



Chemistry Academic Overview 2018-2019

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Year 10	Fuels and Earth Science Transition metals, alloys and corrosion	Quantitative analysis Dynamic equilibria	Qualitative analysis: tests for ions Hydrocarbons	Polymers Alcohols and carboxylic acids	Bulk and surface properties of matter including nanoparticles	End of Year Assessment Preparation and Feedback
Year 11	Catch-up and Examination Preparation	Catch-up and Examination Preparation	PPE 1 Feedback and Revision	PPE 2 Preparation and Feedback	Revision For GCSE Examinations	



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Year 9 Chemistry Curriculum Content Overview 2018-2019

Knowledge and Skills Students will be taught to....	Reading, Oracy, Literacy and Numeracy	Assessment
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recall and be able to write word, balanced symbol, ionic and half equations Recall the formulae of elements, simple compounds and ions Use and identify state symbols in chemical equations and describe the use of hazard symbols on containers Analyse and interpret information presented in a variety of forms including graphs, tables and written text Carry out practical activities in order to obtain results and explain their findings using correct scientific principles For each core practical explain; what equipment is used, how to carry out the practical, what is being changed (independent variable), what is being measured (dependent variable), what is being controlled and why Draw labelled diagrams of relevant practical equipment Describe the arrangements and explain the changes in the three states of matter Explain the different experimental techniques which can be used to separate mixtures Recall the structure of the atom and describe how atomic models have changed over time Recall what an isotope is and be able to calculate the relative atomic mass of an element from the abundances of the isotopes Describe how the periodic table has changed over time, comparing how it was arranged to how it is arranged today Describe and explain how ionic and covalent bonds form Describe and explain why materials can be classified as ionic, simple covalent, giant covalent or metallic Explain why some substances are acidic, whereas others are basic Construct neutralisation equations for the reactions of acids and bases and identify the solubility of the products 	<p style="text-align: center;">Reading</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Edexcel combined science text book Recommended reading texts CGP revision guide PLC checklists <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">Numeracy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recall of key values and quantities Recall, use and application of equations Conversion between units Working with numbers in standard form Drawing appropriate graphs and tables with suitable scales/ headings and plotting/ recording data Describing mathematical patterns in experimental data and explaining them using scientific concepts Perform calculations based on extracting data from both tables and graphs <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">Oracy and Literacy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Key words Writing a method for core practicals Six mark questions 	<p style="text-align: center;">Formative</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Questioning in lessons Live student performance in lessons followed by questions Whole class feedback during lessons Regular peer and self assessment Book checks for general presentation, work completion and spellings Low stakes quizzing Learning checkpoints in between main assessments <p style="text-align: center;">Summative</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3 cumulative assessments throughout the year



