



ASSESSMENT INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS – SUMMER 2021

SUBJECT: BIOLOGY

YEAR GROUP: 11

Y11 Portfolio assessment programme: Biology UPDATE 1st April.

From Easter to May half term, we will be revising and assessing content to build your Biology portfolio. You will be revising in one lesson each week with a short assessment in the last lesson; your teacher in order to form a contribution to your final grade will mark this. Your portfolio will consist of the recent mock and the five assessments after Easter.

The following table shows the topics covered each week in the assessment.

Week commencing 19th April (Paper 1) Transport processes (U10) Gas exchange and respiration (U7 and 8) Digestion (U2) Photosynthesis (U6)	Week commencing 26th April (Paper1) Photosynthesis (U6) Plant defences (U4 and 5) Plant nutrition (U6)
Week commencing 3rd May (Paper 1) Cells and cell division(U1 and U9) Non communicable disease (U4) Digestion and the role of the liver (U2)	Week commencing 10th May (Paper 2) Plant hormones (U12) Cell division (U9 and U14) Inheritance (U15) Food chains and pyramids (U3) Food security (U18)
Week commencing 17th May (Paper2) Decay and decomposition (U18) DNA and unit conversions (U9 and U1) Brain and nervous system (U13)	

The assessments will have similar structure with short and longer answer questions.

There will be mathematical components in the assessments and reference to required practical.

You should ensure that your revision focuses on the following required practicals:

Food tests – Paper 1

Plant responses – Paper 2

Decay – Paper 2