Year 11

Transition Tasks - BIOLOGY





Complete this course in which you will learn about the

biology behind cancer.

The biology of cancer

John Hopkins University



Listen to the **Guardian Science** weekly podcast.

Especially interesting covering immunity and COVID-19.

Immunity and COVID-19



Complete this course which is an entertaining and

illuminating exploration into the impact dentistry has on our lives.

Discover Dentistry

The University of Sheffield Available now



Listen to an interview/podcast describing how

Stem cells and cloning Naked scientists



Read this article from a clinical psychologist which

provides practical

ways to overcome whatever life throws your way.

8 tips to help you become more resilient

Ideas TED



Watch this TED talk on Bill Gates discussing

potential problems caused by a pandemic In 2015

The next outbreak? TED talk



Read this article in which evolutionary

biologist Barbara Natterson-Horowitz and

writer Kathryn Bowers make the case for why parents — animal and human — should remain involved in the lives of their full-grown offspring.

Humans aren't the only ones that help out their adult kids

Ideas TED



Listen to this radio programme about how our genes actually work

How do our genes work? Guardian



Read this article from marine scientist Roger Hanlon. In it he explores how the heck

colour-blind cephalopods — octopus, squid and others — achieve such a good colour match when they camouflage (in short: amazing, distributed brains).

Oddballs with high-level intelligence:



Watch this TED talk in

which neuroscientist Robert Sapolsky asks the question:

How can humans be so compassionate and altruistic -- and also so brutal and violent?

The biology of our best and worst selves

TED Talks - Robert Sapolsky

Introduction to animal



Complete this course,

which aims to demystify the ageing process, and learn how

our everyday behaviours are likely to affect our long-term musculoskeletal health.

The science of staying active in old age

The Universities of Leeds, Sheffield and Newcastle



Watch this TED talk about how our consciousness Is a hallucination!

Your brain hallucinates your conscious reality

TED talk



behaviour

Listen to this radio programme which explores all sorts of science-related topics

Complete this course on the

to gain an introduction to

animal behaviour.

(including the Coronavirus).

BBC Inside Science BBC Sounds



medical world.

Watch this TED talk which examines the

pharmaceutical industry and its impact on doctors and the wider

What doctors don't know about the

drugs they prescribe TED Talk – Ben Goldacre



GCSE Consolidation:

You may feel you have gaps in your GCSE studies. The Oak National Academy has online lessons that cover the following topics: Cell biology, Organisation, infection and response, bioenergetics, ecology, homeostasis and response, inheritance, variation and evolution. Oak National academy - KS4 Biology