Assessment Skills, Knowledge and Concepts Map

Key learning questions	Edexcel Chemistry Year 9 Assessment Phase 1
	States of Matter & Methods of Separating and Purifying Substances
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Explain the difference between a hazard and a risk<input type="checkbox"/> Compare the energy of the particles in a substance in the solid state, liquid state and gas state<input type="checkbox"/> What is it called when a solid changes straight into a gas?<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the difference between a pure substance and a mixture and how they would have different cooling curves<input type="checkbox"/> Describe how to separate a soluble solid from solution<input type="checkbox"/> Describe how to do simple distillation, fractional distillation, filtration and chromatography<input type="checkbox"/> Give the equation to calculate R_f values<input type="checkbox"/> In chromatography, what is the name of the phase which does not move?<input type="checkbox"/> What is meant by the term potable?<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the three stages of water purification<input type="checkbox"/> What is meant by deionised water?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Describe the arrangement, movement and the relative energy of particles in each of the three states of matter<input type="checkbox"/> Recall the names used for the interconversions between the three states of matter<input type="checkbox"/> Compare physical changes with chemical reactions<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the changes in arrangement, movement and energy of particles during these interconversions<input type="checkbox"/> Predict the physical state of a substance under specified conditions, given suitable data<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the difference between the use of 'pure' in chemistry compared with its everyday use and the differences between a pure substance and a mixture<input type="checkbox"/> Interpret melting point data to distinguish between pure substances and mixtures<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the experimental techniques for separation of mixtures by: simple & fractional distillation, filtration, crystallisation and paper chromatography<input type="checkbox"/> Describe an appropriate experimental technique to separate a mixture when knowing the properties<input type="checkbox"/> Describe what paper chromatography is and explain how it can be used to separate a mixture<input type="checkbox"/> Interpret a paper chromatogram: to distinguish between pure and impure substances, to identify substances by comparison with known substances and to identify substances by calculation and use of R_f values<input type="checkbox"/> Core Practical: Investigate the composition of inks using simple distillation and paper chromatography<input type="checkbox"/> Describe how: waste and ground water can be made potable, including the need for sedimentation, filtration and chlorination<input type="checkbox"/> Describe how: sea water can be made potable by using distillation<input type="checkbox"/> Describe how: water used in analysis must not contain any dissolved salts.
Key learning questions	Atomic Structure
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Compare John Dalton's model of the atom to the modern day model of an atom<input type="checkbox"/> What is the relative mass and charge of a proton, neutron and electron?<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why all atoms do not have a charge<input type="checkbox"/> What does the mass number tell us about an atom?<input type="checkbox"/> What are isotopes?<input type="checkbox"/> Where are electrons found and why do they not contribute to the relative atomic mass?<input type="checkbox"/> What is relative atomic mass?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Describe how the Dalton model of an atom has changed over time because of the discovery of subatomic particles<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the structure of an atom as a nucleus containing protons and neutrons, surrounded by electrons in shells<input type="checkbox"/> Recall the relative charge and relative mass of: a proton, a neutron and an electron<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why atoms contain equal numbers of protons and electrons<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the nucleus of an atom as very small compared to the overall size of the atom<input type="checkbox"/> Recall that most of the mass of an atom is concentrated in the nucleus<input type="checkbox"/> Recall the meaning of the term mass number of an atom<input type="checkbox"/> Describe atoms of a given element as having the same number of protons in the nucleus and that this number is unique<input type="checkbox"/> Describe what isotopes are<input type="checkbox"/> Calculate the numbers of protons, neutrons and electrons in atoms given the atomic number and mass number<input type="checkbox"/> Explain how the existence of isotopes results in relative atomic masses of some elements not being whole numbers<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Calculate the relative atomic mass of an element from the relative masses and abundances of its isotopes



Key learning questions	Edexcel Chemistry Year 9 Assessment Phase 1
	The Periodic Table and Ionic Bonding
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Describe how Mendeleev arranged the elements in his version of the periodic table<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why Mendeleev left gaps in his version of the periodic table<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the differences between Mendeleev's periodic table and the modern periodic table<input type="checkbox"/> What does an elements period tell us about its electronic configuration?<input type="checkbox"/> What does an elements group tell us about its electronic configuration?<input type="checkbox"/> Where are the metals located on the periodic table?<input type="checkbox"/> Draw the electronic configuration of potassium<input type="checkbox"/> What is an ion?<input type="checkbox"/> How is an ion formed?<input type="checkbox"/> If the name on an ion end in -ide, what does this tell you about it?<input type="checkbox"/> If the name on an ion end in -ate, what does this tell you about it?<input type="checkbox"/> What is the difference between a cation and an anion?<input type="checkbox"/> What is ionic bonding?<input type="checkbox"/> What type of structure do ionic compounds have?<input type="checkbox"/> Give an advantage and disadvantage of using the following two models to represent ionic bonding: dot and cross diagrams, ball and stick models<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why ionic compounds have high melting and boiling points<input type="checkbox"/> State when ionic compounds conduct electricity<input type="checkbox"/> State when ionic compounds do not conduct electricity<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why ionic compounds can conduct electricity in some states.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Describe how Mendeleev arranged the elements known at that time, in a periodic table by using properties of these elements and their compounds<input type="checkbox"/> Describe how Mendeleev used his table to predict the existence and properties of some elements not discovered by then<input type="checkbox"/> Explain that Mendeleev thought he had arranged elements in order of increasing relative atomic mass but this was not always true<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the meaning of atomic number of an element in terms of position in the periodic table and number of protons in the nucleus<input type="checkbox"/> Describe how elements are arranged in the groups and periods of the periodic table<input type="checkbox"/> Identify elements as metals or non-metals according to their position in the periodic table, explaining this division in terms of atomic structure<input type="checkbox"/> Predict the electronic configurations of the first 20 elements in the periodic table as diagrams and in the form 2.8.1 etc.<input type="checkbox"/> Explain how the electronic configuration of an element is related to its position in the periodic table<input type="checkbox"/> Explain how ionic bonds are formed to produce cations and anions, including the use of dot and cross diagrams<input type="checkbox"/> Recall that an ion is an atom or group of atoms with a positive or negative charge<input type="checkbox"/> Calculate the numbers of protons, neutrons and electrons in simple ions given the atomic number and mass number<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the formation of ions in ionic compounds from their atoms, limited to compounds of elements in groups 1, 2, 6 and 7<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the use of the endings -ide and -ate in the names of compounds<input type="checkbox"/> Deduce the formulae of ionic compounds given the formulae of the constituent ions<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the structure of an ionic compound including a description of the lattice and electrostatic forces



