



23<sup>rd</sup> March 2017

**Re: Year 10 Science Revision Guides**

Dear Parent/Carer

All year 10 students will sit formal exams in Science on the mornings of 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> May, this will test content from the science curriculum that will have been covered by students in Years 9 and 10. The assessments are set by the exam board, Edexcel and will be marked by their GCSE examiners. We have chosen to enter students for the exam as part of their preparation for the new specification GCSE that they will sit at the end of Year 11. The result from these exams will **not** count towards their GCSE, however it will provide students with an important indication of their progress in Science and an opportunity to practice the new style of papers that they will take in 2018. Students have been informed of this in assembly by.

In order to better prepare our students for these assessments and their final examination at the end of Year 11, Corby Technical School will be offering Year 10 students the opportunity to buy revision guides for all aspects of their Science GCSEs at below recommended retail price. The purchase of these revision guides is **NOT** compulsory but it is recommended to enable students to have complete guides to the elements that make up their GCSE exams. The costs of the guide books are defined below and purchase will be able to be made via WisePay. All books are being sold below R.R.P and at cost price to the school.

**Student who study separate Science (10A1)**

Science Revision Guide Sets:

Biology/ Chemistry / Physics - £8.25

Science Workbooks and Answer Books Sets:

Biology/ Chemistry / Physics with answer books - £11.25

**Student who study combined Science (10A12/10A3)**

Combined Science Revision Guides:

Higher - £2.75

Foundation - £2.75

Combined Science Workbooks with Answer Books:

Higher - £3.75

Foundation - £3.75

There is **NO** requirement to purchase all guides. The deadline for payment for these orders will be 12.00pm on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> April 2017. Upon receipt of payment the guides will be ordered. There will be further opportunities to order later in the academic year.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Arnold on 01536 213100 or at [larnold@corbytechnicalschool.org](mailto:larnold@corbytechnicalschool.org).

Yours sincerely,

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