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Year 9 Overview 2024-25 – Chemistry

Date	Wk	Week	Units Studied & Learning Outcomes	Key Concepts & Assessment											
8 weeks (8 Lessons) (38Days)															
2-Sep	A	1	Overview of Unit/No. lessons	<p>Foundational concepts: Substances, structures & properties and Atomic structure & the periodic table and quantitative</p> <p>Outcomes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand what an atom, element, compound & mixture are Understand how to separate different mixtures Investigate how chromatography can be used to separate a mixture & calculate Rf value Understand the structure of the atom Understand patterns in electron configuration <p>Tier 2/3 Vocabulary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Glossaries, quick quizzes, within exam questions, PowerPoints. <p>KW: Atom, element, compound, mixture, molecule, nucleus, proton, neutron, electron, evaporation, condensation, filtration, crystallisation, distillation, chromatography</p> <p>Links to root words (etymology):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chromatography "a treatise on colours," 1731, from chromato-, Latinized combining form of Greek khrōma "color", denoting "colour" or "chromatin" + -graphy. Atom - late 15c., as a hypothetical indivisible extremely minute body, the building block of the universe, from Latin <i>atomus</i> "indivisible particle," from Greek <i>atomos</i> "uncut; indivisible" History: 400 B.C. Democritus' atomic theory posited that all matter is made up small indestructible units he called atoms. To write with colors -- literally translated from its Greek roots chroma and graphein, chromatography was first developed by the Russian botanist Mikhail Tswett in 1903 as he produced a colorful separation of plant pigments through a column of calcium carbonate. <p>Career links – CSI investigator use separation techniques to test samples collected from crime scenes</p> <p>Equality Diversity and Inclusion (EDI) links?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maria Goeppert-Mayer won a Nobel Prize for formulating the nuclear shell model which made it possible to understand how the nucleus of an atom works Albert Einstein – refugee developed ideas about the structure of the atom Scientists from different nationalities <p>Misconceptions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sieve is a separation technique Use filtering to separate salt water 											
9-Sep	B	2	Separation techniques & Atomic structure (8 lessons)												
16-Sep	A	3	<p>Lesson Sequence of Content:</p> <p>1 & 2. Atoms, elements, compounds & mixtures (2 lessons)</p> <p>3 & 4. Separating mixtures (2 lessons)</p> <p>5 & 6. Required Practical – Chromatography (2 lessons)</p> <p>7. Structure of the atom (1 lesson)</p> <p>8. Electron configuration (1 lesson)</p>												
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> GW: recall what an atom, element, compound & mixture are and recall different separation techniques BI: describe what an atom, element, compound & mixture are and describe different separation techniques EW: explain the difference between atoms, elements, compounds and mixtures and evaluate different separation techniques Recall of knowledge, application of knowledge, identify patterns from observations, interpret data about Rf values <p>Assessment:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Quick quiz Practical application skills Exam style questions Molecular models Q&A 															

Half-Term			7 weeks (7 lessons) (35 Days)						
4-Nov	A	9	<p>Overview of Unit/No. lessons Organic Chemistry (7 lessons)</p> <p>Lesson Sequence of Content:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Electron configuration (1 lesson) 2. Organic Chemistry – crude oil (1 lesson) 3. Fractional distillation of crude oil (1 lesson) 4. Fractional distillation – properties of fractions (1 lesson) 5 & 6. Atmospheric pollutants – how they are produced and their environmental impact (2 lessons) 7. Cracking (1 lesson) 8. Revision (1 lesson) 	<p>Foundational concepts: Earths resources</p> <p>Outcomes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand patterns in electron configuration • Explain what crude oil is • Explain the process of fractional distillation • Recall properties of different fractions • Recall the products of burning • Identify the common atmosphere pollutants & explain the environmental impact of each • Alkenes and how to test for them • Understand what cracking is and why it is carried out. <p>Tier 2/3 Vocabulary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Glossaries, quick quizzes, within exam questions, PowerPoints, word match activities <p>KW: hydrocarbon, saturated, alkane, mixture, compound, fractional distillation, evaporation, condensation, vapour, viscous, volatile, flammable, carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, sulfur dioxide, nitrogen oxides, particulates, combustion, cracking, thermal decomposition, catalyst, bromine water, alkane, alkene</p> <p>Links to root words (etymology):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hydrocarbon - compound of hydrogen and carbon • Pollute - late 14c., "to defile," a back formation from pollution, or else from Latin pollutus, past participle of polluere "to defile, pollute, contaminate." <p>Career links</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conservation Scientist, Environmental Science and Protection Technician, Environmental Engineer, Environmental Lawyer <p>History:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The first thermal cracking process for breaking up large hydrocarbons into gasoline came into use in 1913; it was invented by William Merriam Burton, a chemist who worked for the Standard Oil Company (Indiana), which later became the Amoco Corporation. • Fractional distillation and vacuum distillation were invented near the end of the 18th century. The first columns invented for fractional distillation were simple open tubes and it wasn't until the period 1900-1930 that vast improvements were made. <p>EDI: Scientists from different nationalities</p>					
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Christmas Holiday			6 weeks (6 lessons) (30 Days)						

