

Year 9 Science

Semester 1 Course Outline

Students explore ways in which the human body as a system responds to its external environment. They are introduced to the notion of the atom and learn that matter can be rearranged through chemical change. Throughout the semester, students will plan and conduct a range of investigations ensuring safety and ethical guidelines. They will learn to communicate the findings using scientific language and representations.

Learning Outcomes

Students are assessed against personalised learning outcomes. Parents are encouraged to contact the class teacher to discuss this further.

Assessment Tasks

Students will be assessed on their participation and completion of classwork and assessment tasks.

Task	Week Due*
Class tasks and activities (collected in a learning portfolio)	Ongoing

Teachers: Matt Marasco, Sam Way

Executive Teacher: Wayne Smith