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Re: Science Year 9

Dear Year 9 Parents Carers

After Easter students will be commencing their Science GCSE course. They will be expected to complete all tasks including set pieces of assessment that they will be asked to email to their teachers for example, End of Unit Tests. Work will continued 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 in order to embed the content in their long term memory as they work through their GCSE course.

Exam board syllabus (Edexcel)	
GCSEPOD	Podcasts for all subjects divided into topics All students have been sent login details by both Mr Stafford (SD) & 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>
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+ Foundation for all other students Triple Science Students need the separate Biology, Chemistry & Physics books & workbooks (6 in total)

Resources	Web-links	
BBC Bitesize for topics being covered in Summer term	CB1 – Biology Key concepts CC1/2 – Chemistry Key concepts	CP1/2 -Physics Key concepts
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	
Tassomai	Online testing that improves recall. Students will be emailed log in details once we have this information	

Our Science teachers would be pleased to respond to emails from students or parents with any questions about the Science course, and will help wherever they can. You can find the full staff list on our [school website here](#).

Best wishes
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Headteacher



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