



<u>Curriculum Overview for Physics</u> <u>Year 10</u>

Half Term 1: Electromagnetism	Decoding of key terminology
Substantive Knowledge:	Skim reading
☐ Name the three magnetic materials	Etymology of key terms
describe the difference between a permanent and induced magnet	
describe the interaction between different poles of a magnet	Force,Permanent Magnet,Temporary
describe the magnetic field around a magnet.	
describe how a compass works.	magnet, Magnetic material, Magnetic field,
Recall that F = B x I x L	Compass, Magnetic flux, Electromagnet,
describe how an electric current in a wire creates a magnetic field.	Solenoid, Motor effect, Left-Hand Rule,
describe a solenoid	Current, Potential Difference, Electrical
describe how to increase the strength of an electromagnet.	energy, Kinetic energy, Motor (H),
describe the motor effect	Generator (T), Resistance (T), Step up
explain how to build a motor (H)	Transformer (T)
explain how a speaker works. (T)	Step Down Transformer (T)
explain how to build a generator (T)	Recall tests
explain how microphone works (T)	Review sheet
explain the structure of a transformer (T)	
explain how a step up and step down transformer works. (T)	End of unit test
Disciplinary Knowledge:	
understand how to find and draw a magnetic field around a bar	
magnet.	Review sheet
draw the magnetic field between two poles/plates.	Memorising revisions cards and preparing
calculate the force exerted due to an electromagnet.	
use Fleming's right-hand rule to find the direction of force, current	revision cards for every lesson
or magnetic field.	
 calculate the voltage or current in a step up or step down transformer 	
(T).	
Half Term 2: Forces	Decoding of key terminology
Substantive	Skim reading
Define vectors and scalars	· ·
label the motion on a distance time graph	Etymology of key terms
recall equation for speed	
recall acceleration equation	
label the motion on a velocity time graph	Scalar Voctor Spood Volocity
 identify common forces. 	Scalar, Vector, Speed, Velocity
 Describe and identify contact and non-contact forces. 	Acceleration , Force, Contact Force
define mass and weight	Noncontact Force, Force diagram
recall newtons three laws	
describe the method to measure the acceleration of a	Resultant force, Newtons laws
	Mass, Weight, Stopping distance
object when you change the mass or force on the object.	Thinking distance, Braking distance
 recall the definition of stopping distance 	
 describe what affect braking and thinking distance. 	Momentum (H), Collision
 describe how the time of a collision affects the force 	Recall tests
exerted.	Review sheet
recall the equation for momentum.	End of unit test
Disciplinary	End of diffic test
Calculate speed from a distance time graph	
calculate speed from a distance time graph calculate acceleration from a velocity time graph	
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draw a force diagram	Review sheet
calculate the resultant force in a situation	
calculate weight.	Memorising revisions cards and
 calculate the force the causes acceleration. 	preparing revision cards for every
 calaulate moment of and object 	lesson
 calculate the momentum of an object in a collision. 	
calculate the momentum of an object in a complotic	