

COWLEY LANGUAGE COLLEGE

Course / Subject Title: Core Science (GCSE) and Additional Science (GCSE)

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Comments from Teaching Staff

This is a traditional science course for students in Pathway 1 or 2. It will fulfill the requirements for progression to any further courses or careers needing science.

Course Description

- 2 year course
- Modular tests, coursework and final exam
- 2 GCSEs awarded
- Undertake experiments, problem solving and ICT
- After Year 10 you can follow the Additional Science course

Assessment

- 30% Modular Tests (6 in year 10)
- 20% Assessed Practical Work
- 50% Terminal Exam

Skills Developed

- Labwork / practical experiments
- ICT
- Numeracy
- Presentation Skills

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Progression Routes at Cowley

Continuing Education

Science AS / A2 in Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Applied Science, International Baccalaureate.

Careers

Foundation subject for many careers especially laboratory work, engineering, medicine, dentistry, pharmacy and teaching.

Comments from Students

“Thinking skills weren’t easy at first but I soon got the hang of it!”

“I am enjoying it – my practical work has really improved”