Key learning questions	Covalent Bonding and Types of Substance
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> What is the definition of a covalent bond?<input type="checkbox"/> Why do atoms share electrons with each other in covalent bonding?<input type="checkbox"/> How many extra electrons does a single covalent bond provide to an atom?<input type="checkbox"/> What is a simple molecule?<input type="checkbox"/> Draw a dot and cross diagram to represent the following molecules: hydrogen, methane, carbon dioxide<input type="checkbox"/> Simple molecules have low melting points, explain why<input type="checkbox"/> Do simple molecules conduct electricity? Explain your answer<input type="checkbox"/> Give the definition of a polymer<input type="checkbox"/> Name the polymer that is made by joining lots of ethane molecules<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the similarities and differences between: diamond, graphite, graphene and fullerene<input type="checkbox"/> Name two uses of fullerenes<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why diamond has a high melting point<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the structure of a metal<input type="checkbox"/> What type of forces hold the particles in a metal together?<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why metals conduct electricity<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why metals are malleable	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Explain how a covalent bond is formed when a pair of electrons is shared between two atoms<input type="checkbox"/> Recall that covalent bonding results in the formation of molecules<input type="checkbox"/> Recall the typical size (order of magnitude) of atoms and small molecules<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the formation of simple molecular, covalent substances, using dot and cross diagrams, including: H, HCl, H₂O, CH₄, O₂, CO₂<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why elements and compounds can be classified as: ionic, simple molecular (covalent), giant covalent and metallic<input type="checkbox"/> Explain how the structure and bonding of substances results in different physical properties<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the properties of ionic compounds including: melting/boiling points, forces between ions and conductivity<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the properties of typical covalent, simple molecular compounds including: melting/boiling points, forces between ions and conductivity<input type="checkbox"/> Recall that graphite and diamond are different forms of carbon and that they are examples of giant covalent substances<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the structures of graphite and diamond<input type="checkbox"/> Explain, in terms of structure and bonding, why graphite and diamond have different uses<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the properties of fullerenes including C₆₀ and graphene in terms of their structures and bonding<input type="checkbox"/> Describe, using poly(ethene) as the example, that simple polymers consist of large molecules containing chains of carbon atoms<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the properties of metals, including malleability and the ability to conduct electricity<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the limitations of particular representations and models, to include dot & cross, ball & stick models & 2/3D<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the properties of most metals



