

Biology Week

7-11 October 2024

There are several events that will be running during Biology week between the 7th and 11th October:

(further information on the BioCraft competition and the talk is available on later slides)

- A BioCraft competition! Create a biology-inspired art sculpture from recycled, or other, materials to enter the RSB BioCraft competition (*School entry date Monday 7th October*)
- Online talk and Q&A. Hear what experts do in the fascinating worlds of molecular modelling, coral reef research, and studying wildlife from space. An ideal event for anyone aged 11-19 will highlight the diverse career pathways available within the biosciences. Wednesday 9th October 3.30-4.30pm

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- RSB's 'A to Z of the Biosciences' short films, shining a spotlight on different bioscience careers, returns for a third series launching weekly videos starting in Biology Week.
(links will be shared during Biology Week)
- Year 12 Supercurricular activities. A document with links to super curricular opportunities will be shared during Biology week to Year 12 Teams.



**Find your
future
biosciences
career!**

Biology Week BioCraft Competition

From the very big to the very small: BioCraft entries can take inspiration from the smallest parts of the natural world that only a microscope can see: think cell structures, bacterial colonies and microscopic organisms. Entries could instead feature environments or ecosystems. Art could be based around great savannahs, wide-open plains, the deep oceans or immense rainforests and the huge range of diversity contained within them.

Scientific concepts: Your art could help explain a biological concept, theory or area of biology that particularly interests you. Art can be a great way to visualise something that may seem complex or difficult to understand.



Some examples from previous years...



If you are interested in entering bring your BioCraft entries to Mr Pockson in **Lab S2** at lunchtime on **Monday 7th October** so that he can enter them.

Molecular modelling, coral reef research, and studying wildlife from space: a talk and Q&A with scientists

9 October 2024 | 15:30-16:30

Online via Zoom

Free to attend



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If you are interested in attending this event, please sign up via the Forms document shared via your Biology class Teams:

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=D5fhzWCCt0qiz6HmY_PW2EDZGdpg2PIVDkcXCUhmV6_IUMUYzMEhSQ1pJUkRNVU5EREhGMjFaVzM_yVC4u

Mr Pockson will give further details of the arrangements and venue closer to the date.