## SYLLABUS UPDATE

## IGCSE COMBINED SCIENCE SYLLABUS 0653

Please note the following amendments to the 2014 syllabus.

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### 3.1 Aims

1. to provide a worthwhile educational experience for all candidates, through well-designed studies of experimental and practical science. In particular, candidates' studies should enable them to acquire understanding and knowledge of the concepts, principles and applications of biology, chemistry and physics and, where appropriate, other related sciences so that they may

- become confident citizens in a technological world, able to take an informed interest in matters of scientific importance
- recognise both the usefulness and limitations of scientific method, and appreciate its applicability in other disciplines and in everyday life
- be suitably prepared to embark upon certain post-16 science-dependent vocational courses and studies


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### 7.3 Progression

Cambridge IGCSE Certificates are general qualifications that enable candidates to progress either directly to employment, or to proceed to further qualifications.