Key learning questions	Edexcel Chemistry Year 9 Assessment Phase 2
	Acids
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> What is pH a measure of?<input type="checkbox"/> If a solution is neutral, what pH will it have?<input type="checkbox"/> What type of ions are released when an acid dissolves in water?<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the relationship between the concentration of these ions and the pH of a solution<input type="checkbox"/> What range of pHs show that a substance is a base<input type="checkbox"/> What is an alkali?<input type="checkbox"/> What ions are present in an alkali?<input type="checkbox"/> State the products that are formed during a neutralisation reaction<input type="checkbox"/> Write an equation to show the reaction of a hydrogen ion with a hydroxide ion, include state symbols<input type="checkbox"/> Give the definition of a strong and weak acid<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the difference between the strength and the concentration of an acid<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the chemical test for hydrogen gas<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the chemical test for carbon dioxide gas<input type="checkbox"/> State whether the following salts will be soluble or insoluble in water – sodium hydroxide, silver nitrate, barium chloride, potassium iodide<input type="checkbox"/> What type of reaction is used to make insoluble salts?<input type="checkbox"/> What is the name of the process used to make a soluble salt?<input type="checkbox"/> Give the name of three indicators<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why universal indicator is not used during a titration<input type="checkbox"/> State which chemical goes into the burette during a titration<input type="checkbox"/> Describe how to put a chemical into the conical flask during a titration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Recall that acids in solution are sources of hydrogen ions and alkalis in solution are sources of hydroxide ions<input type="checkbox"/> Recall that the pH values of acids, alkalis and neutral<input type="checkbox"/> Recall the effect of acids and alkalis on indicators, including litmus, methyl orange and phenolphthalein<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Recall what the higher the concentration of hydrogen ions and hydroxide ions in a solution does to the pH of a solution<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Recall that as hydrogen ion concentration in a solution increases by a factor of 10, the pH of the solution decreases by 1<input type="checkbox"/> Core Practical: Investigate the change in pH on adding powdered calcium hydroxide or calcium oxide to a dilute hydrochloric acid<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Explain the terms dilute and concentrated, with respect to amount of substances in solution<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Explain the terms weak and strong acids, with respect to the degree of dissociation into ions<input type="checkbox"/> Recall what is formed when a base of any substance reacts with an acid<input type="checkbox"/> Recall what alkalis and bases are<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the general reactions of aqueous solutions of acids with: metals, metal oxides, metal hydroxides and metal carbonates<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the chemical test for: hydrogen and carbon dioxide (using limewater)<input type="checkbox"/> Describe a neutralisation reaction as a reaction between an acid and a base<input type="checkbox"/> Explain an acid-alkali neutralisation as a reaction in which hydrogen ions react with hydroxide ions<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why, when soluble salts are prepared from an acid and an insoluble reactant: excess reactant is added and excess insoluble reactant is removed<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why, if soluble salts are prepared from an acid and a soluble reactant: titration must be used and what is left after the reaction is only salt and water<input type="checkbox"/> Core Practical: Investigate the preparation of pure, dry hydrated copper sulfate crystals starting from copper oxide including the use of a water bath<input type="checkbox"/> Describe how to carry out an acid-alkali titration, using burette, pipette and a suitable indicator, to prepare a pure, dry salt<input type="checkbox"/> Recall the general rules which describe the solubility of all common types of substance in water<input type="checkbox"/> Predict, using solubility rules, whether or not a precipitate will be formed when named solutions are mixed together, naming the precipitate if any is formed<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the method used to prepare a pure, dry sample of an insoluble salt



Edexcel Chemistry Year 9 Assessment Phase 2	
Key learning questions	Calculation Involving Masses
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Describe how you would work out the relative formula mass of a compound<input type="checkbox"/> Define the term empirical formula<input type="checkbox"/> State the law of conservation of mass<input type="checkbox"/> Explain how to work out the empirical formula of magnesium oxide, using heat and a crucible<input type="checkbox"/> What is concentration?<input type="checkbox"/> State the equation to calculate concentration using mass of solute and volume of solution<input type="checkbox"/> HT – What is a limiting reagent?<input type="checkbox"/> HT – What is the value of the Avogadro constant? Give your answer in standard form<input type="checkbox"/> HT - What is a mole?<input type="checkbox"/> HT - What equation can you use to convert between moles and grams?<input type="checkbox"/> HT - What is the mole triangle?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Calculate relative formula mass given relative atomic masses<input type="checkbox"/> Calculate the formulae of simple compounds from reacting masses and understand that these are empirical formulae<input type="checkbox"/> Deduce: empirical formula of a compound from the formula of its molecule<input type="checkbox"/> Deduce: molecular formula of a compound from its empirical formula and its relative molecular mass<input type="checkbox"/> Describe an experiment to determine the empirical formula of a simple compound such as magnesium oxide<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the law of conservation of mass applied to: a closed system and a non-enclosed system<input type="checkbox"/> Calculate masses of reactants and products from balanced equations, given the mass of one substance<input type="checkbox"/> Calculate the concentration of solutions in g dm⁻³<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Recall what one mole of particles of a substance is defined as<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Calculate the number of: moles of particles of a substance in a given mass of that substance and vice versa<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Calculate the number of: particles of a substance in a given number of moles of that substance and vice versa<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Calculate the number of: particles of a substance in a given mass of that substance and vice versa<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Explain why, in a reaction, the mass of product formed is controlled by the mass of the reactant which is not in excess<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Deduce the stoichiometry of a reaction from the masses of the reactants and products
Key learning questions	Electrolytic Processes, Obtaining and Using Metals
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Why are dissolved ionic substances able to conduct electricity?<input type="checkbox"/> What type of ions are attracted to the negative electrode?<input type="checkbox"/> What two states can the electrolyte be in?<input type="checkbox"/> What determines the products of electrolysis of an aqueous solution using inert electrodes?<input type="checkbox"/> If a metal is more reactive than hydrogen what will be produced at the cathode when carrying out electrolysis on an aqueous solution?<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the electrodes used for the purification of copper sulfate<input type="checkbox"/> Define oxidation in terms of the loss or gain of oxygen<input type="checkbox"/> Define reduction in terms of the loss or gain of oxygen<input type="checkbox"/> HT - Define oxidation and reduction in terms of the loss or gain of electrons	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Recall that electrolytes are ionic compounds in the molten state or dissolved in water<input type="checkbox"/> Describe electrolysis as a process in which electrical energy, from a direct current supply, decomposes electrolytes<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the movement of ions during electrolysis<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the formation of the products in the electrolysis, using inert electrodes, for copper & sodium chloride solution, sodium sulfate, acidified water & molten lead bromide<input type="checkbox"/> Predict the products of electrolysis of other binary, ionic compounds in the molten state<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Write half equations for reactions occurring at the anode and cathode in electrolysis<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Explain oxidation and reduction in terms of loss or gain of electrons<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Recall that reduction occurs at the cathode and that oxidation occurs at the anode in electrolysis reactions<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the formation of the products in the electrolysis of copper sulfate solution, using copper electrodes, and how this can be used to purify copper<input type="checkbox"/> Core Practical: Investigate the electrolysis of copper sulfate solution with inert electrodes and copper electrodes<input type="checkbox"/> Deduce the relative reactivity of some metals, by their reactions with water, acids and salt solutions<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Explain displacement reactions as redox reactions, in terms of gain or loss of electrons<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the reactivity series of metals in terms of the reactivity of the metals with water and dilute acids (relative to carbon)<input type="checkbox"/> Recall what ores and native metals are



