



Biology

Advice for Parents

The simplest and most effective thing a parent can do is to ask their son or daughter 'What did you learn about in school today?' This opens up a dialogue and allows pupils to revisit their lessons and consider what learning took place and how to communicate this.

Wide-ranging reading is a powerful way to improve progress in all subjects. The school library has a wide-ranging of books, magazines and journals that promote biology outside of the curriculum. Watching 'science in the news' and the numerous biology documentaries will help to bring real-world biology to life and open students' eyes to the varied career opportunities on offer. The BBC bitesize website has revision resources, videos and quizzes to support biology across Key Stage 3 and Key Stage 4.

Resources:

Key Stage 3 students have a CGP revision guide

Key Stage 4 students have a GCSE revision guide

Key Stage 5 students have 3 textbooks, including a course specific text and a maths skills book.