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6-Jan	B	16	<p>Overview of Unit/No. lessons Reactions of metals (3 lessons)</p> <p>Lesson Sequence of Content: 1. Revision (1 lesson) 2 & 3. Exam & feedback (2 lessons) 4. Conservation of mass during a chemical reaction (1 lesson) 5. Group 1 – Alkali metals (1 lesson) 6. Metals & acids (1 lesson)</p>	<p>Foundational concepts: Atomic structure & the Periodic table</p> <p>Outcomes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand that mass is conserved in a chemical reaction Recall properties of group 1 metals Understand how to test for hydrogen gas Recall products of a reaction between a metal and acid and write equations to represent these reactions <p>Tier 2/3 Vocabulary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Glossaries, quick quizzes, within exam questions, PowerPoints, word match activities <p>KW: Atom, nucleus, proton, neutron, electron, mass, alkali metals, hydrogen, hydroxide</p> <p>History:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Niels Bohr (1923) incorporated Langmuir's model that the periodicity in the properties of the elements might be explained by the electronic structure of the atom. The British chemist and meteorologist John Daniell, invented one of the very first practical batteries in 1836. In his cell, Daniell utilized a very common single replacement reaction. <p>Career links</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Extraction Metallurgist, construction & engineering <p>EDI: Scientists from different nationalities</p>											
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> GW: recall what happens to mass in a chemical reaction, recall properties of group 1 metals and recall reactions of metals BI: describe why mass is conserved in a chemical reaction, describe chemical properties of group 1 metals and identify products of reactions of metals EW: explain conservation of mass in terms of atoms, explain properties of group 1 metals, explain reactions of metals <p>Recall of knowledge, application of knowledge, identify patterns from observations, interpret data, present word & chemical equations for reactions</p> <p>Assessment:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Quick quiz Exam style questions Q&A 															
<p>Half-Term 6 weeks (6 lessons) (29 Days)</p>															
25-Feb	B	22	<p>INSET 24th Feb</p> <p>Overview of Unit/No. lessons Extracting Metals (5 lessons)</p> <p>Lesson Sequence of Content: 1. Displacement (1 lesson) 2. Mining (1 lesson) 3 & 4.. Extraction of metals – copper from malachite (smelting) (2 lessons) 5.. Extraction of metals – scrap iron and electrolysis of solutions (H) (1 lesson) 6. Extraction of metals from low-grade ores (phytomining & bioleaching) (H) (1 lesson)</p>	<p>Foundational concepts: Earths resources</p> <p>Outcomes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand advantages & disadvantages of mining Understand how copper is extracted from malachite Explain extraction in terms of reactivity Explain how copper is extracted using scrap iron and electrolysis of solutions Understand how copper is extracted from low grade ores <p>Tier 2/3 Vocabulary</p>											
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24-Mar	B	26													
31-Mar	A	27													

Prior	Current	Next
Year 7 & 9 – separation techniques Year 8 & 9 – reactions of metals	Understand the process of extracting copper from its ore	Year 10 – metallic bonding Year 11 – reactions of metals & electrolysis

- GW:** recall steps in extraction of copper from its ore
- BI:** describe the steps in extraction of copper from its ore
- EW:** explain different methods of extracting copper and represent these using chemical equations

- Recall of knowledge, application of knowledge, identify patterns from observations, interpret data, present word & chemical equations, name compounds, use models to represent compounds, practical skills

Assessment:

- Quick quiz
- Practical application skills
- Exam style questions

- Glossaries, quick quizzes, within exam questions, PowerPoints, word match activities

KW: ore, reduction, oxidation, displacement, thermal decomposition, electrolysis, solution

Links to root words (etymology):

- Electrolysis - 1834; the name was introduced by Faraday, from electro- + Greek lysis "a loosening," from lyein "to loosen, set free"
- Hydrocarbon - compound of hydrogen and carbon

History:

- The modern oil industry can trace its origins to Baku in 1837, where the first commercial oil refinery was established to distil oil into paraffin (used as lamp and heating oil). This was followed by the first modern oil well in 1846, which reached a depth of 21 metres.
- Smelting. ... The Egyptians and Sumerians smelted gold and silver from ore 6,000 years ago. As a result, these metals began to have a value that was transferable between people and between cultures. Approximately 5,500 years ago in this history of mining, came the discovery of tin.