<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> What does a reactivity series show?<input type="checkbox"/> Why does iron displace copper in a solution of copper sulfate?<input type="checkbox"/> Write the general word equation for the reaction of a metal with acid<input type="checkbox"/> What is a metal ore?<input type="checkbox"/> Name a metal which is found in the Earth as the metal itself (native)<input type="checkbox"/> True or false? Sodium can be extracted from its ore by reduction with carbon<input type="checkbox"/> Give two benefits of recycling materials<input type="checkbox"/> State the four stages that are assessed in a life cycle assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Describe what oxidation and reduction are<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why the method used to extract a metal from its ore is related to its position in the reactivity series and the cost of the extraction process (electrolysis and smelting)<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Evaluate alternative biological methods of metal extraction (bacterial and phytoextraction)<input type="checkbox"/> Explain how a metal's relative resistance to oxidation is related to its position in the reactivity series<input type="checkbox"/> Evaluate the advantages of recycling metals<input type="checkbox"/> Describe what a life time assessment for a product involves and what it needs to consider<input type="checkbox"/> Evaluate data from a life cycle assessment of a product
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Key learning questions	Edexcel Chemistry Year 9 Assessment Phase 3
	Reversible Reactions and Equilibria and Groups In The Periodic Table
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> What is a reversible reaction?<input type="checkbox"/> Define the term dynamic equilibrium State the conditions of the Haber process<input type="checkbox"/> Which groups in the periodic table do the alkali metals, halogens and noble gases belong to?<input type="checkbox"/> State the trend in reactivity as you go down group 1<input type="checkbox"/> State what you would observe when lithium, sodium and potassium are placed in water<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the trend in reactivity seen in group 1<input type="checkbox"/> State the trend in melting points down group 7<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the appearance of chlorine, bromine and iodine at room temperature<input type="checkbox"/> Where are the most reactive halogens found – at the top or bottom of group 7?<input type="checkbox"/> What is the charge of a halide ion?<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the trend in reactivity down group 7<input type="checkbox"/> What is a halogen displacement reaction?<input type="checkbox"/> Name the halide ions formed by: fluorine, chlorine, iodine and bromine<input type="checkbox"/> What would happen if you added a less reactive halogen to solution of a more reactive halide salt?<input type="checkbox"/> What are the elements in group 0 of the periodic table known as?<input type="checkbox"/> Give one example of a use of noble gas<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why noble gases are called inert	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Recall that chemical reactions are reversible, the use of the symbol \rightleftharpoons in equations and how the direction of some reversible reactions can be altered<input type="checkbox"/> Explain what is meant by dynamic equilibrium<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the formation of ammonia as a reversible reaction in the Haber process<input type="checkbox"/> Recall the conditions for the Haber process<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Predict how the position of a dynamic equilibrium is affected by changes in temperature, pressure and concentration<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why some elements can be classified as alkali metals, halogens or noble gases, based on their position in the periodic table<input type="checkbox"/> Recall the physical properties of alkali metals<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the reactions of lithium, sodium and potassium with water<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the pattern in reactivity of the alkali metals, lithium, sodium and potassium, with water; and use this pattern to predict the reactivity of other alkali metals<input type="checkbox"/> Explain this pattern in reactivity in terms of electronic configurations<input type="checkbox"/> Recall the colours and physical states of chlorine, bromine and iodine at room temperature<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the pattern in the physical properties of the halogens, chlorine, bromine and iodine, and use this pattern to predict the physical properties of other halogens<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the chemical test for chlorine<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the reactions of the halogens, chlorine, bromine and iodine, with metals to form metal halides, and use this pattern to predict the reactions of other halogens<input type="checkbox"/> Recall that the halogens, chlorine, bromine and iodine, form hydrogen halides which dissolve in water to form acidic solutions, and use this pattern to predict the reactions of other halogens<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the relative reactivity of the halogens chlorine, bromine and iodine, as shown by their displacement reactions with halide ions and use this to predict the reactions of astatine<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Explain why these displacement reactions are redox reactions in terms of gain and loss of electrons, identifying which of these are oxidised and which are reduced<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the relative reactivity of the halogens in terms of electronic configurations<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why the noble gases are chemically inert, compared with the other elements, in terms of their electronic configurations<input type="checkbox"/> Explain how the uses of noble gases depend on their inertness, low density and/or non-flammability<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the pattern in the physical properties of some noble gases and use this pattern to predict the physical properties of other noble gases



