

## General Enquiries

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## T Level Science - Technical: Laboratory Sciences

Location	Stockport College
Course Type	College 16-18
Department	Science & Pharmacy
Start Date	Monday 1st September 2025
Course Code	SFP-SC3T-1100

### Course Overview

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If you want a career in Laboratory Science, then this is your opportunity to enrol on this new generation of qualifications that offer an attractive, technical alternative to studying three different A Levels. This exciting two-year course has been designed with employers to provide you with the knowledge and skills needed to work within the science sector.

The T Level has a mixture of technical knowledge and industry work placement to provide you with the skills and experience you need to start your science career. This is a great opportunity for you to work alongside professionals, become part of a team and develop your skills to put the theory you learn into practice.

### Course Requirements

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Grade 5 in GCSE maths and Science plus 3 GCSE's at Grade 4 (including English Language).

### What You Will Learn

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These Level 3 technical qualifications provide learners with the knowledge, skills and behaviours needed to progress into skilled employment or higher-level technical training or study in the health and science sector. The core knowledge and understanding are assessed through an examination and core skills through a practical employer-set project. In addition to this, maths, English, and general digital skills will be integrated within the qualification in occupationally relevant contexts.

## Assessment

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Learners are assessed using a combination of external exams, coursework style assignments and an employer based project.

Core component:

1. Paper A written examination
2. Paper B written examination
3. Employer-set project

Occupational specialism component

1. Synoptic assignments

## Progression

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After successfully completing this course you will be able to progress onto an undergraduate degree course in forensic science, biology, chemistry or similar. You may also choose to progress to a higher level Apprenticeship, or go into employment within a laboratory setting.

## Career Options

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The skills developed in this qualification can lead to employment in companies across a wide range of sectors, or self-employment if looking to start your own business.

## Mandatory Units

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Learners will study a variety of topics including Working within the health and science sector, Health and Safety, Ethics, Scientific Methodology & Data Handling , Scientific and Clinical practice, Biology, Chemistry and Physics.

Core component:

1. Route core component
2. Pathway core component

Occupational specialism components:

1. Technical: Laboratory Sciences

## Contact Details

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