

# Science 10F

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## Topics (approximate time)

1. Reproduction (20 days)
2. Atoms and Elements (20 days)
3. Nature of Electricity (20 days)
4. Exploring the Universe (20 days)

## Evaluation

Tests	30%
Quizzes	10%
Assignments	20%
Labs	15%
Final Exam	25%

## Final Examination

There will be a final examination during the school examination period.

## Homework

Homework should be completed to ensure success in this course

## Assignments and Labs

Assignments and labs must be handed in on or before the due date. If there is a problem, please make arrangements prior to the due date - not on the day it is due

## Tests

Each unit will have at least one test which will be announced at least 3 days prior to the test date. If a test is missed due to an excused absence, arrangements will be made to write the test at another time.

## Quizzes

Quizzes will be given at random intervals throughout the course, usually without notice. If a quiz is missed due to tardiness or an unexcused absence, the student will receive a grade of zero.

## Extra Help

Extra help will be available from 8:00 to 8:20 and at lunch time every day.

## **Science Department Assessment Policy**

### **Incomplete Assignments**

All assignments will be given a due date by the teacher. This date will be clearly communicated to students. Assignments that are not completed by the due date will be considered incomplete and be subject to a late penalty up to 10% of the value of the assignment.

Students who have incomplete assignments will be given the opportunity to submit their completed work for grading until the end of the unit. After such time, incomplete assignments will receive a grade of zero.

In some cases, the student may need to complete an alternate assignment in place of the one that was originally assigned.

To assist students with completing work, students may be assigned to Study Hall, may attend extra help sessions, or may be assigned a different assignment as determined by the teacher in consultation with the student.

At any point when incomplete work represents a significant portion of a student's grade, parents will be contacted before a zero is assigned.

### **Cheating**

Cheating will not be tolerated. The consequences of cheating on any summative assessment are outlined below.

- **First Offense**
  - parents will be notified
  - the assignment will be considered incomplete
  - the student will have the opportunity to redo the assessment or a substitute assessment.
  
- **Subsequent Offenses**
  - parents will be notified
  - a mark of zero will be given
  - the student will not have the opportunity to redo the assessment