Chemistry

Level: Stage 2

Course length: Full year

Credit value: 20 Credit points

Advice to students

SACE Stage 2 Chemistry is organised so that each intended student learning outcome is related to a key chemical idea or concept within five topics. Through the study of these key ideas and concepts students develop their chemistry investigation skills.

Course overview

This course consists of five topics.
1. Elemental and Environmental Chemistry
2. Analytical Techniques
3. Using and Controlling Reactions
4. Organic and Biological Chemistry
5. Materials

Assessment

Students demonstrate evidence of their learning through the following assessment types:

School-based assessment

- Investigations Folio 40%
- Skills and Applications tasks 30%

External assessment

- Examination 30%

Pathways

Provides background knowledge and skills necessary for further study or direct employment in chemistry and other sciences and technologies.

Further information

Students are strongly advised to purchase the SASTA Chemistry Study Guide (usually available early Term 2).