 7.7.2; Technician's notes 7.7.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	65/66	C: 7 Hydrocarbons	7.8	Alcohols	Recognise alcohols from their name or from given formulae. Describe the conditions used for the fermentation of sugar using yeast. Write balanced chemical equations for the combustion of alcohols.	4.7.2.3	Practical sheets 7.8.1 and 7.8.2; Worksheets 7.8.1 and 7.8.2; Technician's notes 7.8.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 10	Term 3	65/66	C: 7 Hydrocarbons	7.9	Carboxylic acids	Describe the reactions of carboxylic acids. Recognise carboxylic acids from their formulae. Explain the reaction of ethanoic acid with an alcohol.	4.7.2.4	Practical sheet 7.9.1; Worksheets 7.9.1 and 7.9.2; Technician's notes 7.9.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	65/66	P: 6 Waves and light	6.2	Transverse and longitudinal waves	Compare the motion of transverse and longitudinal waves. Explain why water waves are transverse waves. Explain why sound waves are longitudinal waves.	4.6.1.1, 4.6.1.2	Worksheets 6.2.1, 6.2.2 and 6.2.3; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	65/66	P: 6 Waves and light	6.3	Key concept: Transferring energy or	Understand that all waves have common properties. Understand how waves can be used to carry information.	4.6	Worksheets 6.3.1, 6.3.2 and 6.3.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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					information by waves	Understand various applications of energy transfer by different types of electromagnetic waves.			
Year 10	Term 3	65/66	P: 6 Waves and light	6.4	Measuring wave speeds	 Explain how the speed of sound in air can be measured. Explain how the speed of water ripples can be measured. Describe the use of echo sounding. 	4.6.1.2, 4.6.1.5 (echo sounding)	Worksheets 6.4.1, 6.4.2, 6.4.3; Practical sheet 6.4; Technician's notes 6.4	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 3	67/68	B: 6 Genetics	6.10	Genetic crosses	Use the terms dominant, recessive, genotype, phenotype, homozygous and heterozygous. Know that some human conditions, such as cystic fibrosis, are caused by a recessive allele. Complete or construct a Punnett square to predict the outcome of a genetic cross.	4.6.1.6; 4.6.1.7	Worksheets 6.10.1, 6.10.2 and 6.10.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 10	Term 3	67/68	B: 6 Genetics	6.11	Tracking gene disorders	Understand the use of a family tree to show the inheritance of a characteristic. Explain economic, social and ethical issues concerned with embryo screening.	4.6.1.6; 4.6.1.7	Worksheets 6.11.1 and 6.11.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 10	Term 3	67/68	B: 6 Genetics	6.12	Gregor Mendel	Plan experiments to explore phenomena and test hypotheses Draw conclusions from given observations Evaluate data in terms of reproducibility.	4.6.1.6	Worksheets 6.12.1, 6.12.2 and 6.12.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	67/68	C: 7 Hydrocarbons	7.10	Addition polymerisati on	 Recognise addition polymers and monomers from diagrams. Draw diagrams of the formation of a polymer from an alkene. Relate the repeating unit of the polymer to the monomer. 	4.7.3.1	Worksheets 7.10.1 and 7.10.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 10	Term 3	67/68	C: 7 Hydrocarbons	7.11	Condensati on polymerisati on (Higher tier only)	 Explain the basic principles of condensation polymerisation. Explain the role of functional groups in producing a condensation polymer. Explain the structure of the repeating units in a condensation polymer. 	4.7.3.2	Practical sheet 7.11.1; Worksheets 7.11.1 and 7.11.2; Technician's notes 7.11.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	67/68	C: 7 Hydrocarbons	7.12	Amino acids (Higher tier only)	Identify the two functional groups of an amino acid. Explain how amino acids build proteins.	4.7.3.3	Worksheet 7.12.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	67/68	P: 6 Waves and light	6.5	Required practical: Measuring the wavelength, frequency and speed of waves in a ripple tank and waves in a solid	Develop techniques for making observations of waves. Select suitable apparatus to measure frequency and wavelength. Use data to answer questions.	4.6.1.2 Prac 8	Worksheets 6.5.1, 6.5.2 and 6.5.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	67/68	P: 6 Waves and light	6.6	Reflection and refraction of waves	 Describe reflection, transmission and absorption of waves. Construct ray diagrams to illustrate reflection. Construct ray diagrams to illustrate refraction. 	4.6.1.3, 4.6.2.2	Worksheets 6.6.1, 6.6.2 and 6.6.3; Practical sheets 6.6.1, 6.6.2 and 6.6.3; Technician's notes 6.6.1, 6.6.2 and 6.6.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	69/70	B: 6 Genetics	6.13	Key concept: Genetics is simple – or is it?	 Explain how certain characteristics are controlled by a single gene. Understand that many characteristics are the result of multiple genes which interact. Describe the search for genes that are linked to disease. 	4.6.1.6; 4.6.1.7	Worksheet 6.13	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video



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Year 10	Term 3	69/70	B: 6 Genetics	6.14	Maths skills: Fractions, ratio, proportion and probability	Understand and use fractions and percentages. Understand and use ratio and proportion. Understand and use probability when predicting the outcomes of genetic crosses.	4.6.1.6	Worksheet 6.14;	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
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Year 10	Term 3	69/70	C: 7 Hydrocarbons	7.13	DNA and other naturally occurring polymers	Describe the components of natural polymers. Explain the structure of proteins and carbohydrates. Explain how a molecule of DNA is constructed.	4.7.3.4	Worksheets 7.13.1 and 7.13.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	69/70	C: 7 Hydrocarbons	7.14	Key concept: Intermolecul ar forces	Recognise the strong covalent bonds within molecules. Recognise the weak intermolecular forces between molecules. Describe the effects of weak intermolecular forces on properties of substances.	4.2.2.4, 4.2.2.5, 4.7	Worksheets 7.14.1 and 7.14.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 10	Term 3	69/70	C: 7 Hydrocarbons	7.15	Maths skills: Visualise and represent 3D models	Use 3D models to represent hydrocarbons, polymers and large biological molecules.	4.2.1, 4.7.1	Worksheets 7.15.1 and 7.15.2	
Year 10	Term 3	69/70	P: 6 Waves and light	6.7	Required practical: Investigate	Make and record observations of how light is reflected and transmitted at different surfaces.	4.6.1.3 Prac 9	Worksheets 6.7.1 and 6.7.2; Practical sheets 6.7.1, 6.7.2, 6.7.3 and 6.7.4; Technician's notes 6.7	Quick starter Homework worksheet



