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Date	Syllabus Ref	Content	Less	Required Practical
Half term 1 (7w)	4.2.2.3	Blood <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Components and their functions • Adaptations of blood cells 	2	
	4.2.2.2	Heart and blood vessels (includes lungs) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Structure and function of heart and lungs • Blood flow pathway • Aorta, vena cava, pulmonary vein and artery • Blood vessel structure and function • Pacemakers & blood flow calculations 	6	
	4.2.2.4	CHD <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coronary heart disease • Stents and Statins • Heart valves • Heart transplants • Advantages and disadvantages of different types of treatments 	4	
	4.3.1.7	Vaccination <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How a vaccine works 	1	
	4.3.1.2	Viral diseases <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Measles symptoms and spread • HIV symptoms and spread • TMV (recap only if time permits) 	1	
	Mock exam week in HT2			3
Half Term 2 (7w)	4.3.1.5	Protist diseases <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Malaria symptoms and spread 	1	
	4.3.1.3	Bacterial diseases <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Salmonella symptoms and spread • Gonorrhoea symptoms and spread 	2	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • End of topic test on vaccination and viral, protist and bacterial diseases. Recap role of WBC. 	2	
	4.5.3.7	HIGHER TIER ONLY Negative feedback <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adrenaline • Thyroxine 	1	
	4.5.3.2	Blood glucose control <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Glucose regulation • Diabetes 	3	

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hormones test 		
Half Term 3 (6w)	4.6.1.1	Sexual and Asexual reproduction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Types of reproduction Gamete including pollen 	1	
	4.1.2.2	Mitosis and cell cycle (+ application) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reasons for mitosis Basic description of mitosis (NOT IPMAT) 	3	
	4.2.2.7	Cancer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is cancer Benign Malignant 	1	
	4.6.1.2	Meiosis (+ application) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Basic description on Meiosis Chromosome numbers Development after fertilisation Comparing mitosis and meiosis 	3	
	4.6.1.8	Sex determination <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inheritance of X and Y chromosomes - punnett square 	1	
	4.6.1.6	Genetic inheritance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Definitions of genetic terms Alleles - Dom/Rec Punnett squares Phenotypes usually due to multiple genes 	3	
Half term 4 (5w)		Y11 Light touch assessment	2	
	4.6.1.7	Inherited disorders <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Polydactyly Cystic Fibrosis Family tree application questions 	3	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Test reproduction, cell division and genetics. 	2	
	4.1.1.4 4.1.2.3	Cell differentiation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Definition Stem cells <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Types -embryos, bone marrow, meristem Uses - therapeutic cloning, crops Risks 	3	
Half Term 5 (7w)	4.2.3.1 4.2.3.2	Plant tissues and organs (RECAP) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Roots Xylem and transport 	2	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Structure of the leaf (5 tissues) • Transpiration (stomata and guard cells) (Plus 4 factors) • Structure of the phloem and movement of sap 		
4.4.1.1 4.4.1.2 4.4.1.3	Photosynthesis (RECAP) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic photosynthesis (endothermic) • Testing a leaf for starch • Factors affecting photosynthesis (graph skills) • Investigate the effect of light intensity on pondweed required practical. • Uses of glucose 	3	RP6
	HIGHER TIER ONLY <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interpreting limiting factors graphs • Green houses • Inverse square law 	1	
4.2.2.6 (4.2.2.5)	Risk factors and lifestyle disease (plus allergies and mental health) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Costs of diseases • Effect of lifestyle factors at local, national, global level • Risk Factors • Allergies and mental health • Sampling and graphs 	2	
4.7.2.1	Levels of organisation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Producers • Consumers • Food chains • Predator - Prey Cycling 	1	
4.7.1.1 4.7.1.2 4.7.1.3	Communities, abiotic and biotic factors <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Definitions of each • Competition • Interdependence • Examples of Abiotic factors • Examples of Biotic Factors • Quadrants Transects / sampling • (See Syllabus for list) 	3	
4.7.3.1 4.7.3.6	Biodiversity and maintaining biodiversity <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Definition • Importance • Human Impact 	Independent study project	
4.7.3.3 4.7.3.4	Land use and Deforestation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Habitat reduction • Peat Bogs • Cattle, crops and biofuels - examples only 	Independent study project	

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	4.7.3.2	Waste management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pollution (air, water and land) 		
	4.7.2.2	Carbon Cycle <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diagrams and descriptions • Water cycle • Diagrams and descriptions 	1	
	4.7.3.5	Global warming <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biological consequences • methane 	Independent study project	
Half term 6 (7 w)		Consolidate independent study project on Ecology.		
		Revision of required practicals		
		Revision of identified weak topic areas		
		Mathematics in Biology		
		Exam technique – literacy 6 mark answers		