

# PHYSICS KS4 CURRICULUM

## ROADMAP

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### Energy

Students will investigate energy transfers, efficiency, and specific heat capacity through practical experiments to develop measurement and analysis skills.

**Combined** **Triple**

### Electricity

Students will build and test circuits to measure current, voltage, and resistance, exploring the relationships between electrical quantities.

**Combined** **Triple**

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### Particle Model of Matter

Students will study density, changes of state, and gas pressure to understand particle behaviour in different materials.

**Combined** **Triple**

### Atomic Structure

Students will detect and measure radiation to explore nuclear properties and develop safe handling techniques.

**Combined** **Triple**

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### Forces

Students will measure forces, acceleration, and elasticity using practical methods to apply Newton's laws and formulae.

**Combined** **Triple**

### Waves

Students will investigate wave properties such as frequency, wavelength, and speed with experiments involving sound and light.

**Combined** **Triple**

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### Magnetism and Electromagnetism

Students will explore magnetic fields and electromagnets, observing how electricity and magnetism interact.

**Combined** **Triple**

## Space Physics – Separate Science only

Students will simulate orbits and gravitational forces to understand astrophysical mechanics and space phenomena.