# SCIENCE KLA YEAR 10 INTO 11 PRESENTATION





#### **Biology**

Chemistry





**Environment** al

**Physics** 





**Psychology** 

Talk to a member of the science team about your choices! Mr Epi Gary Mrs Gill Ms Hine Mrs Toler Georgie Ms Bagley Ms Richards Mr Webb Mr Hamilton

We recommend doing more than one science in VCE as they are complementary subjects

## **BIOLOGY**

#### WHAT WILL I LEARN?

- Cells
- Plant and Animal Systems
- Genetics
- Adaptations and survival
- Indigenous knowledge of the Australian ecosystem

#### WHAT WILL I LEARN?

- Genetics
- Biochemical Pathways
- Immunology
- Natural Selection
- Human Evolution
- Scientific Inquiry

## **BIOLOGY**

#### WHAT ACTIVITIES WILL I DO?

- Self- design scientific investigations
- Use genetic engineering techniques in the school laboratory
- Visit GTAC Gene Technology Access Centre at The University High School Parkville
- Explore human evolution at Knox Innovation Opportunity & Sustainability Centre KIOSC

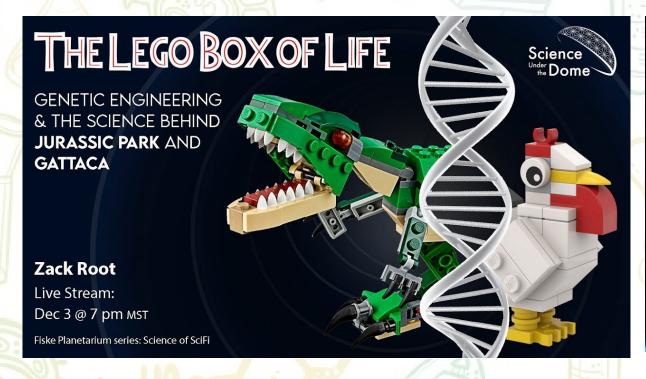
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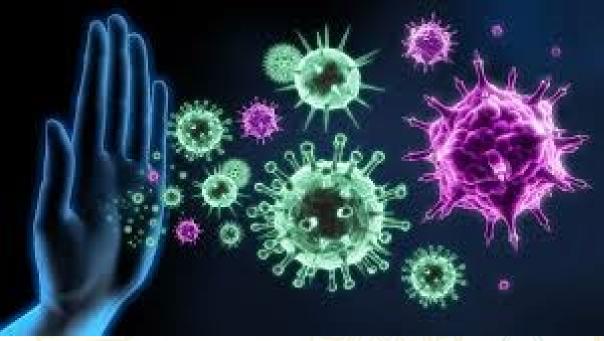
- Marine biology
  - Pharmacy
- Physiotherapy
  - Medicine
    - Health
      - VET
- Nursing & Midwifery
  - Food Science
  - Paramedicine
- Biomedical engineering

## **BIOLOGY**

**Genetics and Gene Technology** 

**Immunology** 





## **CHEMISTRY**

#### WHAT WILL I LEARN?

Atom Structure
Properties of Materials
Chemical Reactions
All about Metals

#### WHAT WILL I LEARN?

New Materials
Sustainability
Analysis of unknown chemicals
Food chemistry

## **CHEMISTRY**

#### WHAT ACTIVITIES WILL I DO?

- Turn a brass coin gold
- Make golden rain
- Design slime and plastics
- Titrate chemicals
- Design your own practical

#### WHAT CAREERS DOES THIS LEAD TO?

- Pharmacy
- Food Science
- Physiotherapy
  - Medicine
- Radiography
  - VET
- Paramedicine
- Chemical Engineering
- Biomedical engineering

## **CHEMISTRY**

Golden Rain







## **ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE**

#### WHAT WILL I LEARN?

## How healthy are our local ecosystems?

- Living factors
- Non-living factors

## How are Earth's four systems connected?

- Land, Lithosphere
  - Air, Atmosphere
- Water, Hydrosphere
- Living things, Biosphere

#### WHAT WILL I LEARN?

## How do Earth's systems change over time?

- Climate change
  - Pollution
- Natural changes
- Developing solutions to challenges

## **ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE**

#### WHAT ACTIVITIES WILL I DO?

- Measure the quality of our local wetland
- Visit Wilsons Promontory National Park
- Learn to identify macroinvertebrates
- Learn about ways to conserve biodiversity

#### WHAT CAREERS DOES THIS LEAD TO?

- Wildlife officer
  - Park Ranger
- Meteorologist
  - Agriculture
- Environmental Scientist
  - Forestry
  - Education
  - Ecologist

## **ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE**

#### **Ecosystems**



#### **Pollution and climate change**



## **PHYSICS**

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#### WHAT WILL I LEARN?

