Combined Science Subject Academic Curriculum Overview							
Year	Term – substantive knowledge - Content						Disciplinary knowledge/ Transition Milestones
	Sept – Oct	Oct- Dec	Jan-Feb	Feb-Mar	April – May	June-July	By the end of the year students will have learned to apply the following skills through the content studied
10	Physics –	Physics –	Physics –	Physics –	Physics –	Physics –	Complete various chemical reactions
	 P1,2,6,7 Recap year 9 content P4 Electricity from current and charge Biology – Recap yr 9 content B4 Organising animals and plants, blood, gas exchange and transport systems in plants. Chemistry – Recap yr 9 content C4 – Chemical calculations Begin C5 Chemical changes 	P5 Electricity in the home Biology – B5 Communicable disease B6 Preventing and treating disease Chemistry – C5 Chemical changes continued	P9 Motion and the acceleration required practical P8 Forces in balance Biology – B7 Non communicable disease. Chemistry - C6 Electrolysis	 P8 Complete Forces in balance P10 Force and motion including forces and braking Biology – B8 Photosynthesis B9 Respiration Rate of photosynthesis required practical. Chemistry – C7 Energy changes 	Retrieval paper 1 with extended writing and calculation skills revisited Biology – B10 The human nervous system and the human reaction time required practical. Chemistry – C8 Rates and equilibrium	Mock exam revision Retrieval paper 1 with extended writing and calculation skills revisited Revisit atomic structure/radioactivity and molecules and matter Biology – Mock exam revision Retrieval paper 1 with extended writing and calculation and required practical skills revisited Chemistry – Mock exam revision Retrieval paper 1 with extended writing and calculation and required practical skills revisited	and explain the observations using atomic knowledge. Developing the analysis of primary and secondary data Investigation planning including identification of variables. Manipulation of data in equations, conversion of units. Producing balanced symbol equations, including state symbols. Construction of circuits. Taking a range of measurements. Application of knowledge to unfamiliar situations. Covering the AT skills and maths skills from the specification. Developing competency with literacy skills to describe, explain and evaluate scientific concepts and required practicals.
11	Physics – Recap yr 9 and 10 P12 Wave Properties Retrieval forces and paper 1 Biology – Recap yr 9 and 10 B11 Hormonal control B13 Reproduction Chemistry – Recap yr 9 and 10 Complete C8 Rates C9 – Crude oil distillation and uses	 Physics – P13 Electromagnetic Waves P12 Wave required practical Interleave with molecules and matter Retrieval forces Biology – B14 Variation and evolution. B15 Genetics and evolution Chemistry – C9 – Hydrocarbons C12 – Chemical analysis, gas tests, chromatography 	 Physics – P15 Electromagnetism interleave with electricity retrieval Retrieval waves, radioactivity Biology – B16 Adaptation, interdependence and competition. B17 Organising an ecosystem Chemistry – C13 – The Earth's atmosphere 	Physics – Revision and A02 skills Biology – B18 Biodiversity and ecosystems. Interdependence required practical. Chemistry – C14 – Use, reuse and recycling of water, metals and other products	Revision/exams	revision/exams	Apply chemical understanding to industry and the planet Explain the induction of magnetic and electric fields Describe the reliance of organisms on each other within an ecosystem Manipulation of data in equations, conversion of units. Covering the AT skills and maths skills from the specification. Developing competency with literacy skills to describe, explain and evaluate scientific concepts and required practicals.