

Independent Learning Support

YEAR 7 Biology



SUPPORT:



HOMEWORK HELP:

Post on your Google Classroom comment feed and your teacher will get back to you.



USEFUL PROGRAMMES:

[Planet Earth](#)

[Science and Nature from BBC](#)



USEFUL WEBSITES:

Your [Google Classroom](#)

[BBC bitesize](#)

[Kerboodle](#)

INDEPENDENT LEARNING TASKS:

- You will be given extended tasks on your different topics – this will include producing information posters, stories and other project based work.
- You will be asked to complete pages in your KS3 Biology white workbook which you will then self-assess
- Online tasks using Kerboodle

COURSE DETAILS:

- Life under the microscope – looking at cells, organisation of cells in living organisms and how we use microscopes to look at cells.
- The reproductive system in both plants and animals
- Gas exchange, respiration and the skeletal system.
- Plants and the process of photosynthesis

KEY SKILLS:

Knowledge retention and retrieval

Basic skills that will help you to understand the scientific process

Practical skills – explored through demonstrations for the near future

ASSESSMENT

Classwork and homework will be checked and feedback will be given in a range of ways, including verbal feedback, self and peer assessment or formal written comments. Feedback must always be acted upon. One CCT will be set each half term to assess your understanding of a topic, this will be marked by your teacher and you will be given an opportunity to evaluate your understanding of key concepts.

INDEPENDENT LEARNING TASKS (SEE LEFT)

A combination of extended learning tasks, white workbook questions and online tasks from Kerboodle.

SUPPORT

Your teacher will always be on hand to help – communicate in person, via a Google Classroom post, or via Edulink. Other sources of support are listed on the left.