Light

Thermodynamics

Electricity

Nuclear Energy

#### WHAT WILL I LEARN?

Motion

Flight

Science inquiry

E=QXV

 $E = mc^2$ 







## **PHYSICS**

#### WHAT ACTIVITIES WILL I DO?

- Construct electric circuits
- Study energy efficient houses
- Extended Investigation
- Build an aerofoil and test it in a wind tunnel
- Investigate common but often misunderstood Physics phenomena
- Understand Australia's Nuclear power options

#### WHAT CAREERS DOES THIS LEAD TO?

IT / Electronics

Medicine

**Electrical Engineering** 

Civil Engineering

Mechanical Engineering

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Aeronautical Engineering

**Defence Forces** 

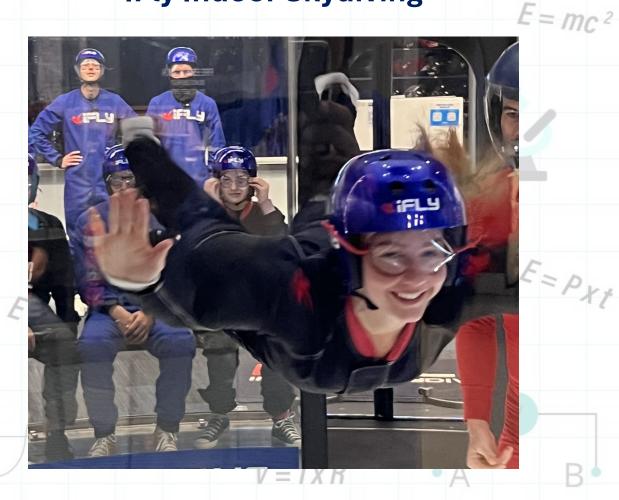
Architect

## **PHYSICS**

Is there anybody out there?



#### **IFly Indoor Skydiving**



## **PSYCHOLOGY**

#### The brain and nervous system



#### **Human behaviour**



## **PSYCHOLOGY**

#### WHAT WILL I LEARN?

- Brain
- Human Behaviour
- Neural Networks
- Memory
- Key science skills (inquiry)
- Learning techniques
- Ethics

#### WHAT WILL I LEARN?

- Factors
   that influence psychological development
- How the brain influences thoughts and behaviour
- How people are influenced to behave in particular ways
- Factors that influence a person's perception of the world

### **PSYCHOLOGY**

#### WHAT ACTIVITIES WILL I DO?

- WHAT CAREERS DOES THIS LEAD TO?
- Complete short pracs that explore psych phenomena
- Conduct extended scientific investigations
- Watch films including Remember the Titans and The Stanford Prison Experiment

- Psychologist
- Counsellor
- Sports Psychology
  - Social Worker
  - Criminology
  - Neuroscience
  - Social scientist

### **EXPLORING CAREER PATHWAYS**

#### **Engineer**

#### **Physiotherapist**

#### Recommended subject sequences

- VCE
- Physics
- Chemistry

#### **Sports Science/Movement**

#### Recommended subject sequences

- VCE
- Physics
- Chemistry
- Biology

#### Recommended subject sequences

- VCE
  - Biology
  - Chemistry

#### **Psychology and Psychiatry**

#### Recommended subject sequences

- VCE
  - Biology
  - Chemistry
  - Psychology

### **MORE INFORMATION**

• When choosing your VCE Sciences, don't just look at the prerequisites to enter a course but check out the first year of the course as well – some courses may require you to complete a fast-tracked version of a VCE subject if you haven't done it already

#### **Key Contacts FOR SUPPORT**

- 1. Your science teacher
- 2. Year 11 and 12 coordinators
- 3. Mr Owen (for university course advice, including prerequisites)

Biology	Chemistry	Environmental	Physics	Psychology
Learn about				
Genetics Immunology Body Systems Cells Adaptations Evolution	Atom Structure Properties of Materials Chemical Reactions New Materials Sustainability Analysis of unknown chemicals Food chemistry	Conservation Pollution Habitats Monitoring Ecosystems Energy Efficiency Climate Change	Thermodynamics Electricity Motion Gravity Nuclear Energy Light General Relativity	Brain Human Behaviour Neural Networks Memory Science Inquiry Learning techniques Ethics
Careers				
Marine biology Pharmacy Physiotherapy Medicine Health VET Nursing & Midwifery Food Science Paramedicine	Pharmacy Food Science Physiotherapy Medicine Radiography VET Paramedicine Chemical Engineering	Wildlife officer Park Ranger Meteorologist Agriculture Environmental Scientist Forestry Education Ecologist Geology	IT / Electronics  Medicine  Electrical Engineering  Civil Engineering  Mechanical Engineering  Aeronautical Engineering  Defence Forces  Architect	Psychologist Counsellor Sports Psychology Social Worker Criminology Neuroscience Social scientist