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Dear Parent/Carer,

### Educake – Key Stage 4

Your child's science teacher has recently given them a username and password for an online homework and revision platform called **Educake**. The platform can be accessed on a PC, tablet or smartphone by going to [www.educake.co.uk](http://www.educake.co.uk), or using the app.

Your child will be set a quiz in Educake **every 2 weeks**, however extra quizzes can be set by your child at home for extra practice. Every question is auto-marked, and they will receive instant feedback.

When your child first uses Educake there are a couple of tips we would like them to remember.

- Small spelling mistakes are okay. For most questions in Educake, answers can have up to two letters wrong and it'll still be accepted.
- Don't answer in complete sentences. Educake questions require mostly one-word answers. This is how we ensure the system marks the answer correctly.
- Quizzes can be attempted multiple times if required to help raise confidence.

A recent study was carried out at a school that uses Educake and found that students who answered more than 500 questions in Educake achieved higher GCSE scores than expected. As a department we are confident that Educake will help us ensure gaps in learning are identified and interventions put in place to support your child to aspire and achieve.

The next page of this letter will briefly show you how Educake works. If you have any questions, you can always talk to your child's teacher about Educake via our Edulink app, or you can email Educake at [support@educake.co.uk](mailto:support@educake.co.uk). Please follow the link <https://help.educake.co.uk/en/articles/5954615-how-do-i-log-in-using-a-google-account> for information on how to create a Google login.

Thank you for your support.

Yours faithfully,

*R Creber*

Mrs R Creber  
KS4 Lead for Science



When you use Educake as a student, you see this page first:

When your teacher has set you a test, it'll be here. Click on it to take it. Your progress is always saved, so you can return to it later.

You might see the Educake Smart Assistant, which calculates your strengths and weaknesses and sets you exactly the tests you need to improve. Take the tests to improve your knowledge and understanding.

Here are the tests you've completed. Click on one to go over your results and see if your teachers have left you any feedback.

View your own Educake report, showing you your strongest and weakest topics, and lots more.

Set yourself an Educake test. You can choose the topics and how many questions you want.

Save your mobile number or email here, so you can access Educake even if you forget your password.

The screenshot shows the Educake student dashboard. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the Educake logo, 'Online Revision and Practice', a 'Contact Us' button, and user information for 'Oxford School' (Year: 11, Class: 1911 S1, Frank Capra) with a 'log out' button. Below this is a 'My Educake' section with a 'Show Help' button. The main content area is divided into several sections: 1. 'Your teachers have set you 1 new test...' with a 'Hide New Tests' button and a table listing a test in Physics. 2. 'Educake Smart Assistant suggests these tests for you...' with a table of suggested tests in Maths, Chemistry, and English Literature. 3. 'Here are your most recently completed tests:' with a 'Show All Tests' button and a table of completed tests in Biology and Physics. 4. 'Key Stage 3 Science' with buttons for 'Answer 10 Random Questions', 'Set Yourself a Test', 'View Your Test Results', and 'View Your Results by Topic'. 5. 'GCSE Science - AQA' with a button for 'Answer 10 Random Questions'. 6. 'Reports' with a 'View Your Report' button. 7. 'Help' with buttons for 'Change Your Password', 'Enable password recovery', and 'What Do You Think of Educake?'. Callout boxes with arrows point to these various elements, providing instructions on how to use them.

Subject	Test name	Set By	Questions	End Date
Physics	P2 - Current, resistance and potential difference	Mr OBoyle	25	146 days ago

Subject	Test name	Questions
Maths for Science	This will improve your weaknesses	15
Chemistry	Test on a new topic for you	15
English Literature	20 questions picked at random for you	20

Subject	Test name	Assigned by	Questions	Completed	Score
Biology	Photosynthesis 1, Gas Exchange in Plants, ...	Mr Burns	30	13-05-2019	70%
Biology	Diffusion, Photosynthesis 1, Gas Exchange in...	You	30	13-05-2019	70%
Physics	P2 - Resistors	Mr Klapp	33	21-04-2019	64%

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