

BIOLOGY ASSESSMENT CALENDAR KS3 & KS4 2026-27

W/B	Term: Week	T/T Week	Year 9	Year 10 Triple	Year 10 Comb Sc	Year 11 Triple	Year 11 Comb Sc
31 Aug	1:1	1	Start topic 1 Basic concept	Start with reviewing the eye and then the Brain	Start topic 5 Health and disease	Start topic 3 Genetics	Start topic 3 Genetics
07 Sep	1:2	2				Core practical DNA extraction	Core practical DNA extraction
14 Sep	1:3	1	Core practical microscope + AH			Core practical DNA extraction	Core practical DNA extraction
21 Sep	1:4	2	Core practical microscope + AH				
28 Sep	1:5	1		Core practical Antibiotics			
05 Oct	1:6	2		Core practical Antibiotics		CAT Genetics up to TBC (+previous topics TBC)	Cat Genetics up to TBC (+ previous topics TBC)
12 Oct	1:7	1	CAT Microscopes and cells		CAT health and disease and Nervous system	Start topic 4 Natural selection and genetic modification	Start topic 4 Natural selection and genetic modification
19 Oct	1:8	2		CAT health and disease and Nervous system		Reporting Point 1	Reporting Point 1
26 Oct							
02 Nov	2:1	1	Core practical osmosis + AH				
09 Nov	2:2	2					
16 Nov	2:3	1	Reporting Point 1				
23 Nov	2:4	2		Cat Disease, hormones and Menstrual cycle			
30 Nov	2:5	1			Cat hormones and homeostasis	Trial Exams	Trial Exams
07 Dec	2:6	2	Core practical Food test	Reporting Point 1	Reporting Point 1	Trial Exams	Trial Exams
14 Dec	2:7	1	Core practical Food test		Core practical Photosynthesis +AH		
21 Dec							
28 Dec							
04 Jan	3:1	2	Core practical Enzymes + AH		Core practical Photosynthesis +AH	Trial feedback	Trial feedback
11 Jan	3:2	1	Core practical Enzymes + AH			Reporting Point 2 Paper 1 revision	Reporting Point 2 Paper 1 revision
18 Jan	3:3	2				Paper 1 Revision	Paper 1 Revision
25 Jan	3:4	1		Start Plant structures and functions topic Cat Homeostasis	Cat plant structures and Functions	Paper 1 Revision	Paper 1 Revision
01 Feb	3:5	2			Revision Y9	Paper 1 Revision	Paper 1 Revision
08 Feb	3:6	1		Core practical Photosynthesis +AH	feedback Cat plant structures + revision Y9	Paper 1 Revision	Paper 1 Revision
15 Feb							
21 Feb	4:1	2		Core practical Photosynthesis +AH		Paper 1 Revision	Paper 1 Revision
01 Mar	4:2	1		Reporting Point 2	Reporting Point 2	Paper 1 mini trial?	Paper 1 mini trial?
08 Mar	4:3	2	CAT Transport, Biomolecules, enzymes, mitosis and growth	Revisoin Year 9	Revision Y9/Y10	Paper 2 Revision	Paper 2 Revision
15 Mar	4:4	1		Start ecosystems topic TBC	Start Ecosystem topic TBC	Paper 2 Revision	Paper 2 Revision
22 Mar	4:5	2		Revisoin Year 10	Revision Y10	Reporting Point 3 + paper 2 revision	Reporting Point 3+ paper 2 revision
29 Mar							
05 Apr							
12 Apr	5:1	1		Trial Exams	Trial Exams	Paper 2 Revision	Paper 2 Revision
19 Apr	5:2	2		Trial Exams	Trial Exams	Paper 2 mini trial?	Paper 2 mini trial?
26 Apr	5:3	1		Quadrat core practical	Quadrat core practical	TBC	TBC
03 May	5:4	2	(Core practical respiration + AH)	Quadrat core practical	Quadrat core practical	TBC	TBC

10 May	5:5	1	(Core practical respiration + AH)	Reporting Point 3	Reporting Point 3	TBC	TBC
17 May	5:6	2				TBC	TBC
24 May	5:7	1				TBC	TBC
31 May							
07 Jun	6:1	2	Y9 EOY Exams				
14 Jun	6:2	1		Y10 Work experience ?	Y10 Work experience ?		
21 Jun	6:3	2	Reporting Point 2				
28 Jun	6:4	1	Nervous system topic	CAT Plants and Ecosystems	CAT Plants and Ecosystems		
05 Jul	6:5	ELW					
12 Jul	6:6	2					
19 Jul	6:7	1					

