

**Queen Margaret College**  
**Year 13 Chemistry SL/HL Programme 2019**  
**International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme**

Course Component	Percentage of final grade		Internal / External	Proposed assessment date
	SL	HL		
<b>Paper 1</b> Multiple Choice	20	20	External	November 2019
<b>Paper 2</b> Data analysis and longer response on the core content	40	36	External	November 2019
<b>Paper 3</b> Short and long response on core and option content	20	24	External	November 2019
<b>Internal Assessment (IA)</b>	20	20	Internal	Term 1 2019

### Course details

In the first term of Year 13, students will be completing the Standard Level Syllabus by studying the Biochemistry Options topic. They will also be finishing the independent Internal Assessment (IA) investigation, worth 20% of the overall grade. The Higher Level syllabus revisits each topic covered at the Standard Level, but going into greater depth in each of these topics.

### Course Information:

- Students are issued with a textbook for the duration of the 2 year course
- Students are also issued with a Study Guide which will be charged to their accounts
- Students have access to SmartBacc to check on their understanding of each topic
- The teacher for 2019 is Mrs Stacey Garnett

### Homework expectations

Your daughter should be learning at home for at least 15 hours per week, across all subjects.

To achieve at a high level in IBD Chemistry, students are expected to complete some homework during the week. Homework might include:

- Completing unfinished classwork.
- Completing assigned exercises.
- Reviewing classwork to identify any gaps in understanding which should be raised with the teacher in the next lesson and/or in extra-help sessions.
- Honing skills and evaluating progress by completing and self-marking practice problems.