

Biology for Leaving Certificate

Biology is the study of living things and over the course of 2 years Biology students have the opportunity to explore a variety of areas including:

- Animal and Plant Anatomy and Physiology
- Genetics
- Ecology

The Leaving Certificate Biology course (for examination in June 2027) consists of the following:

Biology in Practice Investigation (project) worth 40% of the overall grade & a written examination (Higher or Ordinary) at the end of the 2 year course worth 60% of the overall grade.

The format of the Leaving Certificate Biology exam consists of 1 mandatory question & a choice of answering any 5 questions from the remaining 6.

All questions carry equal marks & the exam is 2 hours 30 minutes in length.

[Biology PPT.pptx](#)