

Science

Double GCSE Combined GCSE Core Qualification - AQA Course Leader: **Mr Matic-Booth**

Successful learner profile

- Enjoys solving problems.
- Is curious about the world around them.
- Works well to deadlines.
- Has the ability and motivated to work independently.

All about this core qualification

- GCSE Science is an integral part of achieving the English Baccalaureate.
- You will achieve a double award GCSE (2 GCSEs). GCSE (2 GCSEs), but study Biology, Chemistry and Physics.

What will you study?

This will be a double award equivalent to two GCSEs which will enable progression to A Level. It is an equal mix of Biology, Chemistry and Physics including topics such as

- Atomic Structure and the Periodic Table
- Infection and Response
- Radiation
- Inheritance, Variations and Evolution

How will you be assessed?

- 100% Examination.
- This is a core qualification, with exams all being taken in Year 11. The exams will ask many questions about experiments, so there will be a heavy practical element to the course.

Possible progression post 16

- This course provides the foundation to Biology, Chemistry and Physics A Level.
- It will introduce you to a range of concepts and practical skills which are developed at AS.

Weblinks

<https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/science-8464/specification>