Science

SUMMARY OF MOCK EXAM

Separate Sciences: Biology, Chemistry and Physics

Biology

Total time for the exam is 1 hour 45 minutes.

Total marks: 100

Content being assessed

Paper 1 topics:

Topic 1: Key concepts in biology

Topic 2: Cells and control

Topic 3: Genetics

Topic 4: Natural selection and genetic modification

Topic 5: Health, disease and the development of medicines

Chemistry

Total time for the exam is 1 hour 45 minutes.

Total marks: 100

Content being assessed

Paper 1 topics:

Topic 1: Key concepts in chemistry

Topic 2: States of matter and mixtures

Topic 3: Chemical changes

Topic 4: Extracting metals and equilibria

Topic 5: Separate chemistry 1

Physics

Total time for the exam is 1 hour 45 minutes.

Total marks: 100

Paper 1 topics:

Topic 1: Key concepts in physics

Topic 2: Motion and forces

Topic 3: Conservation of energy

Topic 4: Waves

Topic 5: Light and the electromagnetic spectrum

Topic 6: Radioactivity
Topic 7: Astronomy

Other information

All exams will consist of a mixture of different question styles, including multiple choice questions, short answer questions, calculations and extended open-response questions.

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Calculators can be bought from the Maths department.

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SUMMARY OF MOCK EXAM

Combined Science

Biology

Total time for the exam is 1 hour 10 minutes.

Total marks: 60

Content being assessed

Paper 1 topics:

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Topic 2: Cells and control

Topic 3: Genetics

Topic 4: Natural selection and genetic modification

Topic 5: Health, disease and the development of medicines

Chemistry

Total time for the exam is 1 hour 10 minutes.

Total marks: 60

Content being assessed

Paper 1 topics:

Topic 1: Key concepts in chemistry

Topic 2: States of matter and mixtures

Topic 3: Chemical changes

Topic 4: Extracting metals and equilibria

Physics

Total time for the exam is 1 hour 10 minutes.

Total marks: 60

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