Ready for A Level Chemistry

Guide to the Preparation Documents

Below are details of what you will find in each of the documents:

• A Level Chemistry – Suggested Reading

A list of resources which are suggested, but not required, for A Level chemistry

• Chemistry A Level Handbook – Version 2020

A guide to how A Level Chemistry works, including teaching time, your responsibilities as a student, the exams, the teaching style and practical work

• Key Ideas – Inorganic Chemistry

A set of notes covering the key concepts from GCSE which link in with A Level Inorganic Chemistry. These are skills you should be familiar with before you begin A Level Chemistry

Key Ideas – Organic Chemistry

A set of notes covering the key concepts from GCSE which link in with A Level Organic Chemistry. These are skills you should be familiar with before you begin A Level Chemistry

Ready for A Level – Test and Answers – Inorganic Chemistry

A short test using A Level questions from Inorganic Chemistry which you should be able to access with good GCSE knowledge. Although they will be tough, you should be able to attempt all questions.

A score of 50% or more would indicate a reasonable understanding at this point.

Ready for A Level – Test and Answers – Organic & Physical Chemistry

A short test using A Level questions from Organic and Physical Chemistry which you should be able to access with good GCSE knowledge. Although they will be tough, you should be able to attempt all questions.

A score of 50% or more would indicate a reasonable understanding at this point.

• Triple Award Topic – Further Quantitative Chemistry

A set of revision notes for the Further Quantitative Chemistry topic at GCSE. If you completed this topic at Triple Award, it is good practice. If you took Double Award, you should make sure you have a look at the relevant textbook pages (pp 110-145) first.

Triple Award Topic – Organic Chemistry

A set of revision notes for the Organic Chemistry topic at GCSE. If you completed this topic at Triple Award, it is good practice. If you took Double Award, you should make sure you have a look at the relevant textbook pages (pp 220-250) first.