



# GCSE Biology

## Who is the course for?

This course is for anyone who needs a grade C or above for their chosen career e.g. teaching, midwifery, nursing or any adult who has a genuine interest in Science and wishes to obtain a qualification in Biology.

## What does the course involve?

The GCSE Science course involves 30 weeks of intense study in Biology. There are 2 written exams worth 50% each.

You can study at 2 different levels and this will be discussed with your tutor. The levels available are:

- Foundation leading to grades 4-1
- Higher leading to grades 9-4.

## Entry Requirements

- A suitable background knowledge in science, preferably a grade in GCSE science
- GCSE Maths (grade C or 4 and above)
- GCSE English (grade C or 4 and above)
- A willingness to work hard, attend each week, revise thoroughly and have fun learning about the world we live in.



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## **Want to know more about the course?**

The modules you will complete are:

- Bioenergetics
- Organisation
- Cell Biology
- Infection and Response
- Ecology
- Inheritance, variation and evolution

## **How long does the course take?**

1 academic year (September to May).

## **How much does it cost?**

Please see our current Adult Course Guide or call 0161 666 8215 for current fees.

## **How to apply?**

Please call the Admissions Team on 0161 666 8215 to find out the date for our next Information and Enrolment event.

## **Can you progress?**

By completing GCSE biology you may wish to pursue a career in the following areas - nursing, midwifery, teaching or laboratory work.