| Lesson | Summary of content | Date |
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| 1 | Circuit symbols. <br> Read page 60 physics 9-1 CGP book <br> Copy and learn off by heart all of the circuit symbols Draw these circuits : <br> - a bulb, 2 cells and a closed switch <br> - battery, resistor and a fuse <br> - 3 cells, 3 bulbs and a variable resistor <br> - | September |
| 2 | Electric charge and current. Read page 61-62 physics 9-1 CGP book. Copy the first 2 paragraphs and figure 4. <br> Copy QIT triangle <br> Copy and learn this the equation off by heart. <br> charge flow $=$ current $\times$ time $[Q=I t]$ <br> charge flow, Q , in coulombs, C <br> current, $I$, in amperes, A (amp is acceptable for ampere) <br> time, $t$, in seconds, s <br> Answer Q page 62 |  |
| 3+4 | Resistance <br> 1. Read page $63-64$ physics $9-1$ CGP book. Copy the first 2 paragraphs and example pg 63. <br> 2. <br> 3. Learn off by heart the equation below ```potential dif ference }=\mathrm{ current }\times\mathrm{ resistance [V=IR]``` potential difference, $V$, in volts, $V$ current, $I$, in amperes, A (amp is acceptable for ampere) resistance, $R$, in ohms, $\Omega$ |  |
| 5 | Resistance Complete the worksheet 1. If you are stuck complete lesson 3 and 4 above. |  |
| 6 | Required Prac 3: <br> investigate the factors affecting the resistance of electrical circuits. How does the length of a wire affect resistance? <br> Complete worksheet 2-graph paper also needed. |  |


| 7 | Light Dependent resistors- LDR's and thermistors Read page 80 physics 9-1 CGP book. Copy the symbol for an LDR and the graph Repeat for a thermistor. Make notes and answer Q page 82 | October |
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| 8 | IV characteristics <br> Read page 65-67physics $9-1$ CGP book. Copy figure $3,6,8$ and 10 <br> Make notes on what a diode is and its circuit symbol <br> Answer Q |  |
| 9+10 | Series circuits <br> Read page 68-71 physics 9-1 CGP book. <br> Make notes and copy diagrams for the following sectios: <br> $\checkmark$ Components in series <br> $\checkmark$ Potential difference in a series circuit <br> $\checkmark$ Current in a series circuit <br> $\checkmark$ Resistance in a series circuit <br> Copy the summary box <br> Answer Q |  |
| $11+12$ | Parallel circuits <br> Read page 72-75 physics 9-1 CGP book. <br> Make notes and copy diagrams for the following section: <br> $\checkmark$ Components in parallel <br> $\checkmark$ Potential difference in a parallel circuit <br> $\checkmark$ Current in a parallel circuit <br> $\checkmark$ Resistance in a parallel circuit <br> Copy the summary box <br> Answer Q | November |
| 13 | Resistance in parallel and series circuit - required practical Read page 77-79 physics 9-1 CGP book. <br> Make notes and copy diagrams. <br> Answer the application Q |  |
| 14 | Electricity in the home <br> Read page 86-87 physics 9-1 CGP book. <br> Make notes and answer the fact recall Q |  |
| 15 | Wiring a plug <br> Read page 124-125. Exploring science 7 <br> Make notes on fuses. Copy the circuit diagram with a fuse. <br> Draw and label a plug and answer Q |  |
| 16 | Energy transfers in appliances. <br> Read page 88-89 physics 9-1 CGP book. Make notes and copy the worked example on page 89 | December |


|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { energy transferred }=\text { power } \times \text { time } \\ & {[E=P t]} \\ & \text { energy transferred }=\text { charge flow } \times \text { potential dif ference } \\ & {[E=Q V]} \end{aligned}$ <br> Learn these equations off by heart. Recall and apply them. <br> Power - Explain how the power of a circuit device is related to: <br> - the potential difference across it and the current through it <br> - the energy transferred over a given time. |  |
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| $17+18$ | Power, potential difference and current <br> Read page 90 physics 9-1 CGP book. <br> Learn these equations off by heart including their units. Recall and apply them. $\begin{aligned} & \text { power }=\text { potential dif ference } \times \text { current } \\ & {[P=V I]} \\ & \text { power }=(\text { current })^{2} \times \text { resistance } \\ & {\left[P=I^{2} R\right]} \end{aligned}$ <br> Lesson 17 - answer all the questions on page 91. Copy the question and show the full workings. Mark them using the answers at the back of the book. |  |
| 19 | The National grid <br> Read page 92-93 physics 9-1 CGP book. <br> Copy figure 1 and label the different parts that make up the National grid. <br> Make notes and answer Q <br> STRETCH: Complete exam style Q on page 95. |  |
| 20 | Density - The density of a material is defined by the equation: <br> density = mass / volume <br> Read page 96-97 physics 9-1 CGP book. <br> Copy the example showing how to calculate density. Copy the diagrams showing the 3 states of matter. Make notes on the properties of solids, liquids and gases. |  |
| 21 | Required Prac 5: Read page 98 physics $9-1$ CGP book. <br> Write a method detailing how to find the density of a regular and irregular sized object | January |
| 22 | Density consolidation <br> Read page 96-98 physics 9-1 CGP book. Make notes on any sections you still don't understand <br> Answer the fact recall and application questions. |  |
| 23 | Recap of learning so far and revision. Use the fold in half sheets to test yourself . LOOK, COVER and CHECK!! |  |

## WORKSHEET 1: Calculating Resistance



Resistance can be calculated from the formula resistance = voltage/current.
Resistance is measured in Ohms ( $\Omega$ )

## Easy questions

1. The voltage across a lamp is 12 V and the current through the lamp is 2 A . What is the resistance of the lamp?
2. The current through an ipad is 0.1 A and the voltage of its power supply is 12 V . What is the resistance of the ipad?

## Medium questions

3. The resistance of a thermistor is $34 \Omega$ and the current through it is 0.3 A . What is the voltage across the thermistor?
4. The voltage across an $50 \Omega$ resistor is 6 V . What is the current through the resistor?

## Hard questions

5. The resistance of an ipod shuffle is $3 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ and the current through it is 4 mA . What is voltage of its power source?
6. The voltage across a woman when she is struck by lightning is 33 MV and the resistance of a human being is around $1 \mathrm{k} \Omega$. What current flows through the woman?

## Very difficult question

7. The charge on one electron is $1.6 \times 10^{-19}$ Coulombs. The electron beam in an oscilloscope has $3.4 \times 10^{7}$ electrons flowing per second and the accelerating voltage is 15 kV . What is the effective resistance of the space the electrons flow through?

Can you now write 4 questions of your own (easy/medium/hard/very difficult)?

## WORKSHEET 2: RESISTANCE REQUIRED PRACTICAL

## Results:

1. Copy the table and calculate the mean
2. Copy and label the circuit diagram
3. Name the independent (what was changed), dependent ( what was measured) and control variables ( what was kept the same)
4. Draw a line graph. Length of wire $=x$ axis and mean resistance ( y axis)

5. Write a conclusion

| Length of wire /cm | Test $1 / \Omega$ | Test $2 / \Omega$ | Test $3 / \Omega$ | Mean Resistance $/ \Omega$ |
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| 20 | 3.1 | 3.4 | 3.2 |  |
| 40 | 5.9 | 6.0 | 6.2 |  |
| 60 | 9.3 | 9.2 | 9.0 |  |
| 80 | 12.4 | 12.2 | 12.4 |  |
| 100 | 15.7 | 15.4 | 19.2 |  |

