



JOHN EDMONDSON HIGH SCHOOL

Assessment Notification

Faculty: Science Course: Science Year: 9

Assessment Task: Skills Test

Assessment Weighting: 25% Due: Term 22 Week 5 Date: 24/05/2023

Task Type: Hand in Task In Class Task Practical Task

Outcomes assessed (NESA)

SC5-4WS

develops questions or hypotheses to be investigated scientifically

SC5-5WS

produces a plan to investigate identified questions, hypotheses or problems, individually and collaboratively

SC5-6WS

undertakes first-hand investigations to collect valid and reliable data and information, individually and collaboratively

SC5-7WS

processes, analyses and evaluates data from first-hand investigations and secondary sources to develop evidence-based arguments and conclusions

SC5-8WS

applies scientific understanding and critical thinking skills to suggest possible solutions to identified problems

SC5-9WS

presents science ideas and evidence for a particular purpose and to a specific audience, using appropriate scientific language, conventions and representations

SC5-10PW

applies models, theories and laws to explain situations involving energy, force and motion

SC5-16CW

explains how models, theories and laws about matter have been refined as new scientific evidence becomes available

Task Description/Overview

The Skills Test will be completed in your scheduled **Science lesson on Wednesday 24th May 2023.**

Detailed Assessment Task Description

Skills Test - (35 marks)

Section 1 - Multiple choice questions

Section 2 – Thinking scientifically, process and problem-solving.

Includes questions relating to scientific processes, practical knowledge/scientific method, and graphing skills.

Class	Period	Room
9T	2	D04
9O	2	D01
9B	3	D02
9R	5	B04
9U	5	D01
9K	3	B02
9V	3	D03

Students need to bring with them:

- Ruler
- Lead pencil
- Black or blue pen
- Eraser
- Calculator

Test/Examination Structure	
Section Description	Marks Available
SKILLS TEST	35
Section 1 – Multiple Choice	
Section 2 –Thinking scientifically, process and problem-solving	
Total Marks for this task	35

Satisfactory completion of courses

A course has been satisfactorily completed, when the student has:

- Followed the course developed/endorsed by the NSW Educational Standards Authority (NESA)
- Applied himself/herself with diligence and sustained effort to the set tasks and experiences provided in the course.
- Achieved some or all of the course outcomes