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Re: Science Year 10

Dear Year 10 Parents/Carers

Students are being set work by their classroom teachers, continuing their GCSE course.

We will also be covering some units from Year 11 to allow us time in September to revisit key content and give students the opportunity to complete the compulsory Core Practical's in class. The end of Year 10 exam will take place in September if we are unable to do so earlier.

Students are expected to complete all tasks which will include set pieces of assessment that they will be asked to email to their teachers, for example, End of Unit Tests. Work will continue to be set on Go4School but this is also a unique opportunity for students to really get organised by making revision cards and / or mind maps which they can store for reference.

We would like to encourage students to use all resources available to them (see below) in order to embed the content in their long term memory as they work through their GCSE course.

Resources	Web-links
BBC Bitesize for topics being covered in Summer term	Combined Science Triple science Biology Chemistry Physics
Tassomai	Students should aim to complete at least 4 daily goals a week
Revision books and revision cards	There are many available online for example these at Amazon . We suggest purchasing a revision guide with matching workbook so students can try out exam-style questions. Please ensure the exam board is EDEXCEL Combined Science: Higher for students achieving or targeted 6+ and Foundation for all other students Triple Science Students need the separate Biology, Chemistry & Physics books & workbooks (6 in total)
On-line text book	Currently there are on-line activities for each of the topics named above. Students log in with their school login code in capitals eg: 17FDOR and the password W@arwick1 We are hoping to organise student access to the textbook on-line in the near future will notify by email once this is in place
GCSEPOD	Podcasts for all subjects divided into topics All students have been sent login details by both Mr Stafford (SD) and Mrs Robinson (RB) <i>We are aware that some students are having issues logging into GCSEPod – they should log in with Office 365 and if they still have an issue email SD or RB, we have raised the issue with GCSEPOD for the students who have already been in contact</i>

Best wishes
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