



Dear Parent

We welcome your child to Year 8 and want to make sure that you are able to help them to succeed this year in Science, by sharing some key dates and information with you. This year your child will have three examined assessment points. Each exam will consist of one 40-45 minute paper that will be sat in the classroom.

The assessment points will be during the following weeks (the day will be dependent on when your child has Science.)

- Assessment point 1 - Week commencing 13th November 2023
- Assessment point 2 - Week commencing 26th February 2024
- Assessment point 3 - Week commencing 13th May 2024

After each assessment point, please ask your child to share their results with you and encourage them to discuss their strengths and weaknesses. We will ask you for a signature in their exercise books to show that these have been shared.

We encourage students to prepare properly for these exams by trialling different revision techniques and using all of the resources that are available. It is important that students get into good revision habits in order to fully prepare them for their GCSEs. Students can use their exercise books, revision guides, keyword lists and a range of different websites. A revision order form is attached to this letter, this needs to be taken to finance with the appropriate money (if your child is pupil premium then they are entitled to a free revision guide).

For further information about how your child can prepare and where they can find useful revision resources, please refer to the [Science Website](#), under the 'Parent Information' tab. Also be sure to check the Wildern Weekly for any further updates throughout the year. If there are any queries, students should speak to their classroom teacher in the first instance.

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Yours sincerely,

Mr Berreen  
Assistant director of learning – Science

## SCIENCE ORDER FORM – KS3

NAME ..... TUTOR .....

ITEM	COST EACH	NUMBER REQUIRED	TOTAL £
KS3 Science <b>Revision Guide</b> – Higher	£2.60		
KS3 Science <b>Revision Guide</b> – Foundation	£2.60		
KS3 Science <b>Workbook</b>	£5.50		
Essential Maths Skills for Secondary Science	£3.00		
<b>TOTAL PAID</b>			<b>£</b>

<b>For Office Use Only</b>	<b>Finance Signature:</b>	Cheque <input type="checkbox"/>
Amount Paid £	.....	Cash <input type="checkbox"/>
Date:		

Please take the whole form, with both halves completed, and the exact money to the Finance Office at Break time and Lunch time only. Books to be collected from the Science Workroom (between 910 and 911), only after payment has been made. Cheques payable to Wildern School.

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**To be retained by Finance Office**

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