Key learning questions	Rates of Reactions and Energy Changes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> What is the formula for calculating the rate of reaction?<input type="checkbox"/> Describe how you could measure the rate of reaction between two transparent solutions where one of the products was a precipitate<input type="checkbox"/> Suggest another way of measuring the rate of reaction where a gas is given off as oppose to using a gas syringe<input type="checkbox"/> Describe how you would carry out an experiment to investigate the effect of concentration on the rate of the reaction between marble chips and hydrochloric acid<input type="checkbox"/> Describe one way that you could measure how the temperature affects the rate of the reaction between sodium thiosulfate and hydrochloric acid<input type="checkbox"/> What must happen for a reaction to occur between two particles<input type="checkbox"/> Give two reasons why increasing the temperature increases the rate of reaction<input type="checkbox"/> Explain why increasing the concentration of the reactants increases the rate of a reaction<input type="checkbox"/> Describe what is meant by the term activation energy<input type="checkbox"/> List the ways to increase the rate of reaction – explain how each of them increases the rate of reaction<input type="checkbox"/> What is the definition of a catalyst?<input type="checkbox"/> What is an enzyme?<input type="checkbox"/> Give one example of an industrial process that uses enzymes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Core Practical: Investigate the effects of changing the conditions of a reaction on the rates of chemical reactions by: measuring the production of a gas/observing a colour change<input type="checkbox"/> Suggest practical methods for determining the rate of a given reaction<input type="checkbox"/> Explain how reactions occur by discussing the collision theory<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the effects on rates of reaction of changes in temperature, concentration, surface area to volume ratio and pressure in terms of frequency and energy of collisions<input type="checkbox"/> Interpret graphs of mass, volume or concentration of reactant or product against time<input type="checkbox"/> Describe what a catalyst is<input type="checkbox"/> Explain how the addition of a catalyst increases the rate of a reaction in terms of activation energy<input type="checkbox"/> Recall that enzymes are biological catalysts and that enzymes are used in the production of alcoholic drinks<input type="checkbox"/> Recall when chemical changes occur that they cause changes in heat energy<input type="checkbox"/> Describe the differences between endothermic and exothermic in terms of energy taken in or given out<input type="checkbox"/> Recall if bonds are broken or made for each of the following reactions: endothermic and exothermic<input type="checkbox"/> Describe why the overall heat energy change for a reaction is exothermic or endothermic in terms of bonds being made or broken<input type="checkbox"/> HT ONLY: Calculate the energy change in a reaction given the energies of bonds (in kJ mol^{-1})<input type="checkbox"/> Explain the term activation energy<input type="checkbox"/> Draw and label reaction profiles for endothermic and exothermic reactions, identifying activation energy