

Curriculum Sequencing Grid: Science

Year 7	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
Unit (Tablet in 39 week plan)	Matter, Organisms, Forces, Ecosystems	Energy, Reactions, Earth	Electromagnets, Genes and Waves
Key Retainable Knowledge (Required for Y11/13) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What... How.... Why.... 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cells Movement Plant reproduction Interdependence Particle model Separating mixtures Speed Gravity 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Acids and alkalis Metals and non-metals Universe Earth structure Energy costs Energy transfers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Current and voltage Resistance Human reproduction Variation Sound Light
Key Technical Vocabulary (To be modelled and deliberately practiced in context.)	<p>Bio:</p> <p>Membrane, Cytoplasm, Nucleus, Mitochondria, Ribosomes, Diffusion, Concentration, Stamen, Carpel, Stigma, Filament, Ovary</p> <p>Chem:</p> <p>Solid, Liquid, Gas, Evaporate, Condensate, Melt, Freeze, Boil, Distillation, Filtration, Chromatography</p> <p>Phys:</p> <p>Newton, Weight</p>	<p>Chem:</p> <p>Acid, Alkali, Neutralisation, pH scale, Malleable, Ductile, Brittle, Conductor</p> <p>Igneous, Metamorphic, Sedimentary, Sediment, Extrusive, Intrusive, Star, Planet, Satellite, Seasons, Tilt</p> <p>Phys:</p> <p>Power, Time, Watts, Joules, Chemical, Electrical, Kinetic</p>	<p>Bio:</p> <p>Penis, Vagina, Ovary, Fallopian tube, Natural selection, Sperm, Ovum, Competition</p> <p>Phys:</p> <p>Current, Voltage, Resistance, Electrons, Diameter, Temperature, Energy, Wave, Longitudinal, Transverse, Weight, Mass, Frequency</p>

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Opportunities for Reading	General reading: BBC Bitesize, National Geographic, Eco Kids, How it works	General reading: BBC Bitesize, National Geographic, Eco Kids, How it works	General reading: BBC Bitesize, National Geographic, Eco Kids, How it works
Developing Cultural Capital (exposure to very best- essential knowledge and skills of educated citizens – appreciation of human creativity and achievement.)	Job links = Botanist, Marine Biologist, Conservationist Enrichment: STEM club	Appreciation of human creativity and achievement = James Prescott Joule Enrichment: STEM club/Science week	Job links = Medical Doctor, Physiotherapist, Nurse, Midwife Enrichment: Magna
Cross Curricular Links (Authentic Connections)	Rearranging equations – Maths Muscles and joints – P.E. Extended answers - English	Rearranging equations – Maths Extended answers – English Earth structure – Geography	Speed = distance/time – Maths Extended answers – English Reproduction – Life skills
Key Assessment	Topic Tests Synoptic Tests	Topic Tests Mid Year Synoptic Test	Topic Tests
How Science Work Skills in Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • These skills will continuously throughout the year, some or all of which will be covered within each topic <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Variables ○ Equipment ○ Risk assessments ○ Writing a method ○ Presenting data (bar charts and line graphs) ○ Interpreting data ○ Types of error (measuring, systematic, random) 		

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Equations, calculations and units ○ Evaluating ○ Models 		
Year 8	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
Unit (Tablet in 39 week plan)	Organisms, Energy, Matter, Reactions,	Forces, Ecosystems	Genes, Waves, Earth, Electromagnets
Key Retainable Knowledge (Required for Y11/13) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What... How.... Why.... 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Breathing • Digestion • Chemical energy • Types of reactions • Elements • Periodic table • Heating and cooling • Work done 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Respiration • Photosynthesis • Contact forces • Pressure 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evolution • Inheritance • Climate • Resources • Wave effects • Wave properties • Magnets • Electromagnets
Key Technical Vocabulary (To be modelled and deliberately practiced in context.)	<p>Bio:</p> <p>Diaphragm, Ribs, Volume, Villi, Small intestine, Large intestine</p> <p>Chem:</p> <p>Exothermic, Endothermic, Bond, Reaction Profile, Catalyst, Combustion, Neutralisation, Element, Compound, Electrolysis, Group, Period</p> <p>Phys:</p>	<p>Bio:</p> <p>Glucose, Starch, Sunlight, Chloroplasts, Chlorophyll, Aerobic, Anaerobic, Fermentation, Lactic Acid</p> <p>Phys:</p> <p>Area, Surface Area, Force, Pascals, Friction, Push</p>	<p>Bio:</p> <p>Species, Competition, Natural Selection, Interspecific, Intraspecific, genes, Inheritance, offspring</p> <p>Chem:</p> <p>Greenhouse gases, Carbon Dioxide, global warming, climate change</p> <p>Phys:</p> <p>Frequency, Wavelength, Longitudinal, Transverse, Reflection,</p>

