

Lesson	Specification learning outcomes	Edexcel 360 Science Specification match	Edexcel 360 Science GCSE Science Students' Book page reference	Additional information [new content]
Lesson B1.1 Classification	1.1, 1.2, 1.3	B1a 1.11	B1a.1.10 Variation	The new specification also requires - amplification on the classification of viruses
Lesson B1.2 Vertebrates and invertebrates	1.4, 1.5	B1a 1.11	B1a.1.10 Variation	
Lesson B1.3 Species	1.6, 1.7, 1.8, 1.9, 1.19	B1a 1.11	B1a.1.10 Variation	The new specification also requires - defining the term species, hybridisation and ring species - how classification is used to target conservation efforts
Lesson B1.4 Variation	1.8, 1.9, 1.10		B2.4.4 Competition [biodiversity and competition defined]	
Lesson B1.5 Variation practical	1.13, 1.14	B1a 2.6	B1a.2.3 Variation B1a.2.5 Nature or nurture?	The new specification also requires - the terms continuous variation and discontinuous variation
Lesson B1.6 Reasons for variety	1.11, 1.15, 1.16		B1a.2.3 Variation B1a.2.5 Nature or nurture? B2.4.1 Extreme environments	The new specification also requires - normal distribution curves
Lesson B1.7 Evolution	1.12, 1.17, 1.18	B1a 1.2 B1a 1.7 B1a 1.10 B2 4.6	B1a.1.1 Competition for resources B2.4.1 Extreme environments B2.4.2 Interdependence and adaptation B1a.1.8 Natural selection B1a.1.9 The evidence for evolution	

Lesson B1.8 Genes	1.20 1.21	B1a 2.1 B1a 2.2 B1a 2.8	B1a.2.2 Genes and DNA B1a.2.3 Variation B1a.2.4 Dominant and recessive alleles	
Lesson B1.9 Explaining inheritance	1.22, 1.23, 1.24	B1a 2.4 B1a 2.6 B1a 2.8	B1a.2.4 Dominant and recessive alleles	The new specification also requires - the terms homozygous, heterozygous, phenotype, and genotype
Lesson B1.10 Genetic disorders	1.25. 1.26	B1a 2.9	B1a.2.6 It's in the genes	
Lesson B1.11 Homeostasis	2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4			The new specification also requires - the term homeostasis
Lesson B1.12 Sensitivity	2.19, 2.20, 2.21	B1b 3.1 B1b 3.2 B1b 3.3 B1b 3.5	B1b.3.2 The nervous system B1b.3.4 Sense organs	The new specification also requires - knowledge of the structure and function of the nervous system, e.g. dendrons, axons
Lesson B1.13 Skin sensitivity practical	2.22			
Lesson B1.14 Responding to stimuli	2.23	B1b 3.5 B1b 3.6	B1b.3.2 The nervous system B1b.3.6 Reflexes B1b.3.7 The reflex arc	
Lesson B1.15 Hormones	2.5, 2.6, 2.7	B1b 3.8 B1b 3.13 B1b 3.14	B1b.3.8 Hormones	

Lesson B1.16 Diabetes	2.8, 2.9, 2.10, 2.11, 2.12, 2.13		B1b.3.8 Hormones B3.1.4 Eating well [covers calculating BMI and obesity]	The new also specification requires - more detailed coverage of Type 1 and Type 2 diabetes including the correlation between obesity and Type 2 diabetes.
Lesson B1.17 Tropic responses practical	2.16			
Lesson B1.18 Plant hormones	2.14, 2.15, 2.17	B2 2.11 B2 2.12	B2.2.7 Plant growth and hormones	
Lesson B1.19 Uses of plant hormones	2.17, 2.18	B2 2.13	B2.2.7 Plant growth and hormones	The new specification also requires - selective weed killers
Lesson B1.20 Effects of drugs	3.1, 3.2	B1b 4.3 B1b 4.4 B1b 4.5 B1b 4.6 B1b 4.8	B1b.4.7 Types of drugs B1b.4.8 Pain-relief	The new specification also requires - hallucinogens
Lesson B1.21 Reaction times and drugs practical	3.3	B1b 4.1 B1b 4.2	B1b.3.1 Reaction times	
Lesson B1.22 The damage caused by smoking	3.4, 3.5	B1b 4.1	B1b.4.10 Tobacco	
Lesson B1.23 The effects of alcohol	3.6	B1b 4.1 B1b 4.2	B1b.4.9 Drug misuse and abuse	

