

Biology



- **Exam board: OCR A**
- **Course work or exam? 100% Exam (but also includes a Pass/Fail for Practical Endorsement)**
- **What will I learn about?** A Level Biology covers all of the key concepts of biology, including many contemporary topics such as genetic engineering and cloning. Practical skills are developed throughout the course.
- **Great for:** An excellent base for university degrees in healthcare, such as medicine or veterinary science, as well as biological sciences such as biochemistry or forensic science. It complements other GCE subjects like Psychology, Sports Science. The transferable skills of planning analysis, evaluation, problem solving are desired in many different career paths such as law.

Student view: *"It is a big jump from GCSE Biology but that has made it much more interesting. Topics like respiration and photosynthesis are nothing like those taught in Year 10"*

"The constant growth in my knowledge, right from the first lesson in Year 12, has inspired me to choose a Biology degree course, something I would never have thought of previously"