

Physics and Chemistry

Exam Technique

You should have with you the following equipment.

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| 1. Short ruler | 7. Spare cartridges |
| 2. Long ruler | 8. Highlighter pen |
| 3. 2 sharp pencils | 9. Protractor |
| 4. Rubber | 10. Calculator |
| 5. Pencil sharpener | |
| 6. Pen | |

The physics, chemistry, and biology exams are each 25 minutes long and are done in one 75 minute session

The first thing you should do is see how many questions are in the paper.

The first few minutes should be spent reading the paper and highlighting important words and phrases.

Pace yourself so that you attempt all the questions. Remember do not spend loads of time on a question worth only 1 mark.

The last couple of minutes are spent checking through the paper.

If you are struggling on a question move on. You can come back to it later.

Important points to remember

- Use a sharp pencil to draw and label all diagrams.
- A ruler must be used to draw straight lines.
- Light ray diagrams must include arrows to show the direction of the light.
 - (ONLY SUPERMAN CAN FIRE LASERS FROM HIS EYES!!!)
- Show all working and lay it out neatly as in maths.
- Include units throughout the calculations.

Good luck

How to revise

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