Lesson B1.24 Ethics and transplants	3.7		B1b.4.9 Drug misuse and abuse [mentions liver transplants for alcoholics] B1a.2.9 Clones and transgenic organisms [brief section on transplants]	The new specification also requires greater coverage of the ethics of transplant surgery including: - liver transplants for alcoholics - heart transplants for the clinically obese - the supply of organs
Lesson B1.25 Pathogens and infection	3.8, 3.9	B1b 4.9	B1b.4.3 Microorganisms and disease	The new specification also requires - the spread of athlete's foot
Lesson B1.26 Antiseptics and antibiotics	3.10, 3.11, 3.12, 3.13, 3.14	B1b 4.10 B1b 4.14	B1b.4.4 The first line of defence  B1b.4.2 Controlling tuberculosis	The new specification also requires - coverage of how antiseptics can be used to prevent the spread of infection - the use of antibiotics and resistance to antibiotics is mentioned - coverage of antifungal drugs and how resistant strains of bacteria, including MRSA, can arise from the misuse of antibiotics
Lesson B1.27 Antiseptics practical	3.15			
Lesson B1.28 Interdependence and food webs	3.16, 3.17, 3.18	B1a 1.1 B1a 1.2 B1a 1.3 B1a 1.4	B1a.1.1 Competition for resources. B1a.1.5 Wheat versus meat	The new specification also requires - use of the term trophic level

Lesson B1.29 Parasites and mutualists	3.19			The new specification also requires - explanation of how the survival of some organisms may depend on the presence of another species -parasitism and mutualism
Lesson B1.30 Pollution	3.20, 3.21, 3.22	B1a 1.5 B2 4.3	B1a.1.3 Our influence on the environment [provides data on population growth and carbon dioxide levels]	The new specification also requires - explanation of how the increase in human population contributes to an increase in the production of pollutants, including phosphates, nitrates and sulfur dioxide
Lesson B1.31 Polutants and plant growth practical	3.23			
Lesson B1.32 Pollution indicators	3.24, 3.25	B2 4.7 B2 4.8	B2.4.8 Environment – the human effect B2.4.7 Recycling	
Lesson B1.33 The carbon cycle	3.26	B2 3.7	B2.3.6 Natural recycling – carbon	The new specification also requires - the term decomposers
Lesson B1.34 The nitrogen cycle	3.27	B2 3.8	B2.3.7 Natural recycling – nitrogen	

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Lesson B2.1 Plant and animal cells	1.2, 1.3, 1.4	B2 3.1	B2.3.1 Cells	
Lesson B2.2 Inside bacteria	1.1, 1.5			
Lesson B2.3 DNA	1.6, 1.7	B2 1.1 B2 1.2	B2.1.1 DNA	
Lesson B2.4 DNA practical	1.8			
Lesson B2.5 DNA discovery	1.9, 1.10	B1a 2.3	B1a.2.7 The Human Genome Project	The new specification also requires - an understanding of how the structure of DNA was discovered, including the roles of Watson, Crick, Franklin and Wilkins
Lesson B2.6 Genetic engineering	1.11, 1.12	B1b 3.14 B3 1.20	B1b.3.8 Hormones [part] B3.1.8 Genetically engineered insulin	The new specification also requires - the disadvantages of genetic engineering to produce GM organisms, including a beta carotene in golden rice to reduce vitamin A deficiency in humans
Lesson B2.7 Mitosis and meiosis	1.13, 1.14, 1.15, 1.16	B2 2.1 B2 2.2 B2 2.3	B2.2.1 Cell division	
Lesson B2.8 Clones	1.17, 1.18, 1.19	B2 2.17	B2.2.9 Cloning mammals	The new specification also requires - the terms: diploid, enucleated and surrogate

