YEAR9/SCIENCE/2012-13

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UNIT TITLES	LEARNING OBJECTIVES	ASSESSMENT ASSIGNMENTS
Reactivity	Metals Reaction of metals Salts Reactivity Series Displacement reaction Making new compounds	Reactivity series data analysis and graphing assessment
Forces & Movement	PressureMovementSpeeding upSlowing down	Practical assessment on speed
Health & Inheritance	 Genetics and variation Inheritance Selective breeding Keeping healthy Fitness 	Extended writing assignment on food and diet Extended writing task on Sarah and Jack and choices about genetics
Energy & Electricity	 Energy transfer Production of electricity Paying for electricity Gravity Solar system 	Assessment on wiring a house
Plants & Photosynthesis	Parts of a plantPhotosynthesisPlant growthControlling growth	Optional assessment on soil testing
Environmental Chemistry	 Distillation Separating techniques Neutralisation Acid rain Global warming Chemical reactions Fertilizers 	Optional APP on data on global climate change
Space, Gravity and the Solar System	 Gravity Weight and Mass The Solar System Space exploration Light and sound in Space 	Assessment on Sparkling Water
Autumn and Spring terms:	Three mock exams	End of KS3 and Year 9 Exam
Summer Term: Unit 1, Biology 1: Keeping Healthy	To develop understanding of: Diet and exercise Diet and health Infectious diseases Antibiotics and painkillers Immunity and immunisation	Mock exam questions