

## (Science/KS5 Biology) Long-Term Plan

**Long-term planning (LTPs)** - Planning how the key concepts, knowledge, skills identified in the Progression map will be delivered termly per year group

Ensuring that end points & NC/spec are covered

Identifying what assessments are planned and when

Ensuring whole school intent priorities to be planned for

<b>(Year 12 Biology)</b>						
	<b>Autumn 1</b>	<b>Autumn 2</b>	<b>Spring 1</b>	<b>Spring 2</b>	<b>Summer 1</b>	<b>Summer 2</b>
<b>Unit title:</b>	Cell Structure Cell Membranes Biological Molecules	More Biological Molecules Cells & The Immune System Exchange & Transport Systems	Exchange and Transport Systems DNA, RNA and Protein Synthesis Mass Transport	Mass Transport Diversity & Classification Diversity & Selection	Mass Transport Diversity & Selection	Energy Transfers & Nutrient Cycles (Year 13) Populations & Evolution (Year 13)
<b>Unit length:</b>	Cell Structure – 9 lessons Cell Membranes – 6 lessons Biological Molecules – 15 lessons	More Biological Molecules – 6 lessons Cells & The Immune System – 9 lessons Exchange & Transport Systems – 11 lessons	Exchange & Transport Systems – 11 lessons DNA, RNA and Protein Synthesis – 5 lessons Mass Transport – 18 lessons	Mass Transport – 18 lessons Diversity & Classification – 7 lessons Diversity & Selection – 8 lessons	Mass Transport – 18 lessons Diversity & Selection – 8 lessons	Energy Transfers & Nutrient Cycles – 6 lessons Populations & Evolution – 7 lessons
<b>Key concepts:</b>	Cells and their structure Cell division Cell membrane structure and transport across membranes Structures and functions of carbohydrates, proteins and lipids	Structure and functions of ATP, DNA, RNA Immune response and vaccinations Exchange surfaces in single-celled organisms, fish, insects and lungs	Exchange surfaces in single-celled organisms, fish, insects and lungs Digestion & Absorption Genetic code and protein synthesis Mass transport system in animals – blood vessels, heart, haemoglobin and cardiac cycle	Mass transport system in animals – blood vessels, heart, haemoglobin and cardiac cycle Mass transport systems in plants – xylem and phloem Taxonomy and classification Meiosis and mutations / natural selection	Mass transport system in animals – blood vessels, heart, haemoglobin and cardiac cycle Mass transport systems in plants – xylem and phloem Meiosis and mutations / natural selection	Energy transfer through and ecosystem Nitrogen and phosphorous cycles Speciation and evolution
<b>Knowledge/ Skills:</b>	Required practicals 1, 2, 3 & 4	Calculate volume and surface area of	Use of visking tubing to model absorption	Required practical 5	Required practical 6	Maths skills: Hardy-Weinberg equation

