

St Paul's International College 2024

Year 8 Science: Assessment Plan

Students will be continuously assessed in a wide variety of ways including:

- Research skills
- Planning first hand investigations
- Carrying out first hand investigations
- Processing information
- Interpreting and processing information
- Group work/team work
- Oral reporting/skills
- Written reporting
- Presentation work
- Problem solving skills
- Completion of class work
- Class tests
- Exams

Tasks used for assessment include (but are not limited to):

- Research into transplanted [SC4-7WS, SC4-14LW, SC4-15LW]
- End of section tests [SC4-11PW, SC4-12ES, SC4-13ES, SC4-14LW, SC4-17CW]
- Individual Open Ended Research Task – Conservation of resources [SC4-7WS, SC4-9WS, SC4-13ES]
- Open ended group practical investigation into insulation or double glazing [SC4-5WS, SC4-6WS, SC4-7WS, SC4-8WS, SC4-9WS, SC4-11PW]

As with all subjects, students will be assessed in relation to the Board of Studies Common Grade Scale (A-E). Refer to the Grade Scale.