

# **Key Stage 4 Long Term Planning Year 10**

Faculty Area: Biology Trilogy Science

Year 10	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Syllabus	AQA Biology		AQA Biology		AQA Biology		
	Collins - Chapter 4		Collins - Chapter 5		Collins - Chapter 6		
	Health Matters		Coordination and Control		Genetics		
Connections to	The effects of recreational d	rugs (including substance	Reproduction in humans	(as an example of a	Heredity as the process by which genetic information is		
prior KS3	misuse) on behaviour, healtl	and life processes.	mammal), including the s	mammal), including the structure and function of		transmitted from one generation to the next	
learning	the functions of the cell wall	, cell membrane,	the male and female repr	oductive systems,	A simple model of chromos	somes, genes and DNA in	
	cytoplasm, nucleus, vacuole,	mitochondria and	menstrual cycle (without	details of hormones),	heredity		
	chloroplasts		gametes, fertilisation, ges	tation and birth.	Differences between specie	es	
	The similarities and different	ces between plant and	The effect of maternal life	estyle on the foetus	The variation between indi	viduals within a species being	
	animal cells		through the placenta continuous or disc		continuous or discontinuou	us, to include measurement	
	The role of diffusion in the movement of materials in		Aerobic and anaerobic re	spiration in living	and graphical representation of variation		
	and between cells 2 the structural adaptations of		organisms, including the l	oreakdown of organic	The variation between species and between indi		
	some unicellular organisms		molecules to enable all th	e other chemical processes	sses of the same species means some organisms of		
			necessary for life		more successfully, which ca	an drive natural selection	
			A word summary for aero	bic respiration	Changes in the environmer	nt may leave individuals	
					within a species, and some	entire species, less well	
					adapted to compete succes	ssfully and reproduce, which	
					in turn may lead to extincti	ion	
Knowledge	Communicable diseases Cult	uring microorganisms	Introduction to homeosta	sis	Genetics		
	Viral, bacterial and fungal di	seases in humans	Structure and function of	the nervous system.	Sexual and asexual reprodu	uction.	
	Protist diseases		Human endocrine system		Meiosis.		
	Human defence systems		Control of blood glucose	concentration	Advantages and disadvanta	ages of sexual and asexual	
	Vaccination		Hormones in human repr	oduction	reproduction		



	Antibiotics	Contraception The use of hormones to treat	Sex determination.
	Painkillers	infertility.	The understanding of genetics
	Discovery and development of drugs	The Impact of environmental change	Genetic engineering Examples of genetic engineering.
		advantages and disadvantages of fertility treatment,	
		Negative feedback. Control and coordination	
Skills	Evaluate risks when growing microbial cultures.	use of appropriate apparatus to make and record a	Use bio-viewers, video clips or images to show
	Interpret graphs	range of measurements accurately including length	chromosomes and meiosis.
	Carry out research and explain application of science	use of appropriate apparatus and techniques for the	Use a Punnett square and a genetic cross diagram to
	and personal and social implications related to	observation and measurement of biological changes	illustrate the inheritance of sex;
	diseases.	and/or processes	evaluate the chance of producing a male or female.
	Plan investigations, make observations and analyse	safe and ethical use of a living organisms (plants or	
	data	animals) to measure physiological functions and	
	Investigate the effect of disinfectants or antibiotics	responses to the environment	
	on bacterial growth	plan and carry out an investigation into the effect of	
		a factor on human reaction time.	
		L	1
_	End of unit test for Chapter 4 - Health Matters	End of unit test for Chapter 5 - Coordination and	End of unit test for Chapter 6 - Genetics
Assessment		Control	
Homework	GCSE past paper exam questions		GCSE past paper exam questions