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					the reflection of light by different types of surface and the refraction of light by different substances	Measure angles and discuss the method, apparatus and uncertainty in measurements. Draw conclusions from experimental results.			Homework quiz Slideshow 1 Slideshow 2
Year 10	Term 3	69/70	P: 6 Waves and light	6.8	Sound waves (Higher tier only)	 Describe how we hear sound and state the range of frequencies we can hear. Explain that sound travels faster in a denser medium. Explain about reflection, absorption and transmission of sound. 	4.6.1.4	Worksheets 6.8.1, 6.8.2 and 6.8.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	69/70	P: 6 Waves and light	6.9	Exploring ultrasound (Higher tier only)	Explain what ultrasound is. Describe how ultrasound is used in industry to investigate or detect hidden or buried objects. Explain how ultrasound is used in medicine.	4.6.1.5	Worksheets 6.9.1, 6.9.2 and 6.9.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 10	Term 3	71/72	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.1	Variation	Recall that differences in the characteristics of individuals in a population is called variation. Understand the genetic and environmental differences leading to variation.	4.6.2.1	Worksheets 7.1.1, 7.1.2 and 7.1.3; Practical sheet 7.1; Technician's notes 7.1; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	71/72	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.2	The theory of evolution	Recall that all species of living things have evolved from simple life forms. Explain how evolution occurs through natural selection.	4.6.2.2, 4.6.3.1	Worksheets 7.2.1, 7.2.2 and 7.2.3; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow



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Year 10	Term 3	71/72	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.3	The origin of species by natural selection	Explain the evidence that led Darwin to propose the theory of evolution by natural selection. Describe the process of natural selection.	4.6.3.1, 4.6.3.2	Worksheets 7.3.1 and 7.3.2; Practical sheet 7.3; Technician's notes 7.3; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 10	Term 3	71/72	C: 7 Hydrocarbons	End of chap Student Boo End of chap Connect		Assessment			End of chapter test
Year 10	Term 3	71/72	C: 8 Chemical analysis	8.1	Key concept: Pure substances	 Describe, explain and exemplify processes of separation. Suggest separation and purification techniques for mixtures. Distinguish pure and impure substances using melting point and boiling point data. 	4.1.1.2, 4.8.1.1	Practical sheets 8.1.1 and 8.1.2; Worksheets 8.1.1 and 8.1.2; Technician's notes 8.1.1 and 8.1.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	71/72	C: 8 Chemical analysis	8.2	Formulation s	Identify formulations given appropriate information. Explain the particular purpose of each chemical in a mixture. Explain how quantities are carefully measured for formulation.	4.8.1.2	Worksheets 8.2.1 and 8.2.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	71/72	P: 6 Waves and light	6.10	Seismic waves (Higher tier only)	Describe how earthquakes are detected. Describe the properties of P waves and S waves. Explain how the properties of seismic waves allow us to investigate the inside of the Earth.	4.6.1.5	Worksheets 6.10.1, 6.10.2, 6.10.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	71/72	P: 6 Waves and light	6.11	The electromagn	Recognise that electromagnetic waves are transverse waves.	4.6.2.1	Worksheets 6.11.1, 6.11.2 and 6.11.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet



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					etic spectrum	Describe the main groupings and wavelength ranges of the electromagnetic spectrum.			Homework quiz
Year 10	Term 3	71/72	P: 6 Waves and light	6.12	Reflection, refraction and wave fronts (Higher tier only)	 Explain reflection and refraction and how these may vary with wavelength. Construct ray diagrams to illustrate refraction. Use wave front diagrams to explain refraction in terms of the difference in velocity of the waves in different substances. 	4.6.2.2	Worksheets 6.12.1, 6.12.2, 6.12.3; Practical sheet 6.12.1; Technician's notes 6.12.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	73/74	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.4	Fossil evidence	 Understand how, and the situations in which, fossils are formed. Understand how fossils are used as evidence for evolution of species from simpler life forms. 	4.6.3.4; 4.6.3.5	Worksheets 7.4.1 and 7.4.2; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	73/74	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.5	How much have organisms changed?	Understand why the fossil record is incomplete. Use the fossil record to understand how much, or how little, organisms have changed as life developed on Earth.	4.6.3.5	Worksheets 7.5.1, 7.5.2 and 7.5.3; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	73/74	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.6	Darwin and Wallace	Recognise how Darwin and Wallace proposed, independently, the theory of evolution. Describe how Alfred Wallace gathered evidence for evolution, including warning coloration and mimicry.	4.6.3.2	Worksheets 7.6.1, 7.6.2 and 7.6.3; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	73/74	C: 8 Chemical analysis	8.3	Chromatogr aphy	 Explain how to set up chromatography paper. Distinguish pure from impure substances. 	4.8.1.3	Practical sheet 8.3.1, Worksheet 8.3.1, Technician's notes 8.3.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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						Interpret chromatograms and determine R _f values.			Homework quiz – higher Video
Year 11	Term 1	73/74	C: 8 Chemical analysis	8.12	Maths skills: Use an appropriate number of significant figures	 Measure distances on chromatograms. Calculate R_i values. Record R_i values to an appropriate number of significant figures. 	4.8.1.3	Presentation 8.12.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	73/74	C: 8 Chemical analysis	8.4	Required practical: Investigate how paper chromatogr aphy can be used in forensic science to identify an ink mixture used in a forgery	Describe the safe and correct manipulation of chromatography apparatus and how accurate measurements are achieved. Make and record measurements used in paper chromatography. Calculate R _f values.	4.8.1.3 Prac 6	Practical sheets 8.4.1 and 8.4.2; Technician's notes 8.4.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	73/74	C: 8 Chemical analysis	8.5	Test for gases	Recall the tests for four common gases. Identify the four common gases using these tests. Explain why limewater can be used for testing carbon dioxide.	4.8.2.1, 4.8.2.2, 4.8.2.3, 4.8.2.4	Practical sheet 8.5.1; Technician's notes 8.5.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	73/74	P: 6 Waves and light	6.13	Gamma rays and X- rays	 List the properties of gamma rays and X-rays. Compare gamma rays and X-rays. 	4.6.2.1, 4.6.2.2, 4.6.2.3, 4.6.2.4	Worksheets 6.13.1, 6.14.2 and 6.13.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	73/74	P: 6 Waves and light	6.14	Ultraviolet and infrared radiation	 Describe the properties of ultraviolet and infrared radiation. Describe some uses and hazards of ultraviolet radiation. 	4.6.2.1, 4.6.2.2, 4.6.2.3, 4.6.2.4	Worksheet 6.14; Practical sheet 6.14; Technician's notes 6.14	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow



