WHGS Sixth Form

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Physics

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Entry Requirements:

GCSE Physics Grade 7+ or Combined Sciences 6, 7+.

Additional: Mathematics Grade 6+

Pass Rate: 100%

Exam Board: AQA

Trips & Events:

Manchester University Visit

Student Voice: "We get great starter questions that help us check our learning." Shahzaib

Student Voice: "I enjoy the practical demonstrations that our teachers set up." Kasim

Student Voice: "Success is like a transverse wave." Michael





A Level Physics AQA Specification

Year 12 (Learning/Objectives)

Content:

- Measurements and their errors
- Particles and radiation
- Waves
- Mechanics and materials
- Electricity

Year 13 (Learning/Objectives)

Content:

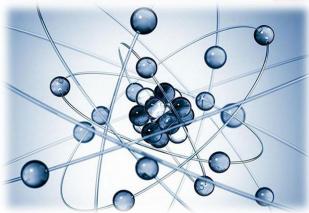
- Further mechanics and thermal physics
- Fields and their consequences
- Nuclear physics
- Astrophysics

A-Level Assessment

Paper 1: all Y12 content plus periodic motion **Paper 2:** further mechanics, fields, and nuclear

Paper 3: Practical skills and data analysis, astrophysics





Beyond A Levels: Future Career Aspirations

- Physicist
- Engineer
- Computer scientist
- Medical physicist
- Game designer
- Accountant
- Lawyer
- Analyst
- Geophysicist/field seismologist
- Healthcare scientist, medical physics
- Higher education lecturer
- Radiation protection practitioner
- Research scientist (physical sciences)
- Scientific laboratory technician
- Secondary school teacher
- Meteorologist
- Structural engineer
- Acoustic engineer
- Product/process development scientist
- Systems developer



