



## GCSE – YEAR 10 – GCSE BIOLOGY – CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Key Themes	Key Themes	Key Themes	Key Themes	Key Themes	Key Themes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Organisation in Digestion</li> <li>• Transport in animals &amp; plants</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Transport in animals &amp; plants</li> <li>• Bioenergetics</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bioenergetics</li> <li>• Diseases and responses 1</li> <li>• Mastery lessons</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diseases &amp; responses 1</li> <li>• Diseases &amp; responses 2 (Separates only topic)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diseases &amp; responses 2 (Separates only topic)</li> <li>• Homeostasis 1</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Homeostasis 1</li> </ul>
Assessment / Composite Tasks	Assessment / Composite Tasks	Assessment / Composite Tasks	Assessment / Composite Tasks	Assessment / Composite Tasks	Assessment / Composite Tasks
<p><b>Digestion formative mini-assessment (GMA).</b></p> <p>Feedback and dedicated improvement and reflection time (DIRT).</p> <p><b>Organisation in Digestion end of topic test.</b></p> <p>Development of mastery through verbal feedback.</p>	<p><b>Transport in animals &amp; plants formative mini-assessment (GMA).</b></p> <p>Feedback and dedicated improvement and reflection time (DIRT).</p> <p><b>Transport in animals &amp; plants end of topic test.</b></p> <p>Development of mastery through verbal feedback.</p> <p><b>Bioenergetics formative mini-assessment (GMA).</b></p>	<p>Feedback and dedicated improvement and reflection time (DIRT).</p> <p><b>Bioenergetics end of topic test.</b></p> <p>Development of mastery through verbal feedback.</p>	<p><b>Diseases &amp; responses 1 formative mini-assessment (GMA).</b></p> <p>Feedback and dedicated improvement and reflection time (DIRT).</p> <p><b>Diseases &amp; responses 1 end of topic test.</b></p> <p>Development of mastery through verbal feedback.</p>	<p><b>Diseases &amp; responses 2 formative mini-assessment (GMA).</b></p> <p>Feedback and dedicated improvement and reflection time (DIRT).</p> <p><b>Diseases &amp; responses 2 end of topic test.</b></p> <p>Development of mastery through verbal feedback.</p> <p><b>Homeostasis 1 formative mini-assessment (GMA).</b></p>	<p><b>Homeostasis 1 formative mini-assessment (GMA).</b></p> <p>Feedback and dedicated improvement and reflection time (DIRT).</p> <p><b>Homeostasis 1 end of topic test.</b></p>