Assessment	End of unit test for Chapter 4 - Health Matters	Control	End of unit test for Chapter 6 - Genetics
Homework	GCSE past paper exam questions	GCSE past paper exam questions	GCSE past paper exam questions
	Analysis / Evaluation of investigations	Analysis / Evaluation of investigations	Analysis / Evaluation of investigations
	Extended answer questions	Extended answer questions	Extended answer questions
Cultural enrichment including Trips, Visits, Experiences, Extra-curricular		School and University Network  Summer Term-UCLAN Visit (Topic to be confirmed)	

Literacy	Keywords:	Keywords:	Keywords:
	Aerobic respiration, Anaerobic respiration, Cellular	Abstinence, *Accommodation, Adrenaline,	*Adult cell cloning, Allele, Amino acids, Archaea,
	respiration, Inverse proportion, Inverse square law,	*Antidiuretic hormone (ADH), Contraception,	Asexual reproduction, Binomial system, Charles Darwin,
	Limiting factor, Metabolism, Oxygen debt,	Coordination centres, *Deamination, *Dialysis,	Chromosome, Classification,*Coding DNA,
	Photosynthesis Communicable Culturing	Effectors, *Ethene, Follicle stimulating hormone	*Complementary, *Cuttings, Cystic fibrosis, DNA,



			1	
	microorganisms, Viral, bacterial, fungal, Protist	(FSH), *Geotropism/Gravitropism, Gibberellins,	Dominant, Embryo screening, *Embryo transplants,	
	diseases, Vaccination, Antibiotics, Painkillers,	Gland, Glucagon, Homeostasis, *Hyperopia, In Vitro	Evolution, Evolutionary tree, Extinction, Family	
	disease, defence	Fertilisation (IVF), Luteinising hormone (LH),	tree,Fertilisation, Fossil, Gametes, Gene, Genetic	
		*Myopia, Negative feedback cycle, Oestrogen,	engineering, Genome, GM crops, Heterozygous,	
		*Phototropism, Receptors, Reflex action, Selective	Homozygous, Inbreeding, Linnaean system, Meiosis,	
		reabsorption, Stimuli, Target organ, Testosterone,	Mitosis, MRSA, Natural selection, *Non-coding DNA,	
		*The brain, The central nervous system (CNS), *The	*Nucleotide, Phenotype, Polydactyly, *Protein	
		eye, *Thermoregulatory centre, Thyroxine, Type 1	synthesis, Punnett square, Recessive, Ribosomes,	
		diabetes, Type 2 diabetes, *Vasoconstriction,	Selective breeding, Sex chromosomes, Sexual	
			reproduction, *Speciation, Species, Three-domain	
			system, *Tissue culture, Variation, Vector	
Numeracy	Calculate cross-sectional areas of colonies	Measure skin temperature in different conditions.	Use a Punnett square and a genetic cross diagram to	
	Interpret data about vaccination rates and reported	Analyse data and interpret information about	illustrate the inheritance of sex; evaluate the chance of	
	cases of diseases, eg whooping cough, MMR.	sweating and temperature.	producing a male or female	
		Plot cooling curves.	Interpret genetic diagrams of Mendel's experiments	
		Measure heart rate and/ or blood pressure		
CIAG	What workplace skills does biology develop?			
	Analysis: Students need analysis in any job which requires you to process information. GPs and vets analyse their knowledge of medicine along with the symptoms they			
	observe in the patient in front of them in order to reac	h a conclusion about their medical condition.		
	Curiosity: Engineers must always be searching for new solutions to the technical challenges they face to improve their efficiency and overcome new and seemingly			
	impossible obstacles. Teachers must explore new appr	oaches to adapt to different students' needs and consta	ntly improve their teaching.	
	Drawing: As well as the obvious – such as illustrators, ε	graphic designers and animators – many other jobs bene	fit from good drawing skills. Any role which requires	
	students to present their findings or plans through dia	grams benefits from good drawing skills.		