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						Describe some uses of infrared radiation.			
Year 11	Term 1	73/74	P: 6 Waves and light	6.15	Required practical: Investigate how the amount of infrared radiation absorbed or radiated by a surface depends on the nature of that surface	 Explain reasons for the equipment used to carry out an investigation. Explain the rationale for carrying out an investigation. Apply ideas from an investigation to a range of practical contexts. 	4.6.2.2 Prac 10	Worksheet 6.15; Practical sheet 6.15; Technician's notes 6.15	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 1	75/76	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.7	A new species	 Understand that when natural selection operates differently on populations, a new species is produced. Understand that during evolution, new species are formed when populations become so different that they can no longer interbreed. 	4.6.3.2	Worksheets 7.7.1, 7.7.1 and 7.7.3; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	75/76	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.8	Evidence of natural selection and evolution?	Understand how scientific theories develop over time. Plan experiments to test hypotheses.	4.6.3.4	Worksheet 7.8; Practical sheets 7.8.1 and 7.8.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 1	75/76	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.9	Key concept: Evolution: fitting the pieces of the jigsaw	Understand the work of Mendel, Darwin and Wallace. Appreciate that the contributions of many scientists led to gene theory being developed.	4.6.3.1; 4.6.3.2; 4.6.3.3	Worksheets 7.9.1, 7.9.2 and 7.9.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	75/76	C: 8 Chemical analysis	8.6	Flame tests	Carry out flame test procedures.	4.8.3.1	Practical sheet 8.6.1; Worksheet 8.6.1; Technician's notes 8.6.1	Quick starter



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						Identify the colours of flames of ions. Identify substances from the results of the tests.			Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	75/76	C: 8 Chemical analysis	8.7	Metal hydroxides	Recognise the precipitate colour of metal hydroxides. Explain how to use sodium hydroxide to test for metal ions. Write balanced equations for producing insoluble metal hydroxides.	4.8.3.2	Practical sheet 8.7.1; Worksheet 8.7.1; Technician's notes 8.7.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz - higher Slideshow
Year 11	Term 1	75/76	C: 8 Chemical analysis	8.8	Tests for anions	 Identify the tests for carbonates. Explain the tests for halides and sulfates. Identify anions and cations from the results of tests. 	4.8.3.3, 4.8.3.4, 4.8.3.5	Practical sheets 8.8.1 and 8.8.2; Worksheet 8.8.1; Technician's notes 8.8.1 and 8.8.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	75/76	P: 6 Waves and light	6.16	Microwaves	List some properties of microwaves. Describe how microwaves are used for communications.	4.6.2.1, 4.6.2.2, 4.6.2.4	Worksheet 6.16	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	75/76	P: 6 Waves and light	6.17	Radio and microwave communicat ion	 Describe how radio waves are used for television and radio communications. Describe how microwaves are used in satellite communications. Describe how radio waves are produced and received. Describe the reflection and refraction of radio waves. 	4.6.2.1, 4.6.2.2, 4.6.2.3, 4.6.2.4	Worksheets 6.17.1, 6.17.2 and 6.17.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	75/76	P: 6 Waves and light	6.18	Colour	Describe what happens when light of different wavelengths lands on an object. Explain what determines the colour of an opaque object. Explain the effect of coloured filters.	4.6.2.1, 4.6.2.6	Worksheets 6.18.1, 6.18.2 and 6.18.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 11	Term 1	77/78	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.10	Antimicrobia I resistance	Recall that bacteria develop that are resistant to antibiotics, which is evidence of evolution. Understand the mechanism by which antibiotic resistance develops. Understand the effects of the development of antibiotic resistance on the treatment of disease.	4.6.3.7	Worksheets 7.10.1, 7.10.2 and 7.10.3; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	77/78	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.11	Combatting antimicrobia I resistance	Describe how to reduce the rate of development of antibiotic resistance. Understand the requirement for, and the impact of, new antibiotics.	4.6.3.7	Worksheets 7.11.1 and 7.11.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	77/78	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.12	Selective breeding	Describe the process of selective breeding. Recall how selective breeding enables humans to choose desirable characteristics in animals and plants. Explain how selective breeding can lead to inbreeding.	4.6.2.3	Worksheets 7.12.1 and 7.12.2; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 1	77/78	C: 8 Chemical analysis	8.9	Required practical: Use chemical tests to identify the ions in unknown single ionic compounds	Describe how to carry out experiments safely using the correct manipulation of apparatus for the qualitative analysis of ions. Make and record observations using flame tests and precipitation methods. Identify unknown ions in chemical compounds.	4.8.3 Prac 7	Practical sheets 8.9.1 and 8.9.2, Technician's notes 8.9.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	77/78	C: 8 Chemical analysis	8.10	Instrumental methods	Identify advantages of instrumental methods compared with the chemical tests.	4.8.3.6	Worksheets 8.10.1 and 8.10.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet