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	Conduction, Convection, Radiation, Energy, Force		Refraction, Magnetism, Solenoid, Poles, Voltage, Coil
Opportunities for Reading	General reading: BBC Bitesize, National Geographic, Eco Kids, How it works	General reading: BBC Bitesize, National Geographic, Eco Kids, How it works	General reading: BBC Bitesize, National Geographic, Eco Kids, How it works
Developing Cultural Capital (exposure to very best- essential knowledge and skills of educated citizens – appreciation of human creativity and achievement.)	Job links = Medical Doctor, Electrician, electrical engineer Enrichment: STEM club	Job links = Research associate, Teacher Appreciation of human creativity and achievement = Charles Darwin, Lamarck Enrichment: STEM club/Science week	Job links = Data Scientist, Botanist, Arable Farming Appreciation of human creativity and achievement = Louis Pascal Enrichment: STEM club/Magna
Cross Curricular Links (Authentic Connections)	Balanced diets – P.E. Rearranging equations – maths Extended answers - English	Climate change – Geography Rearranging equations – maths Extended answers - English	Aerobic respiration – P.E. Rearranging equations – maths Extended answers - English
Key Assessment	Topic Tests Synoptic Tests	Topic Tests Mid Year Synoptic Test	Topic Tests
How Science Work Skills in Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> These skills will continuously throughout the year, some or all of which will be covered within each topic <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Variables Equipment Risk assessments 		

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Writing a method ○ Presenting data (bar charts and line graphs) ○ Interpreting data ○ Types of error (measuring, systematic, random) ○ Equations, calculations and units ○ Evaluating ○ Models 		
Year 9	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
Unit (Tablet in 39 week plan)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • B4.1 – Cells • B4.2 – Organisation • P6.2 – Electricity • P6.4 – Atomic Structure and Radiation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • C5.1 – Atomic Structure • P6.1 – Energy (Part) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • C5.2 Bonding and Structure • P6.1 – Energy (Part)
Key Retainable Knowledge (Required for Y11/13) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What... How.... Why.... 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cellular structure and organelles • Mitosis • Movement of substances • Adaptations of cells • Cells, Tissues and Organs • Respiration and photosynthesis • Enzymes • Use of symbols • Circuit diagrams • Generating electricity, renewable/non-renewable resources • Atomic structure • Periodic table • Evaluating skills 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Atomic structure • Periodic table • Separating techniques • Isotopes • Transfers of energy • Remembering and application of formulae/units • Specific heat capacity • Required practical skills 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bonding types and properties • Atomic structure • Polymers • Transfers of energy • Remembering and application of formulae/units • Specific heat capacity • Required practical skills

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Required practical skills 		
Key Technical Vocabulary (To be modelled and deliberately practiced in context.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Organelles, cell, microscope, magnification, adaptation, diffusion, osmosis Symbol, component, current, resistance, potential difference, renewable and non-renewable Proton, neutron, electron, Relative atomic mass and atomic number, gamma 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Energy, transfer, dissipates, Joules, specific heat capacity, work done, efficiency, renewable and non-renewable, mass Nucleus, proton, neutron, electron, shell 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ionic, Covalent, Metallic, Lattice, Monomer, Polymer Energy, transfer, dissipates, Joules, specific heat capacity, work done, efficiency, renewable and non-renewable, mass
Opportunities for Reading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Newly discovered enzymes in nature Research Iceland as a country for nuclear energy <p>Research regions that only use renewable energy</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Analysing information about renewable and non-renewable energy sources The news in terms of recent updates about energy resources 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Analysing information about renewable and non-renewable energy sources The news in terms of recent updates about energy resources Researching thermosetting and thermos-softening polymers
Developing Cultural Capital (exposure to very best- essential knowledge and skills of educated citizens – appreciation of human creativity and achievement.)	<p>Job Links = pathologist, histologist, electrical engineering, telecommunications, energy</p>	<p>Appreciation of human creativity and achievement = Alpha Scattering Experiment</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Appreciation of human creativity and achievement = Archimedes, Brownian motion, Gilbert Newton Lewis discovery of bonding,
Cross Curricular Links (Authentic Connections)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maths – formula: application of formula and units, rearranging formula 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maths – formula: application of formula and units, rearranging formula 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maths – formula: application of formula and units, rearranging formula

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	Maths – line graphs: drawing and interpreting	Maths – line graphs: drawing and interpreting	Maths – line graphs: drawing and interpreting
Key Assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • End of Unit Tests 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • End of Unit Tests 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • End of Unit Tests • Synoptic Exam
How Science Work Skills in Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • These skills will continuously throughout the year, some or all of which will be covered within each topic <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Variables ○ Equipment ○ Risk assessments ○ Writing a method ○ Presenting data (bar charts and line graphs) ○ Interpreting data ○ Types of error (measuring, systematic, random) ○ Equations, calculations and units ○ Evaluating ○ Models 		