

Science Transfer Policy

Level Change

A level change in science is defined as:

- Honors Bio \leftrightarrow Core Bio
- Honors Chemistry \leftrightarrow Chemistry
- AP Physics 1 \leftrightarrow Physics

Level changes may be made up to 4 weeks into the trimester with prior approval by both teachers, parents, and department head. The Science Level Change Form must be filled out and signed by all parties.

Students who transfer within the first two weeks of the trimester will be graded only on subsequent work in their new course, but be responsible for all of the content of the course in terms of future tests/quizzes and the final exam.

Students who transfer between 2 and 4 weeks into the trimester will have their grade from the previous course count as 20% of their trimester grade. The grades from their new course will count as 60% of their trimester grade. The final exam will count as 20% of their trimester grade. The student will be responsible for all of the content of the course in terms of future tests/quizzes and the final exam.

Students making a level change at the trimester mark must also fill out the Science Level Change Form.

Course Change

The following are not defined as level changes. These courses do not cover material at the same pace, depth, or sequence. These changes may only be made one week into the trimester.

Chemistry \leftrightarrow Core Chemistry

Physics \leftrightarrow Core Physics