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						Describe some instrumental techniques. Explain the data provided by instrumental techniques.			Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 11	Term 1	77/78	C: 8 Chemical analysis	8.11	Flame emission spectroscop y	Describe flame emission spectroscopy. Identify the advantages of instrumental methods compared with the chemical tests. Interpret an instrumental result using a reference set.	4.8.3.7	Practical sheet 8.11.1; Worksheet 8.11.1; Technician notes 8.11.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 11	Term 1	77/78	C: 8 Chemical analysis	End of chap Student Boo End of chap Connect		Assessment			End of chapter test
Year 11	Term 1	77/78	P: 6 Waves and light	6.19	Lenses	 Understand what a lens does. Draw ray diagrams to show the formation of images by lenses. Describe the difference between a real and a virtual image. 	4.6.2.5	Worksheets 6.19.1, 6.19.2 and 6.19.3; Technician's notes 6.19	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 1	77/78	P: 6 Waves and light	6.20	Images and magnificatio n	 Draw ray diagrams to show the formation of real and virtual images by lenses. Calculate the magnification of an image. 	4.6.2.5	Worksheets 6.20.1, 6.20.2 and 6.20.3; Technician's notes 6.20	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	77/78	P: 6 Waves and light	6.21	Emission and absorption of infrared radiation	 Realise that all bodies emit and absorb infrared radiation. Compare emission and absorption of radiation from different surfaces. Define a perfect black body. Explain that the intensity and distribution of wavelengths of any emission depend on the temperature of the body. 	4.6.3.1, 4.6.3.2	Worksheets 6.21.1, 6.21.2 and 6.21.3; Practical sheet 6.21; Technician's notes 6.21	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 11	Term 1	79/80	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.13	Producing new plant varieties	Describe the process of selective breeding. Recall how selective breeding enables humans to choose desirable characteristics in plants.	4.6.2.3	Worksheets 7.13.1 and 7.13.2; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	79/80	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.14	Genetic engineering	Explain what is meant by the term genetic engineering. Give examples of how plant crops have been genetically engineered to improve products and describe how fungus cells are engineered to produce human insulin.	4.6.2.4	Worksheets 7.14.1 and 7.14.2; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 11	Term 1	79/80	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.15	Genetically modified crops: the science	 Explain the benefits of genetic modification in a range of crops. Explain the ethical concerns about genetic engineering. 	4.6.2.4	Worksheet 7.15	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	79/80	C: 9 The atmosphere	9.1	Proportions of gases in the atmosphere	Identify the gases of the atmosphere. Recall the proportions of gases. Explain how the balance of the gases is maintained.	4.9.1.1	Worksheets 9.1.1 and 9.1.2; Technician's notes 9.1.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz – higher
Year 11	Term 1	79/80	C: 9 The atmosphere	9.2	The Earth's early atmosphere	Describe ideas about the Earth's early atmosphere. Interpret evidence about the Earth's early atmosphere. Evaluate different theories about the Earth's early atmosphere.	4.9.1.2	Worksheet 9.2.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz higher Video
Year 11	Term 1	79/80	C: 9 The atmosphere	9.3	How oxygen increased	 Identify the processes allowing oxygen levels to increase. Explain the role of algae in the composition of the atmosphere. Recall the equation for photosynthesis. 	4.9.1.3	Worksheet 9.3.1; Presentation 9.3.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz higher Slideshow



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Year 11	Term 1	79/80	P: 6 Waves and light	6.22	Temperatur e of the Earth (Higher tier only)	Describe how the atmosphere absorbs radiation in a way that varies with wavelength. List the factors affecting the temperature of the Earth. Explain how the temperature of an object is related to the radiation absorbed and radiation emitted.	4.6.3.2, 4.6.2.2	Worksheets 6.22.1, 6.22.2, 6.22.3 and 6.22.4	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 1	79/80	P: 6 Waves and light	6.23	Maths skills: Using and rearranging equations	 Select and apply the equations T = 1/f and v = f λ Substitute numerical values into equations using appropriate units. Change the subject of an equation. 	4.6.1.2	Worksheet 6.23	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	79/80	P: 6 Waves and light	Connect	ter test Collins	Assessment			End of chapter test End of teaching block test
Year 11	Term 1	81/82	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.16	Is genetic modification safe?	 Explain the concerns that people have about genetic modification. Explain the possible safety issues of genetic engineering in agriculture and medicine. 	4.6.2.4	Worksheets 7.16.1 and 7.16.2; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	81/82	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.17	Ethically wrong, or essential?	Explain the benefits of, and concerns about, genetic modification. Explain the ethical issues of genetic engineering in agriculture and medicine.	4.6.2.4	Worksheets 7.17.1, 7.17.2 and 7.17.3; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow



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Year 11	Term 1	81/82	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.18	Cloning	Describe how cuttings and tissue culture are used to produce new plants. Describe the use of embryo transplants and adult cell cloning in animals.	4.6.2.5	Worksheets 7.18.1, 7.18.2 and 7.18.3; Practical sheet 7.18; Technician's notes 7.18; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 11	Term 1	81/82	C: 9 The atmosphere	9.4	How carbon dioxide decreased	Describe the main changes in the atmosphere over time. Describe some of the likely causes of these changes. Explain how the deposits of limestone, coal, crude oil and gas were formed.	4.9.1.4	Worksheet 9.4.1; Technician's notes 9.4.1; Presentations 9.4.1 and 9.4.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 1	81/82	C: 9 The atmosphere	9.5	Key: concept: Greenhouse gases	 Describe the greenhouse gases. Explain the greenhouse effect. Explain these processes as the interaction of short and long wavelength radiation with matter. 	4.9.2.1	Worksheet 9.5.1; Presentation 9.5.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz - higher
Year 11	Term 1	81/82	C: 9 The atmosphere	9.6	Human activities	Describe two activities that increase the amounts of carbon dioxide and methane. Evaluate the quality of evidence in a report about global climate change. Recognise the importance of peer review of results and of communicating results to a wide range of audiences.	4.9.2.2	Worksheet 9.6.1; Presentations 9.6.1 and Presentation 9.6.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz - higher Video
Year 11	Term 1	81/82	P: 7 Electromagnetism	7.1	Magnetism and magnetic forces	 Explain what is meant by the poles of a magnet. Plot the magnetic field around a bar magnet. Describe magnetic materials and induced magnetism. 	4.7.1.1, 4.7.1.2	Worksheet 7.1; Practical sheet 7.1; Technician's notes 7.1; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 11	Term 1	81/82	P: 7 Electromagnetism	7.2	Compasses and magnetic fields	Describe the Earth's magnetic field. Describe the magnetic effect of a current.	4.7.1.2, 4.7.2.1	Worksheet 7.2; Practical sheet 7.2; Technician's notes 7.2; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 1	81/82	P: 7 Electromagnetism	7.3	The magnetic effect of a solenoid	 Draw the magnetic field around a conducting wire and a solenoid. Describe the force on a wire in a magnetic field. 	4.7.2.1, 4.7.2.2	Worksheets 7.3.1 and 7.3.2; Practical sheet 7.3; Technician's notes 7.3; PowerPoint presentation;	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 1	83/84	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.19	The tree of life	Describe how living things have been classified into groups using a system devised by Linnaeus. Describe how new models of classification have developed.	4.6.4	Worksheets 7.19.1, 7.19.2 and 7.19.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 11	Term 1	83/84	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.20	Extinction or survival?	List the causes of extinction. Explain how new predators, competitors and diseases can lead to extinctions.	4.6.3.6	Worksheets 7.20.1, 7.20.2 and 7.20.3; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 11	Term 1	83/84	B: 7 Variation and evolution	7.21	Maths skills: Using charts and graphs to display data	Understand when and how to use bar charts. Understand how to show subgroups on bar charts. Understand how to plot histograms.		Worksheets 7.21.1 and 7.21.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
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Year 11	Term 1	83/84	C: 9 The atmosphere	9.7	Global climate change	Describe four potential effects of global climate change. Discuss the scale and risk of global climate change.	4.9.2.3	Worksheet 9.7.1; Presentation 9.7.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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						Discuss the environmental implications of climate change.			Slideshow
Year 11	Term 1	83/84	C: 9 The atmosphere	9.8	Carbon footprint and its reduction	 Explain that the carbon footprint can be reduced by reducing emissions of carbon dioxide and methane. Describe how emissions of carbon dioxide can be reduced. Describe how emissions of methane can be reduced. 	4.9.2.4	Worksheet 9.8.1; Presentation 9.8.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 11	Term 1	83/84	C: 9 The atmosphere	9.9	Limitations on carbon footprint reduction	 Give reasons why actions to reduce levels of carbon dioxide and methane may be limited. Give reasons why methane is difficult to reduce. 	4.9.2.4	Worksheets 9.9.1 and 9.9.2; Presentation 9.9.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	83/84	C: 9 The atmosphere	9.12	Maths skills: Use ratios, fractions and percentages	Use fractions and percentages to describe the composition of mixtures. Use ratios to determine the mass of products expected. Calculate percentage yields in chemical reactions.	4.9.1.1; 4.3.3.1	Worksheets 9.12.1 and 9.12.2; Technician's notes 9.12.1; Presentation 9.12.1	Video
Year 11	Term 1	83/84	P: 7 Electromagnetism	7.4	Electromag nets in action	Describe simple uses of electromagnets. Explain how an electric bell works. Interpret diagrams of other devices that use electromagnets to explain how they work.	4.7.2.1	Worksheets 7.4.1, 7.4.2 and 7.4.3; Practical sheet 7.4; Technician's notes 7.4; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 1	83/84	P: 7 Electromagnetism	7.5	Calculating the force on a conductor (Higher tier only)	 Explain the meaning of magnetic flux density, B. Calculate the force on a current-carrying conductor in a magnetic field. 	4.7.2.2	Worksheets 7.5.1 and 7.5.2; Technician's notes 7.5; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow



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Year 11	Term 1	83/84	P: 7 Electromagnetism	7.6	Electric motors (Higher tier only)	 List equipment that uses motors. Describe how motors work. Describe how to change the speed and direction of rotation of a motor. 	4.7.2.3	Worksheets 7.6.1 and 7.6.2; Practical sheet 7.6; Technician's notes 7.6; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	85/86	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.1	Key concept: Learning about ecosystems	Describe what an ecosystem is. Explain the importance of high biodiversity. Explain what is meant by a self-supporting ecosystem	4.7.1.1; 4.7.3.1	Worksheets 8.1.1, 8.1.2 and 8.1.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 11	Term 2	85/86	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.2	Changing abiotic factors	 Identify abiotic factors that affect ecosystems. Explain changes in the distribution of species in an ecosystem. Describe stable and unstable populations. 	4.7.1.2; 4.7.1.3; 4.7.2.4	Worksheets 8.2.1, 8.2.2 and 8.2.3; Practical sheets 8.2.1 and 8.2.2; Technician's notes 8.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 2	85/86	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.3	Investigatin g predator— prey relationship s	Describe how changes in one population affect another. Explain interdependent relationships. Explain how predator—prey population cycles have cyclical changes.	4.7.1.3; 4.7.2.1	Worksheets 8.3.1 and 8.3.2; Practical sheet 8.3; Technician's notes 8.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	85/86	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.4	Looking at trophic levels	 Explain trophic levels. Explain and construct pyramids of biomass. Explain the difficulties in constructing pyramids. 	4.7.2.1; 4.7.4.1; 4.7.4.2	Worksheets 8.4.1, 8.4.2 and 8.4.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	85/86	C: 9 The atmosphere	9.10	Atmospheric pollutants from fuels	Describe how carbon monoxide, soot, sulfur dioxide and oxides of nitrogen are produced by burning fuels. Predict the products of combustion of a fuel knowing the composition of the fuel.	4.9.3.1	Worksheets 9.10.1, 9.10.2, 9.10.3 and 9.10.4; Technician's notes 9.10.1; Presentation 9.10.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz - higher Slideshow