	<p>Calculating mitotic index  'Food' tests  Dilution series preparation / calibration curve  Use of chromatography to identify amino acids  Calculating pH using log  Uncertainty measurements  Use of tangents to calculate rate  Identifying variables  Use of microscopes to prepare temporary mounts and observe cells under mitosis  Methods of studying cells  Calculating magnification  Conversion of units  Identify the different stages of mitosis from diagrams</p> <p>AO1: Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of scientific ideas, processes, techniques and procedures  AO2: Apply knowledge and</p>	<p>different shapes / 'cells'  Calculate pulmonary ventilation rate</p> <p>AO1  AO2  AO3</p>	<p>in the small intestine and interpret the results  Calculating cardiac output  Analyse and interpret volume and pressure changes during the cardiac cycle  Evaluate risk factors associated with cardiovascular disease  Use of a potometer to measure the rate of transpiration  Recognise correlation and casual relationships  Interpret and evaluate data from tracer and ringing experiments</p> <p>AO1  AO2  AO3</p>	<p>Interpreting changes in pressure and volume during the cardiac cycle  Interpreting oxygen dissociation curves  Use the expression <math>2n</math>  Complete diagrams to show the number of chromosomes in cells after the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> meiotic divisions  Compare and contrast mitosis and meiosis  Recognise when meiosis occurs when given unknown life cycles  Use a logarithmic scale</p> <p>AO1  AO2  AO3</p>	<p>Calculate the index of diversity  Use random sampling techniques</p> <p>AO1  AO2  AO3</p>	<p>Given data from which to calculate gross primary production and to derive the appropriate units  Calculate the net productivity of producers or consumers from given data and the efficiency of energy transfers within ecosystem  Calculate percentage yields</p> <p>AO1  AO2  AO3</p>
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	<p>understanding of scientific ideas, processes, techniques and procedures: in theoretical context, in a practical context, when handling qualitative data, when handling quantitative data</p> <p>AO3: Analyse, interpret and evaluate scientific information, ideas and evidence, including in relation to issues, to: making judgements and reach conclusions, develop and refine practical design and procedures</p>					
<b>End points covered:</b>	<p>To understand the structure of different cell types</p> <p>To understand how different substances move across cell surface membranes</p> <p>To understand how the structure of different biological molecules relate to their function</p>	<p>To understand how ATP, DNA/RNA, water and inorganic ions structured and used by organisms</p> <p>To understand the immune response to a pathogen</p> <p>To understand how substances are exchanged and transported in</p>	<p>To understand how transcription and translation lead to protein synthesis</p> <p>To understand how the human circulatory system is adapted for efficient transport of substances</p> <p>To understand how tissue fluid is formed and allows for</p>	<p>To understand how different species show diversity and how we can classify organisms into different groups</p> <p>To understand how mutations can alter protein structure</p> <p>To understand how natural selection takes place to allow evolution to occur</p>	<p>To understand how mutations can alter protein structure</p> <p>To understand how natural selection takes place to allow evolution to occur</p>	<p>To understand how energy is transferred between trophic levels within an ecosystem and why these transfers are inefficient</p> <p>To understand how nitrogen and phosphorous are recycled through an ecosystem</p>

		different types of organisms	exchange of substances between cells and the blood			To understand how to calculate the frequency of alleles/genotypes/phenotypes within a population  To understand how speciation may result in new species arising
<b>NC/Spec coverage:</b>	3.1.2 Carbohydrates 3.1.3 Lipids 3.1.4.1 General properties of proteins 3.1.4.2 Many proteins are enzymes 3.2.1.1 Structure of eukaryotic cells 3.2.1.2 Structure of prokaryotic cells and of viruses 3.2.2 All cells arise from other cells 3.2.3 Transport across cell membranes	3.1.5.1 Structure of DNA and RNA 3.1.5.2 DNA replication 3.1.6 ATP 3.1.7 Water 3.1.8 Inorganic ions 3.2.4 Cell recognition and the immune system 3.3.1 Surface area to volume ratio 3.3.2 Gas exchange	3.3.2 Gas exchange 3.3.3 Digestion and absorption 3.3.4.1 Mass transport in animals 3.4.1 DNA, genes and chromosomes 3.4.2 DNA and protein synthesis 3.4.3 Genetic diversity can arise as a result of mutation or during meiosis	3.3.4.1 Mass transport in animals 3.3.4.2 Mass transport in plants 3.4.4 Genetic diversity and adaptation 3.4.5 Species and taxonomy 3.4.6 Biodiversity within a community	3.4.3 Genetic diversity can arise as a result of mutation or during meiosis 3.4.7 Investigating diversity	3.5.3 Energy and ecosystems 3.5.4 Nutrient cycles 3.7.2 Populations 3.7.3 Evolution may lead to speciation
<b>Cross-curricular links:</b>	Chemistry – biochemistry Maths skills	Maths skills	Maths skills	Maths skills	Maths skills	Maths skills
<b>Assessments:</b>	End of topic tests	End of topic tests	End of topic tests	End of topic tests	End of topic tests	End of topic tests
<b>Other school intent priorities</b>						
<b>New experiences – broadening horizons</b>			External speaker: Dr Matthew Gage – coronary heart disease research	Biology Olympiad for Year 12 students		
<b>Developing character –</b>						

<i>Kind, Hard Working, Successful</i>						
<b>Context specific need</b> – diversity, inclusion; reading, literacy; mental health						
<b>Curriculum Careers - Gatsby 4</b>	Careers in molecular biology		Careers in molecular biology / medicine			

