

24th January 2019

Dear Parent / Carer,

I am writing this letter to inform you that your son/daughter will have an important Progress Test for Science during their exam week. This will take place in their lesson on **Monday 11th February Period 5 (B half) and Tuesday 12th February Period 2 (A half)** covering the following topics:

- **C2.2: Bonding**
- **B1.4: Photosynthesis**
- **P1.1: The Particle Model**
- **P3.1: Static and Charge**
- **P3.2: Simple Circuits (only up to P3.2.3 Resistance)**

These topics are part of the OCR Gateway GCSE Science course.

Please note that **all pupils have access to 'FROG' and 'Kerboodle'** (containing the online textbook for the GCSE course), which I would strongly encourage them to utilise:

[Access FROG via the VLE link on the Cardinal Wiseman school homepage](#)

The Science department GCSE folder on FROG has boardworks presentations and test-style revision questions with answers for each topic.

To access it click on FROG drive link at top of screen; click documents; click Frog resources (U) enter login details then find Science folder and GCSE.

www.kerboodle.com

username : (Example) jbloggs (initial then last name; lowercase; no hyphens)

password : same as username when logged on for first time, then change password

institution : hgu0

Also BBC Bitesize GCSE has interactive activities and tests for Science:

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/education/subjects/zrkw2hv>

This test will be an important indication to the Science Department of progress and needs to be attempted with maximum effort. They will also inform future set changes.

If you have any queries please contact me on 0208 575 8222 (Ext 437)

Yours faithfully

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