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						Predict the products of combustion of a fuel knowing the conditions in which it is used.			
Year 11	Term 2	85/86	C: 9 The atmosphere	9.11	Properties and effects of atmospheric pollutants	 Describe and explain the problems caused by increased amounts of oxides of carbon, sulfur and nitrogen as pollutants in the air. Describe and explain the effects of acid rain. Evaluate the role of particulates in damaging human health. 	4.9.3.2	Worksheets 9.11.1 and 9.11.2; Presentations 9.11.1 and 9.11.2, Graph plotters 9.1.1 and 9.1.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Homework quiz – higher
Year 11	Term 2	85/86	C: 9 The atmosphere	End of chap Student Boo End of chap Connect		Assessment			End of chapter test
Year 11	Term 2	85/86	P: 7 Electromagnetism	7.7	Loudspeake rs (Higher tier only)	Describe how a moving-coil loudspeaker works. Compare loudspeakers and headphones.	4.7.2.4	Worksheets 7.7.1 and 7.7.2; Technician's notes 7.7; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	85/86	P: 7 Electromagnetism	7.8	The generator effect (Higher tier only)	Describe how a current is induced in a wire when it moves in a magnetic field. Identify the factors that affect the size and direction of the induced current or induced potential difference.	4.7.3.1	Worksheet 7.8; Practical sheet 7.8; Technician's notes 7.8; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	85/86	P: 7 Electromagnetism	7.9	Key concept: The link between electricity and magnetism	Explore how electricity and magnetism are connected.	4.7	Worksheets 7.9.1 and 7.9.2; Practical sheet 7.9.1, 7.9.2, 7.9.3 and 7.9.4; Technician's notes 7.9; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow



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Year 11	Term 2	87/88	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.5	Transferring biomass	 Identify how biomass is lost. Calculate the efficiency of biomass transfers. Explain the impact of biomass loss on the numbers of organisms. 	4.7.4.3	Worksheets 8.5.1, 8.5.2 and 8.5.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 11	Term 2	87/88	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.6	Competing for resources	Describe how competition impacts on populations. Explain why animals in the same habitat are in competition. Explain interspecific and intraspecific competition.	4.7.1.1; 4.7.1.3	Worksheets 8.6.1, 8.6.2 and 8.6.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 2	87/88	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.7	Required practical: Measure the population size of a common species in a habitat	 Describe a suitable method to investigate a population. Estimate the size of a population. Explain the effect of sample size. 	4.7.2.1 Prac 9	Worksheet 8.7; Practical sheet 8.7; Technician's notes 8.7	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 2	87/88	C: 10 Sustainable development	10.1	Key concept: Using the Earth's resources and sustainable developmen t	 Give examples of natural products replaced by synthetics. Give examples of products replaced by agricultural products. Distinguish between finite and renewable resources. 	4.10.1.1	Worksheets 10.1.1 and 10.1.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Videos
Year 11	Term 2	87/88	C: 10 Sustainable development	10.2	Potable water	 Distinguish between potable water and pure water. Describe the differences in treatment of ground water and salty water. 	4.10.1.2	Worksheets 10.2.1, 10.2.2 and 10.2.3; Technician's notes 10.2.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video



