

Science Assessment Schedule Stage 5 Year 9

In Year 9 you will be assessed in two ways.

1. **Ongoing assessment of class work:** This will consist of assessing day-to-day class work, practical work, homework, and computer-based activities. Each term you receive a 'class mark' which will contribute to your report grade. Failure to complete tasks and meet minimum standards may result in an 'N' determination for this course.

You may be given booklets and worksheets for each topic. Keep these in a **clip folder** or **plastic envelope**. Together with your book they form part of your ongoing assessment.

2. **Formal assessment tasks:** Each term you will have a formal assessment task which will assess the knowledge, skills and processes developed in class. Formal assessment tasks will contribute to your report grade. Failure to complete tasks and meet minimum standards may result in an 'N' determination for this course.

Task	Weight	Term	Week
Task 1 (Science Research Project)	15%	1	9
Term 1 Class mark	10%	1	Ongoing
Task 2 (Examination)	15%	2	3
Term 2 Class mark	10%	2	Ongoing
Task 3 (Examination)	25%	3	7/8
Term 3 Class mark	10%	3	Ongoing
Task 4 (Skills test)	15%	4	2/3

Note: These dates may be subject to change