



Science KS4 (GCSE)

Name of Exam Board	AQA
Link to specification	Combined Science (Trilogy) - http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/combined-science-trilogy-8464 Biology - http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/biology-8461 Chemistry - http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/chemistry-8462 Physics - http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/science/gcse/physics-8463
Required practical's	Required practical's have replaced science controlled assessment. All students are required to complete a set of practical's for biology, chemistry and physics.
Suggested reading or revision guides for GCSE	All students should have access to the CGP revision guides and workbooks. These can be purchased from the CGP website: https://www.cgpbooks.co.uk/Parent/books_gcse_science_new

Ways in which Parents can Support their Children

- Ask what they have been learning during their lessons and get them to explain their work;
- Check they have completed their homework using the Showmyhomework app;
- Support them with revision by helping them to try active techniques such as revision cards, mind maps or question and answer cards;
- Provide a quiet and productive place for them to revise in;
- Make sure they have the appropriate revision guide at KS4;
- Discuss Science issues in the news

