## Level 3 Vocational Science

2 year course

Combination of examination and coursework assessment

Work Placement

Wide range of destinations

Practical Laboratory skills focus



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Welcome to Vocational Science Level 3 at Runshaw College. This course is perfect for individuals who are curious about how things work and have a genuine passion for science. Vocational Science covers all branches of science, dipping in to aspects of chemistry, biology and physics, combining this with maths and links to industrial applications.

Within the science department here at Runshaw, we give students all the support they need. Our dedicated staff are on hand to ensure students are well placed to succeed. Students of Vocational Science are assessed differently to those taking the A-Level route. The assessment involves a combination of exam units, practical assessments and coursework. Assessment is continuous, including investigations, practical work, reports, presentations and posters.

Looking further ahead, our students have gone on to further study in areas such as biology, biomedical science, nursing, pharmacy and chemistry. Not all decide to go on to higher levels of study, and some students progress directly into work and a career within the scientific or healthcare industries.

As part of your course, you will be supported to complete a work placement in a science or healthcare workplace.

At Runshaw you will have opportunities to take part in our range of Science Academies and competitions to broaden your skills and career horizons.

## What's great about this course?



Dedicated support sessions and staff



Varied assessment



Guest lectures and work placement preparation available



Employability skills workshops



Extensive enrichment provision