

GCSE Science Revision

25th May 2010

What course is my child doing?

Set

- 1
- 2- 5
- 6

Qualifications

Triple Science

Core and additional

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What does this mean?

- The course the students are entered on will determine which exams they sit this summer.
- Triple science

chemistry unit 3 28th May

physics unit 3 9th June

biology unit 3 16th June

These units consist of module 7 and ideas in context, it is worth $\frac{1}{3}$ rd of the total exam grade.

What does this mean?

- Additional science

ideas in context – 9th June 1/6th (16.7%)

B5,C5,P5 unit 4 – 28th June 1/6th (16.7%)

B6,C6,P6 unit 5 – 22nd June 1/6th (16.7%)

- Core Science

Ideas in Context – 28th May 1/6th (16.7%)

B3, C3, P3 unit 3 - 18th June 1/6th (16.7%)

How can I help?

- Targeted revision little and often.
- Use questions in revision guides.
- Talk about subjects.
- Mind Maps / posters on walls
- Read ideas in context materials and discuss the ideas raised within them.
- Verbal revision is just as valued as written – the key is engagement!

What web sites can I use?

- <http://www.modernisationonline.org.uk> – to check their exam timetable.

Science Sites

- BBC Bite size, GCSE, OCR 21st Century science.
- Doc Brown – Chemistry specifically
- <http://www.ocr.org.uk/> - to get past papers and mark schemes

What about Re Sits?

- Some students are entered for resits of previous modules.
- Students do not get the opportunity to resit the modules they sit this summer.