**(Year 13 Biology)**

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<b>Unit title:</b>	Photosynthesis Respiration	Populations in Ecosystems Stimuli & Response Genetics	Nervous coordination Mutations & Gene expression	Genome projects & Gene Technologies Homeostasis	Revision	N/A
<b>Unit length:</b>	Photosynthesis – Respiration –	Populations in Ecosystems – 6 lessons Stimuli & Response – 7 lessons Genetics – ??	Nervous coordination – 7 lessons Mutations & Gene expression – 9 lessons	Genome projects & Gene Technologies – 8 lessons Homeostasis – 9 lessons		
<b>Key concepts:</b>	The reactions of photosynthesis and respiration & factors which affect their rate	Use of different sampling techniques Biotic & Abiotic factors Succession Conservation Patterns of inheritance Genetic crosses Taxis and kinesis Plant responses Receptors including the Pacinian corpuscle Control of heart rate	Nerve impulses Synaptic transmission Muscle contraction Effect of gene mutations Stem cells Regulation of transcription and translation Tumours and cancer	Positive and negative feedback Control of blood glucose concentration Control of blood water potential Using genome projects Recombinant DNA technology Diagnosing heritable diseases using DNA probes Genetic fingerprinting		
<b>Knowledge/ Skills:</b>	Required practical 7, 8 and 9 Evaluate data relating to common agricultural practices used to overcome the effect of these limiting factors	Required practical 10 and 12 Chi-squared test and interpreting p values Constructing monohybrid and dihybrid genetic crosses to calculate probabilities of	Use appropriate units when calculating the maximum frequency of impulse conduction given the refractory period of a neurone Use information provided to predict and explain the	Required practical 11 Interpret information relating to examples of negative and positive feedback Evaluate the positions of health advisers and the food industry in relation to the		

	<p>identify environmental factors that limit the rate of photosynthesis</p> <p>Students could use a redox indicator to investigate dehydrogenase activity</p>	<p>characteristics in offspring</p> <p>Investigate the distribution of organisms in a named habitat using randomly placed frame quadrats, or a belt transect</p> <p>Use both percentage cover and frequency as measures of abundance of a sessile species</p> <p>Mark-release-recapture method</p> <p>Evaluate evidence and data concerning issues relating to the conservation of species and habitats and consider conflicting evidence</p>	<p>effects of specific drugs on a synapse</p> <p>Relate the nature of a gene mutation to its effect on the encoded polypeptide</p> <p>Evaluate the use of stem cells in treating human disorders</p>	<p>increased incidence of type II diabetes</p> <p>Interpret data showing the results of gel electrophoresis to separate DNA fragments</p>		
<b>End points covered:</b>						
<b>NC/Spec coverage:</b>	<p>3.5.1 Photosynthesis</p> <p>3.5.2 Respiration</p>	<p>3.6.1.1 Survival and response</p> <p>3.6.1.2 Receptors</p> <p>3.6.1.3 Control of heart rate</p> <p>3.7.1 Inheritance</p> <p>3.7.4 Populations in ecosystems</p>	<p>3.6.2.1 Nerve impulses</p> <p>3.6.2.2 Synaptic transmission</p> <p>3.6.3 Skeletal muscles are stimulated to contract by nerves and act as effectors</p> <p>3.8.1 Alteration of the sequence of bases in</p>	<p>3.6.4.1 Principles of homeostasis and negative feedback</p> <p>3.6.4.2 Control of blood glucose concentration</p> <p>3.6.4.3 Control of blood water potential</p> <p>3.8.3 Using genome projects</p>		

			DNA can alter the structure of proteins 3.8.2.1 Most of a cell's DNA is not translated 3.8.2.2 Regulation of transcription and translation 3.8.2.3 Gene expression and cancer	3.8.4.1 Recombinant DNA technology 3.8.4.2 Differences in DNA between individuals of the same species can be exploited for identification and diagnosis of heritable conditions 3.8.4.3 Genetic fingerprinting		
<b>Cross-curricular links:</b>	Maths skills	Maths skills Geography – succession	Maths skills	Maths skills		
<b>Assessments:</b>	End of topic tests	End of topic tests	End of topic tests	End of topic tests		
<b>Other school intent priorities</b>						
<b>New experiences –</b> broadening horizons				External speaker – Dr Ryan Pick – molecular biology		
<b>Developing character –</b> <i>Kind, Hard Working, Successful</i>						
<b>Context specific need –</b> diversity, inclusion; reading, literacy; mental health						
<b>Curriculum Careers -</b> Gatsby 4		Jobs in conservation / biodiversity	Careers in medicine			