Lesson B2.9 Stem cells	1.19, 1.20, 1.21	B2 2.6 B2 2.8 B2 2.9 B2 2.18	B2.2.4 The potential of stem cells	
Lesson B2.10 Protein manufacture	1.22, 1.23	B2 1.8 B2 1.9	B2.1.4 Making proteins B2.1.5 Protein synthesis	
Lesson B2.11 Mutations	1.24, 1.25	B2 1.8 B2 1.9	B2.1.5 Protein synthesis P2.11.8 How did Marie Curie die? [part – defines mutations]	The new specification requires a new context.
Lesson B2.12 Enzymes	1.26, 1.27			The new specification also requires - detailed coverage of enzymes
Lesson B2.13 Enzymes practical	1.32			
Lesson B2.14 Enzyme action	1.28, 1.29, 1.30, 1.31	C2 8.8	C2.8.7 Enzymes – the biological catalysts [part]	The new specification also requires - that enzymes can be denatured due to changes in the shape of the active site
Lesson B2.15 Aerobic respiration	2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4	B2 1.10 B2 1.11	B2.1.6 Aerobic respiration	
Lesson B2.16 Aerobic respiration practical	2.5, 2.6			

Lesson B2.17 Anaerobic respiration	2.6, 2.7, 2.8, 2.9, 2.10, 2.11	B2 1.12 B2 1.13 B2 1.16 B2 1.17	B1.1.7 Measuring the effects of exercise B2.1.9 Anaerobic respiration and exercise	The new specification also requires - use of cardiac output equation
Lesson B2.18 Photosynthesis	2.13, 2.14	B2 3.2	B2.3.3 How plants make food	The new specification also requires - how the structure of a leaf is adapted for photosynthesis, including: a large surface area b contains chlorophyll in chloroplasts to absorb light c stomata for gas exchange (carbon dioxide, oxygen and water vapour)
Lesson B2.19 Photosynthesis practical	2.16			
Lesson B2.20 Limiting factors	2.15	B2 3.4	B2.3.4 Factors limiting food production	
Lesson B2.21 Water transport	2.17, 2.18, 2.19, 2.20			
Lesson B2.22 Osmosis practical	2.20, 2.21			



Lesson B2.23 Organisms and their environments	2.22, 2.23	B1a 1.5	B1a.1.2 Sampling and estimating populations [part]	The new specification also requires -sampling techniques including - pooters - sweep nets/pond nets - pitfall traps - quadrats  -measurement of environmental factors including: - temperature - light intensity - pH
Lesson B2.24 Populations and distributions practical	2.22, 2.23			
Lesson B2.25 Fossils and evolution	3.1, 3.2, 3.3	B1a 1.7 B1a 1.8 B1a 1.9 B1a 1.10	B1a.1.9 The evidence for evolution	The new specification also requires - an understanding of how the anatomy of the pentadactyl limb provides evidence for evolution
Lesson B2.26 Growth	3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7	B2 2.4	B2.2.2 What is growth? B2.2.3 Measuring growth	
Lesson B2.27 Blood	3.8			
Lesson B2.28 Heart	3.9, 3.10			

Lesson B2.29 Circulatory system	3.9, 3.11			
Lesson B2.30 The digestive system	3.12, 3.13			
Lesson B2.31 Breaking down food	3.14, 3.15			
Lesson B2.32 Villi	3.16			
Lesson B2.33 Digestive enzymes practical	3.17			
Lesson B2.34 Probiotics and prebiotics	3.18	B3 1.1 B3 1.4	B3.1.1 Functional foods [prebiotics and plant stanol esters]	The new specification also requires - probiotics

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Lesson B3.1 Rhythms	1.31, 1.32			
Lesson B3.2 Plant defences	1.29, 1.30			
Lesson B3.3 Bacterial growth practical	1.26, 1.27, 1.28			
Lesson B3.4 Vaccines	1.20, 1.21, 1.22	B1b 4.11 B1b 4.12	B1b.4.5 The second line of defence [part] B1b.4.6 The third line of defence [part]	The new specification also requires - Edward Jenner's contribution to the development of vaccines - the term memory lymphocytes
Lesson B3.5 Antibodies	1.23, 1.24, 1.25	B1b 4.6	B1b.4.6 The third line of defence [part]	
Lesson B3.6 The kidneys	1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 1.4			
Lesson B3.7 Inside the kidneys	1.5, 1.6, 1.7, 1.8			

