



11th-18th October
How can you
get involved?

<p>Saturday 11th – Sunday 12th October</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Write an Ode to Physiology</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Win a Kindle Fire by writing a poem about one of the physiological processes e.g. digestion, respiration, circulation - starting with:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">How does my body work, how do I live? Let's look inside, a clue it may give! I breathe, I digest, my heart pumps in my chest, I see, I hear, my taste buds impress. Let's pick just one process to explore, This will be fun, of this I am sure!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">You can enter the competition yourself by writing a maximum of 200 words (excluding the introduction above) going to http://www.physoc.org/ode-physiology</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Please also email a copy of your poem to Ms Russell at russell@aggs.trafford.sch.uk so we can display our AGGS entries in the Biology department</p>	<p>11-16 yr olds</p>
<p>Monday 13th October</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Great Biology Bake Off</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Bring in a cake that represents a cell, organ or other physiological delight!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">All cakes will be entered into a national competition where you can win a £50 Amazon voucher and there will be prizes for the best at AGGS too!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Entries will be sold to the teachers in the staffroom on Tuesday and all money raised will be added to the Macmillan coffee morning charity money.</p>	<p>All welcome 12.30 in L5</p>
<p>Tuesday 14th October</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>STEM Careers Talk: Radiotherapy</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Meet Cath Gordon (admissions tutor and lecturer) from the University of Liverpool to hear more about cancer treatment and a career in radiotherapy.</p>	<p>All welcome 12.30 in L6</p>
<p>Tuesday 14th October</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Dissection Masterclass</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Not for the faint-hearted! Dissect a rat or a frog with the help of the Biology department. Places are strictly limited – please see the notice board outside L3 for more information and to sign up.</p>	<p>Y10 - 13 From 3.30 – 5.00 pm in L5</p>

Wednesday 15th October	<u>Year 7 – 9 Biology Quiz</u> Get in a team of 4 and sign up for the Biology Quiz. A range of weird and wonderful questions await you and your team!	Y7 – Y9 12.30 in L6
Wednesday 15th October	<u>Talk: The Wildlife of Costa Rica</u> If you have always wanted to go to a rainforest, come and hear more about what the animals and plants were really like in Costa Rica (and see Ms Russell's holiday pics!)	All welcome From 3.30 – 4.30 pm in L6
Thursday 16th October	<u>STEM Club: Biology Special</u> Let Year 12 amaze you with a range of exciting biological activities	Y7 – Y9 12.30 in L1
Thursday 16th October	<u>Talk: Biology Careers</u> Do you love Biology but don't know what jobs it might lead to? Come and meet Jason Burke, a PhD student at Manchester who will give an insight into all the many careers (besides medicine and dentistry) that might suit you if you love Biology!	Y10 – Y13 12.30 in L6
Thursday 16th October	<u>Talk: Engineers vs. Cancer</u> Jason Burke will explain how engineering and the physical sciences are being used to combat diseases like cancer in current research.	All welcome From 3.30 – 4.30 pm in L6
Friday 17th October	<u>Year 10-13 Biology Quiz</u> Get in a team of 4 and sign up for the Biology Quiz. A range of weird and wonderful questions await you and your team!	Y10 – Y13 12.30 in L6
Friday 17th October	<u>Photography Competition Deadline</u> Brighten the walls of the Biology department with a photo of the nature that surrounds us that we might miss in our busy school days. Take a picture on your phone and email it to bintliff@aggs.trafford.sch.uk throughout the week.	All welcome Deadline for entries 3.30 on Friday
Friday 17th October	<u>Cafe Scientifique Biology Special:</u> <u>Ebola: Time to Panic?</u> STEM Ambassador Nia Faulder will help you discover some of the facts about the current Ebola virus outbreak in West Africa, including how the disease is spread and treated. This will be followed by a guided discussion, considering some of the medical, ethical and social issues surrounding the containment and treatment of this disease. Can 21st century science prevail, or is it time to panic?!	Y10 – Y13 From 3.30 – 4.45 pm in L6