

## **Preliminary Physics**

### Waves

1. Observation of Waves in Slinkies, Water and Ropes
2. Measuring Frequency and Amplitude electronically
3. Identifying the Relationship between Frequency and Wavelength of a Sound Wave
4. Wave Patterns on a CRO for a variety of Sounds
5. Superposition using a CRO or similar
6. The Inverse Square Law of Light
7. Graphing the Angle of Incidence and Angle of Refraction at an Interface and Refractive Index

### Electricity

8. Relationship between Voltage and Current in a Circuit
9. Variation in Electrical Potential around a Circuit
10. Investigating Series and Parallel Circuits
11. Construction of a Model of Household Circuits
12. The relationship between Voltage, Current and Power for a Heating Element
13. Making an Electromagnet
14. Mapping Lines of Force for (a) bar magnets (b) Current Carrying Wires and (c) Solenoids.

### Moving About

15. Measuring the Average Speed of a Vehicle
16. Vector Addition and Subtraction
17. Newtons 2<sup>nd</sup> law
18. Momentum and Collisions

### Cosmic Engine

19. Penetrating Power of  $\alpha$   $\beta$   $\gamma$  Radiations

## HSC Physics

### Space

1. Determination of  $g$  using a Pendulum or Data Logger
2. Analysis of Projectile Motion
3. Inertial and non Inertial Frames of reference
4. Analysis of 2 Thought Experiments.

### Motors and Generators

5. Demonstration of the Motor effect
6. Production of a Current by Moving a Magnet in a Coil
7. How Current is affected by other factors
8. Production of Alternating Current
9. Making a transformer
10. Induction Motors

### Ideas to Implementation

11. Striation Patterns in a Vacuum Tube
12. Cathode ray Tubes demo
13. Production and Reception of Radio Waves
14. Modelling of Semi Conductors
15. Superconductivity and Levitation