



Revision Resources

GCSE Science

Revision Guides and Workbooks

- CGP Revision Guide - Preparation for the second mock exams.
- CGP workbook – Practise short answer techniques and basic recall.

Past Papers

There are a large number of past papers available to download for free from the exam board website. We would encourage students to download, print and practise as many of them as possible between now and the final exams. It is particularly useful for students to revise a single topic then attempt some past paper questions in the allocated time (1 minute for each mark available – so a 10 mark question should take no more than 10 minutes). Students should then refer to the mark scheme to check their understanding.

Exam papers and mark schemes – students are only doing the B1, C1 and P1 exams – scroll down to find the 2014 and older papers that can be downloaded without any password.

<http://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-gcses/science-2011-mixed.coursematerials.html#filterQuery=category:Pearson-UK:Category%2FExam-materials&filterQuery=category:Pearson-UK:Unit%2FUnit-1>

- Biology papers and mark schemes:
<http://qualifications.pearson.com/content/demo/en/qualifications/edexcel-international-gcses-and-edexcel-certificates/edexcel-certificate-biology.coursematerials.html#/filterQuery=category:Pearson-UK:Category/Exam-materials>
- Chemistry papers and mark schemes:
<http://qualifications.pearson.com/content/demo/en/qualifications/edexcel-international-gcses-and-edexcel-certificates/edexcel-certificate-chemistry.coursematerials.html#/filterQuery=category:Pearson-UK:Category/Exam-materials>
- Physics papers and mark schemes:
<http://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-international-gcses-and-edexcel-certificates/edexcel-certificate->

physics.coursematerials.html#/filterQuery=category:Pearson-UK:Category/Exam-materials

Revision Classes

Lunch time and after school revision classes will start after February half term, they will be topic based. Lunch time sessions will last 20 minutes, after school sessions will last between 30 – 45 minutes. The timetable of topics being revised will be emailed to both parents and students each week.

BBC Bitesize

There are lots of good resources available free online at BBC bitesize to help revise the sciences the first link is specific to our course

- <http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/gcsebitesize/science/edexcel/>

The second link goes to the wider science revision site - students need to be careful if they use this that they are revising content on our papers – so need to have their revision guide to hand.

- <http://www.bbc.co.uk/education/subjects/zrkw2hv>

Tassomai Online Revision Resource

As discussed at Parents evening we have enrolled some students onto the Tassomai online revision programme to help boost their grades in science. The programme guarantees to deliver a C grade provided the student completes 80% of the course materials. If you have been selected you will have been notified.