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						Give reasons for the steps used to produce potable water.			
Year 11	Term 2	87/88	C: 10 Sustainable development	10.3	Required practical: Analysis and purification of water samples from different sources, including pH, dissolved solids and distillation	Describe how safety is managed, apparatus is used and accurate measurements are made. Recognise when sampling techniques need to be used and made representative. Evaluate methods and suggest possible improvements and further investigations.	4.10.1.2 Prac 8	Practical sheets 10.3.1 and 10.3.2; Worksheet 10.34.1; Technician's notes 10.3.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	87/88	P: 7 Electromagnetism	7.10	Using the generator effect (Higher tier only)	 Explain how moving-coil microphones use the generator effect. Explain how a dynamo generates direct current and an alternator generates alternating current. For a dynamo and alternator, draw and interpret graphs of potential difference generated in the coil against time. 	4.7.3.2, 4.7.3.3	Worksheets 7.10.1 and 7.10.2; Practical sheet 7.10; Technician's notes 7.10; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	87/88	P: 7 Electromagnetism	7.11	Transformer s (Higher tier only)	Explain how a transformer both uses and produces alternating current Explain the relationship between the number of turns in the primary coil and the number in the secondary coil Calculate the current that needs to be provided to produce a particular power output.	4.7.3.4	Worksheet 7.11; Practical sheet 7.11; Technician's notes 7.11; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 11	Term 2	87/88	P: 7 Electromagnetism	7.12	Maths skills: Rearranging equations (content Higher tier only)	Change the subject of an equation.	4.7.2.2, 4.7.3.4	Worksheets 7.12.1 and 7.12.2; PowerPoint presentation	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	87/88	P: 7 Electromagnetism	End of chap Student Boo End of chap Connect	ter test	Assessment			End of chapter test
Year 11	Term 2	89/90	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.8	Adapting for survival in animals	 Recall why animals have adaptations. Explain some adaptations. Use surface area to volume ratios to explain some adaptations. 	4.7.1.4	Worksheets 8.8.1; 8.8.2 and 8.8.3; Practical sheet 8.8; Technician's notes 8.8	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 2	89/90	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.9	Adapting for survival in plants	 Identify some adaptations of plants and bacteria. Explain the importance of plant adaptations. Explain a range of plant adaptations. 	4.7.1.4	Worksheets 8.9.1, 8.9.2 and 8.9.3; Practical sheet 8.9; Technician's notes 8.9	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	89/90	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.10	Cycling materials	Recall that many materials are recycled in nature. Explain the stages in the water and decay cycles. Explain the importance of recycling materials.	4.7.2.2; 4.7.2.3	Worksheets 8.10.1 and 8.10.2; Practical sheet 8.10 (demonstration); Technician's notes 8.10	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 11	Term 2	89/90	C: 10 Sustainable development	10.4	Waste water treatment	 Explain how waste water is treated. Describe how sewage is treated. Compare the ease of treating waste, ground and salt water. 	4.10.1.3	Worksheets 10.4.1, 10.4.2 and 10.4.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 11	Term 2	89/90	C: 10 Sustainable development	10.5	Alternative methods of metal extraction	 Describe the process of phytomining. Describe the process of bioleaching. 	4.10.1.4	Practical sheet 10.5.1; Worksheets 10.5.1 and 10.5.2; Technician's notes 10.5.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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					(Higher tier only)	Evaluate alternative biological methods of metal extraction.			
Year 11	Term 2	89/90	C: 10 Sustainable development	10.6	Life cycle assessment and recycling	Describe the components of a life cycle assessment (LCA). Interpret LCAs of materials or products from information. Carry out a simple comparative LCA for shopping bags.	4.10.2.1	Worksheets 10.6.1 and 10.6.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	89/90	C: 10 Sustainable development	10.7	Ways of reducing the use of resources	Describe ways of recycling and reusing materials. Explain why recycling, reusing and reducing are needed. Evaluate ways of reducing the use of limited resources.	4.10.2.2	Worksheets 10.7.1 and 10.7.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 11	Term 2	89/90	P: 8 Space	8.1	The Solar System	 Describe the orbits of planets and moons in the Solar System. Distinguish between planets, dwarf planets and moons. 	4.8.1.1, 4.8.1.3	Worksheet 8.1; Practical sheets 8.1.1, 8.1.2 and 8.1.3; Technician's notes 8.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 2	89/90	P: 8 Space	8.2	Orbits of planets, moons and artificial satellites	 Compare the orbital motion of moons, artificial satellites and planets in the Solar System. Describe what keeps bodies in orbit around planets and stars. Explain how, for circular orbits, an object can have a changing velocity but unchanged speed. Explain why bodies must move at a particular speed to stay in orbit at a particular distance. 	4.8.1.3	Worksheet 8.2; Practical sheets 8.2.1 and 8.2.2; Technician's notes 8.2.1 and 8.2.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 2	89/90	P: 8 Space	8.3	The Sun and other stars	Describe how the Sun and other stars formed. Describe the nuclear fusion reactions in the Sun.	4.8.1.1	Worksheet 8.3; Practical sheets 8.3.1 and 8.3.2; Technician's notes 8.3.1 and 8.3.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 11	Term 2	91/92	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.11	Cycling carbon	 Recall that plants take in carbon as carbon dioxide. Explain how carbon is recycled. Interpret a diagram of the carbon cycle. 	4.7.2.2	Worksheets 8.11.1 and 8.11.2; Practical sheet 8.11; Technician's notes 8.11	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 11	Term 2	91/92	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.12	Investigatin g decay	Recall the factors needed for decay. Describe how different factors affect decay. Explain extracellular digestion.	4.7.2.2, 4.7.2.3	Worksheets 8.12.1, 8.12.2 and 8.12.3; Practical sheet 8.12; Technician's notes 8.12	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	91/92	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.13	Required practical: Investigate the effect of temperature on the rate of decay of fresh milk by measuring pH change	Describe how safety is managed, apparatus is used and accurate measurements are made. Make and record observations and make accurate measurements. Evaluate methods and suggest possible improvements and further investigations.	4.7.2.3 Prac 10	Worksheets 8.13.1, 8.13.2 and 8.13.3; Practical sheet 8.13; Technician's notes 8.13	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 2	91/92	C: 10 Sustainable development	10.8	Corrosion and its prevention	Show that air and water are needed for rusting. Describe experiments and interpret results on rusting. Explain methods for preventing corrosion.	4.10.3.1	Practical sheets 10.8.1 and 10.8.2; Worksheets 10.8.1 and 10.8.2; Technician's notes 10.8.1 and 10.8.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 11	Term 2	91/92	C: 10 Sustainable development	10.9	Alloys as useful materials	 Describe the composition of common alloys. Interpret the composition of other alloys from data. Evaluate the uses of other alloys. 	4.10.3.2	Worksheets 10.9.1, 10.9.2 and 10.9.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	91/92	C: 10 Sustainable development	10.10	Ceramics, polymers and composites	Compare quantitatively properties of materials. Compare glass, ceramics, polymers, composites and metals.	4.10.3.3	Worksheets 10.10.1, 10.10.2 and 10.10.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video