Lesson B3.8 The menstrual cycle	1.9, 1.10, 1.11, 1.12, 1.13	B1b 3.9 B1b 3.10 B1b 3.11	B1b.3.9 Hormones and contraception [part]	The new specification also requires - understanding of the functions of; oestrogen, progesterone, LH and FSH. - function of the corpus luteum - how the menstrual cycle is controlled by a negative feedback mechanism
Lesson B3.9 Fertilisation	1.14, 1.5, 1.16	B1b 3.12	B1b.3.10 Hormones and fertility [fertility treatments] B3.1.15 Girl or boy? [part]	The new specification also requires - much greater detail on fertilisation.
Lesson B3.10 Sex determination	1.17, 1.18, 1.19	B3 1.15	B3.1.15 Girl or boy? [part]	The new specification also requires - how the sex of offspring is determined at fertilisation, using a genetic diagram - use of probabilities, ratios and percentages to explain how sex-linked genetic disorders are inherited, including haemophilia and colour blindness
Lesson B3.11 Courtship and parenting	2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5	B3 2.23 B3 2.24 B3 2.25 B3 2.26	B3.2.5 Courting behaviour B3.2.6 Mating systems and parental care	
Lesson B3.12 Innate behaviour and imprinting	2.6, 2.12	B3 2.1 B3 2.2 B3 2.3 B3 2.4 B3 2.5 B3 2.27	B3.2.1 Instinctive behaviour B3.2.3 Imprinting and habituation B3.2.2 Learned behaviour: conditioning B3.2.14 Humans and other apes [Fossey and Goodall]	The new specification also requires - an understanding of the work of ethologists, including: - Tinbergen, innate behaviour in gulls - Lorenz, imprinting in geese
Lesson B3.13 Behaviour practical	2.6, 2.8			

Lesson B3.14 Learned behaviour	2.6, 2.7	B3 2.1 B3 2.2 B3 2.3 B3 2.4 B3 2.5	B3.2.2 Learned behaviour: conditioning	The new specification also requires - humans can make use of conditioning when training captive animals for specific purposes, including: - sniffer dogs - police horses - dolphins
Lesson B3.15 Animal communication	2.9, 2.10, 2.12	B3 2.6 B3 2.7 B3 2.8 B3 2.9	B3.2.4 How do animals communicate?	
Lesson B3.16 Plant behaviour	2.11, 2.13			
Lesson B3.17 Evidence for human evolution	2.14, 2.15			
Lesson B3.18 Human migration	2.16, 2.17, 2.18			
Lesson B3.19 Biotechnology	3.1, 3.2, 3.3	B2 1.4 B2 1.5	B3.1 Introduction [defines biotechnology] B2.1.2 Fermentation B2.1.3 Using microorganisms	
Lesson B3.20 Yeast growth practical	3.4			

Lesson B3.21 Microorganisms for food	3.5, 3.6, 3.7	B2 1.6		The new specification also requires - how mycoprotein is manufactured is a new example
Lesson B3.22 Yoghurt practical	3.8, 3.9	B3 1.1	B3.1.2 Making yoghurt and soy sauce [part]	
Lesson B3.23 Enzyme technology	3.10, 3.13	B3 1.6 B3 1.5 B3 1.20	B3.1.3 More on microorganisms and food [chymotrypsin and invertase] 2.8.7 Enzymes – the biological catalysts [part – washing powders] B3.1.8 Genetically engineered insulin	The new specification also requires - the term recombinant DNA technology
Lesson B3.24 Lactase practical	3.11			
Lesson B3.25 Pectinase practical	3.12			
Lesson B3.26 Global food security	3.14, 3.18, 3.19	B3 1.10 B3 1.9 C1b 7.14	B3.1.5 Feeding the world B3.1.6 Genetically modified plants C1b.7.6 Is there an alternative to oil? [biofuels and land use]	
Lesson B3.27 A GM future?	3.15, 3.16, 3.17, 3.18	B3 1.10 B3 1.11 B3 1.12 B3 1.13	B3.1.6 Genetically modified plants B3.1.7 Should GM crops worry us?	The new specification also requires - an understanding of the costs and benefits of genetic modification of crop plants in the context of developed and developing countries, including the introduction of flavonoids in the purple tomato