

# A student perspective: **Biology**

## **Why did you choose this subject?**

Related to the career I'm thinking of going into and I would need it to get into university plus I believe that studying a Science is highly valuable for many different career paths

## **Give examples of what you have studied in this subject:**

We do a topic on plants, we also learn about human bodies, cells, hormonal responses, immune response and the ventilation systems. We have recently studied the environment and sustainability and also about cells and microscopes. Practical work is a key part of the course which has helped to bring the subject alive and is a really enjoyable part of the subject.

## **What do you enjoy most about studying this subject?**

I enjoy learning about the complexities of the human body and its responses which can be applied to everyday life. I like being challenged by learning new and complex topics and I enjoy doing experiments to consolidate my learning.

## **What Advice to someone who is considering this subject:**

Be prepared to do lots of work, note taking and exam questions. There is a lot of content so making revision resources whilst going through the course really helps and saves time to practice exam technique.

## **What subjects do you study alongside this one?**

Chemistry and Psychology

## **What are your plans Post-18?**

Either go to university to study radiology or psychology or a degree apprenticeship within this field.