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						Explain the difference between thermosoftening and thermosetting polymers by their structures. Select materials by relating their properties to uses.			
Year 11	Term 2	91/92	P: 8 Space	8.4	Main sequence of a star	Describe the main sequence stage of a star's life cycle. Identify the forces that are in equilibrium in a stable star.	4.8.1.1, 4.8.1.2	Worksheets 8.4.1 and 8.4.2; Practical sheet 8.4; Technician's notes 8.4	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	91/92	P: 8 Space	8.5	Life cycles of stars	Describe the life cycles of a star like the Sun and a massive star.	4.8.1.2	Worksheets 8.5.1 and 8.5.2; Practical sheets 8.5.1, 8.5.2, 8.5.3 and 8.5.4; Technician's notes 8.5	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 2	91/92	P: 8 Space	8.6	How the elements are formed	Understand how new elements are produced by nuclear fusion inside a star. Recognise that the heavier elements are made in a supernova.	4.8.1.2	Worksheets 8.6.1 and 8.6.2; Practical sheet 8.6; Technician's notes 8.6	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 2	93/94	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.14	Changing the environment	Recall causes of environmental change. Describe the impact of environmental change. Explain the impact of an environmental change.	4.7.2.4; 4.7.3.1; 4.7.3.2	Worksheet 8.14	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Videos
Year 11	Term 2	93/94	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.15	Learning about land use	 Identify why land use has changed. Describe the effects of changing land use. Evaluate a change in land use. 	4.7.3.3	Worksheets 8.15.1 and 8.15.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 11	Term 2	93/94	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.16	Changing the landscape	Identify the reasons for deforestation. Describe the impact of peat bog destruction and deforestation.	4.7.3.3; 4.7.3.4	Worksheets 8.16.1 and 8.16.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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						Evaluate the destruction of peat bogs and forests.			
Year 11	Term 2	93/94	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.24	Maths skills: Using graphs to show relationship s	To recognise direct proportionality in a graph. To use the gradient of a graph to calculate the rate.	4.7.2.3	Worksheet 8.24	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Video
Year 11	Term 2	93/94	C: 10 Sustainable development	10.11	Haber process	 Apply the principles of dynamic equilibrium to the Haber process. Use graphs to explain the trade-off with rate and equilibrium. Explain how commercially used conditions relate to cost. 	4.10.4.1	Practical sheet 10.11.1; Worksheets 10.11.1 and 10.11.2; Technician's notes 10.11.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	93/94	C: 10 Sustainable development	10.12	Production and use of NPK fertilisers	 Describe how to make a fertiliser in the laboratory. Explain how fertilisers are produced industrially. Compare the industrial production with laboratory preparation. 	4.10.4.2	Practical sheet 10.12.1; Worksheet 10.12.1; Technician's notes 10.12.1	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	93/94	C: 10 Sustainable development	10.13	Maths skills: Translate information between graphical and numerical form	Represent information from pie charts numerically. Represent information from graphs numerically. Represent information from numeric form graphically.	4.10.4.1	Worksheets 10.13.1and 10.13.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 11	Term 2	93/94	P: 8 Space	8.7	Red-shift	Describe red-shift. Describe evidence for the expanding Universe. Explain that ideas about dark matter and dark energy are still being resolved.	4.8.2	Worksheet 8.7; Practical sheets 8.7.1, 8.7.2 and 8.7.3; Technician's notes 8.7.1, 8.7.2 and 8.7.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 11	Term 2	93/94	P: 8 Space	8.8	Key concept: Gravity: the force that binds the Universe	 Understand that gravity provides the force that keeps planets and satellites in orbits. Understand that gravity is necessary at the start of a star's life cycle and to maintain equilibrium in a stable star. Describe how the weight of an object depends on the gravitational field strength. Recognise that that there is still much about the universe that is not understood, for example dark mass and dark energy. 	4.8.1.3, 4.5.1.3	Worksheet 8.8; Practical sheets 8.8.1 and 8.8.2; Technician's notes 8.8.1 and 8.8.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow
Year 11	Term 2	93/94	P: 8 Space	8.9	Maths skills: Using scale and standard form	Understand the scale of objects in the Universe. Use standard form.	4.8	Worksheet 8.9	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 2	95/96	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.17	Thinking about global warming	Recall what global warming is. Describe the causes of global warming. Explain how global warming impacts on biodiversity.	4.7.3.5	Worksheet 8.17	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Slideshow Videos
Year 11	Term 2	95/96	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.18	Looking at waste managemen t	Describe how waste production is linked to human population growth. Describe the impact of waste on ecosystems. Explain how waste impacts on biodiversity.	4.7.3.2	Worksheet 8.18	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Video
Year 11	Term 2	95/96	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.19	Investigatin g pollution	Identify pollution levels using indicator species. Explain how indicator species measure pollution.	4.7.3.2	Worksheets 8.19.1 and 8.19.2; Practical sheet 8.19; Technician's notes 8.19	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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						Compare different methods of			
Year 11	Term 2	95/96	C: 10 Sustainable development	End of teach Collins Cont	ter test Collins	measuring pollution. Assessment			End of chapter test End of teaching block test End of course test
Year 11	Term 2	95/96	P: 8 Space	Connect End of chapter test Student Book End of chapter test Collins Connect End of teaching block test Collins Connect End of course test Collins		Assessment			End of chapter test End of teaching block test End of course test
Year 11	Term 3	97/98	B: 8 Ecology in action	R.20	Maintaining biodiversity	Describe some conservation measures. Describe the impact of breeding programmes. Explain how habitats are regenerated.	4.7.3.6	Worksheets 8.20.1, 8.20.2 and 8.20.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Videos
Year 11	Term 3	97/98	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.21	Learning about food security	Identify factors affecting food security. Describe how different factors affect food security. Interpret data to evaluate food security.	4.7.5.1	Worksheets 8.21.1, 8.21.2 and 8.21.3	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz



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Year 11	Term 3	97/98	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.22	Maintaining food security	 Describe some intensive farming methods. Explain ethical issues related to intensive farming. Evaluate modern farming techniques. Describe methods to maintain sustainable fisheries. 	4.7.5.2; 4.7.5.3	Worksheet 8.22	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz
Year 11	Term 3	99	B: 8 Ecology in action	8.23	Using biotechnolo gy	Describe some uses of biotechnology. Explain the advantages of some uses of biotechnology. Evaluate some uses of biotechnology.	4.7.5.4	Worksheets 8.23.1 and 8.23.2	Quick starter Homework worksheet Homework quiz Videos
Year 11	Term 3	99	B: 8 Ecology in action	End of teach	ter test Collins	Assessment			End of chapter test End of teaching block test End of course test