

Archbishop Tenison's

CHURCH OF ENGLAND HIGH SCHOOL



DEPARTMENT NAME: Biology

- Talk about the topics you study?
- We cover a wide range of topics from Atherosclerosis, Forensics, Ecology to the Zygote.
- What texts/resources do you use?
- We use the Pearson Salter Nuffield text books 1 & 2, coupled with the CGP revision guide.
- Interesting parts of your curriculum
- A 3 day residential field trip in the heart of Surrey and a wide range of practical investigations



WHAT'S GREAT ABOUT Biology AT TENISON'S

How do you teach?

Direct instruction, lots of Q and A, practical work in groups and independent work.

What do students like about your subject?

Students enjoy the practicals, the style of learning and the forensics topic. They are apprehensive about the field trip but do thoroughly enjoy this.



OPPORTUNITIES AND SUCCESSES

- What do you offer in addition to the curriculum?
- A wide range of revision resources from individual units to complete past papers. We can also provide revision resources based around individual topics, e.g., the heart.
- Careers your pupils have
- We have a number of students that have gone on to do a wide range of jobs within the medical profession (doctor, radiographer, pharmacist and nurse), others have gone on to become: veterinary surgeon, ecologist and biomedical scientist.