# St Paul's School for Girls



# **CHEMISTRY A LEVEL**

### Why should I study this course?

The key aims of studying A Level chemistry are to: Develop essential knowledge and understanding of different areas of the subject Develop and demonstrate a deep appreciation of the skills, knowledge and understanding of scientific methods Develop competence and confidence in a variety of practical, mathematical and problem solving skills Develop interest in and enthusiasm for the subject Understand how society makes decisions about scientific issues and how the sciences contribute to the success of the economy and society.

## What does this course include?

Building on your GCSE chemistry knowledge, the course is split into 6 modules:

Module 1 – Development of practical skills in chemistry

- Module 2 Foundations in chemistry
- Module 3 Periodic table and energy
- Module 4 Core organic chemistry
- Module 5 Physical chemistry and transition elements

# What can this course lead to?

solving nature of the course.

An A level in chemistry is an essential criteria for many the formany degree subjects including medicine, pharmacy, veterinary science, chemistry, biochemistry, chemical engineering and geology. But it will also open the door to many other career choices due to the problem

### Course Entry Requirements:

Grade 7 in Chemistry or 77 in combined science

Board: OCR

## **Teachers:**

Mrs Bradshaw-Smith, Mr Hamzij, Mrs Myers Miss Stanway

"I believe chemistry is a good A level choice as the course investigates everyday uses, from our scented perfumes to nail polish remover. Our surroundings all follow the concepts of basic chemistry and can be an interesting and useful tool for a variety of jobs to understand the foundations of various materials" Janet Yr13



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