## **Key Stage 4 Long Term Planning Year 11**

Curriculum Area: Biology Trilogy Science

Year 11	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1
Syllabus	AQA Biology	AQA Biology			
	Collins - Chapter 7	Collins - Chapter 8			
	Variation and Evolution	Ecology in Action			
Connections to prior	How organisms affect, and are affected by,	How organisms affect, and are affected by,			
KS3 learning	their environment	their environment, including the			
	The variation between individuals within a	accumulation of toxic materials.			
	species being continuous or discontinuous,	The importance of maintaining biodiversity			
	to include measurement and graphical	and the use of gene banks to preserve			
	representation of variation	hereditary material			
	The variation between species and between				
	individuals of the same species means some				
	organisms compete more successfully, which				
	can drive natural selection				
	Changes in the environment may leave				
	individuals within a species, and some entire				
	species, less well adapted to compete				
	successfully and reproduce, which in turn				
	may lead to extinction				
Knowledge	Variation.	Classification			
	Selective breeding.	Communities			
	Evolution.	Biotic factors and Abiotic factors			
	Speciation.	Adaptations			
	Theory of evolution.	Predator-prey relationships			



	Evidence for evolution – Fossils and Resistant	How materials are cycled
	bacteria.	Biodiversity
	Extinction.	Waste management
		Global warming
		Maintaining biodiversity
		Farming techniques
Skills	Draw a flow diagram to explain the steps	use of appropriate apparatus to make and
	involved in selective breeding.	record a range of measurements
	Interpret evolutionary trees.	accurately including length and area
	Interpret evidence relating to evolutionary	safe and ethical use of a living organism to
	theory.	measure physiological responses to the
		environment
		Construct food chains and identify the
		producer and consumers.
		measure the population size of a common
		species in a habitat. Use sampling
		techniques to investigate the effect of a
		factor on the distribution of this species.
Assessment	End of unit test for Chapter 7	End of unit test for Chapter 8
	Variation and Evolution	Ecology in Action
Homework	GCSE past paper exam questions	GCSE past paper exam questions
	Analysis / Evaluation of investigations	Analysis / Evaluation of investigations
	Extended answer questions	Extended answer questions



Cultural enrichment	School and University Network		
including Trips, Visits,	Post Easter Revision-Lancaster University 6 week course		
Experiences, Extra-			
curricular			
Literacy	Keyword:	Keywords:	
	Abiotic factors, Adaptation, *Anaerobic	*Food security, Global warming, *GM	
	decay, *Apex predator, Biodiversity, *Biogas,	crops, Interdependence, Mean, Median,	
	Biotic factors, Carbon cycle, Community,	Microorganisms, Mode, Peatlands,	
	Competition, *Compost, *Decomposers,	Pollution, Population, Predators, Prey,	
	*Decomposition, Deforestation,	*Primary consumers, Producers, *Pyramid	
	*Distribution, Ecosystem, Efficiency of	of biomass, Quadrat, *Secondary	
	biomass transfer, Extremophiles, Food chain,	consumers, *Sustainable, *Sustainable	
		fisheries, *Tertiary consumers, Transect,	
		*Trophic level, Water cycle,	
Numeracy	Analyse variation in a plant species growing	Measure height and calculate means.	
	in different areas continuous and	Present and analyse the results	
	discontinuous variation	Analyse ecological data from quadrats and	
	Interpret data about antibiotic resistance	transects.	
		Interpret population curves and explain	
		predator – prey relationships	
		Use quadrats and sensors; record and	
		analyse results.	
		Use a transect to investigate the change in	
		type and number of plant species across a	
		changing habitat, eg a footpath.	
CIAG	What workplace skills does biology develop?		
5.3.10	, , , ,	ch requires you to process information. GPs and vets analyse their knowledge of medicine along with the symptoms they	
		to reach a conclusion about their medical condition.	
		for new solutions to the technical challenges they face to improve their efficiency and overcome new and seemingly	
	impossible obstacles. Teachers must explore new approaches to adapt to different students' needs and constantly improve their teaching.		



Drawing: As well as the obvious – such as illustrators, graphic designers and animators – many other jobs benefit from good drawing skills. Any role which requires students to present their findings or plans through diagrams benefits from good drawing skills.