



## Key Stage 4 Options

### Subject – Science

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**Course & Qualification: Double Award Science; Core and Additional Science**  
Two GCSEs

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#### Course Outline

The Double Science GCSE encourages students to be inspired, motivated and challenged by following a broad, coherent, practical, satisfying and worthwhile course of study. It encourages students to develop their curiosity about the material, physical and biological worlds and provides insight into and experience of how science works. It enables students to engage with science in their everyday lives and to make informed choices about further study in all sciences and career choices.

**Progression Route:**

This specification forms a sound basis for successful completion of the individual sciences which prepares all learners for Advanced Studies in Sixth Form.

#### Assessment

Each course has three 60 minute written papers with structured questions and one piece of Centre Assessed Coursework. Each of the four assessments comprises 25% of the overall GCSE qualification.

#### Suitability

This is a core subject for all students. Most students will study core and additional science. Some students who find science challenging will study core science only.

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