- Career links** – Energy engineer, Geoscientist, Engineering geologist, Hydrographic surveyor, Mining engineer.

EDI:

- Resources available in different countries
- Impact of mining in countries such as Brazil

Scientists from different nationalities

Easter Holiday 5 weeks (5 lessons) (23 Days)

22-Apr	B	28	Easter Monday 21st Early May bank hol 6/5
28-Apr	A	29	
5-May	B	30	Overview of Unit/No. lessons Earth's Atmosphere (3 lessons)
12-May	A	31	Lesson Sequence of Content: 1. Earth's early atmosphere (1 lesson) 2. Today's Atmosphere (1 lesson) 3. Carbon Footprint (1 lesson) 4 & 5. Revision (2 lessons)
19-May	B	32	

Foundational concepts:
Earth's atmosphere

Outcomes:

- Explain what phytomining and bioleaching are**
- Understand that evidence about the atmosphere is limited because of the timescale involved.
- Describe the theory that it evolved from volcanic activity.
- Interpret evidence and evaluate different theories about the early atmosphere.
- Understand how the proportion of different gases changed through time

Prior	Current	Next
Year 8 – combustion	Understand how the Earth's atmosphere has evolved over time	N/A

- GW:** state the main gases present in the early atmosphere and today's atmosphere
- BI:** describe how the proportion of gases changed over time
- EW:** explain how the proportion of gases changed over time

- Recall of knowledge, application of knowledge, identify patterns from observations, interpret data, present word & chemical equations, name compounds, evaluate information

Tier 2/3 Vocabulary

- Glossaries, quick quizzes, within exam questions, PowerPoints, word match activities

KW:

- volcanoes, respiration, photosynthesis, combustion, condensed, locked-up, fossil fuels, dissolved

Links to root words (etymology):

- Photosynthesis - 898, loan-translation of German Photosynthese, from photo- "light" (see photo-) + synthese "synthesis" (see synthesis).

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			Misconceptions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oxygen is the most predominant gas in the atmosphere There is a high percentage of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere 																				
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2-Jun	A	33	SJBF INSET 4/7																				
9-Jun	B	ST2	Overview of Unit/No. lessons Environmental Science (5 lessons) Lesson Sequence of Content: 1 & 2 – Exam & Feedback (2 lessons) 3. Sustainability (1 lesson) 4. LCA (1 lesson) 5 & 6. Environmental impacts of global climate change (2 lessons) 7. Testing for gases (1 lesson)																				
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			Foundational concepts: Earth's resources & Chemical Reactions																				
			Outcomes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe the greenhouse effect in terms of the interaction of long wavelength and short wavelength radiation Identify some impacts of global warming and climate change Explain what we can do to reduce the impact Understand what a carbon footprint is Describe ways of reducing their carbon footprint. Explain limitations of reducing the carbon footprint Define sustainability Explain what finite resources are. Explain renewable resources Understand what a carbon footprint is Describe ways of reducing their carbon footprint. Explain limitations of reducing the carbon footprint Define sustainability Explain what finite resources are. Explain renewable resources Identify some impacts of global warming and climate change Explain what we can do to reduce the impact Identify the four common gases using these tests Explain the importance of chemistry in improving agriculture and industry in a sustainable way 																				
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<p>(Total: 189 Days)</p>	

Prompt Questions

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Please revisit the prompts from last year:

- What are the Key concepts for this unit?
- How will it link to wider disciplinary knowledge/cultural capital: history, culture, authentic artefacts, music, art, literature?
- How does it build on prior knowledge and link to other units, concepts, years, GCSE?
- What is it intended students will have learned?
 - For each Unit? By the end of the Year?
 - GW: ; BI: ; EW
- Is it worth summarising in a knowledge organiser?
- **Assessment: how do you know they have learned the foundational concepts, curriculum and wider disciplinary knowledge? Does assessment look like GCSE light? Should it?**
- Skills used/learned
- Tier 2/3 vocabulary ((Etymology e.g. of Greek/Latin)