

# GRADE 10 PHYSICS SCHEMES OF WORK FOR TERM 1

NAME OF THE TEACHER:.....

SCHOOL:..... YEAR:.....

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1	1	1.0 Mechanics and Thermal Physics	1.1 Introduction to Physics	By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Explain the meaning of Physics as a body of knowledge in science <sup>2</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Work with others to search for the meaning of Physics as a branch of science <sup>3</sup> .	How is Physics relevant in day to day life? <sup>4</sup>	2024 Senior School Curriculum Design, Physics Learner's Book, Digital devices, Internet.	Oral questions, Written quizzes.	
	2			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Describe the main branches of Physics as a field of study <sup>5</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Discuss with peers the main branches of Physics (mechanics, electricity, thermodynamics, etc.) <sup>6</sup> .		Charts showing branches of Physics, Physics Learner's Book.	Checklists, Oral discussion.	
	3			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Outline the importance of Physics in day-to-day life <sup>7</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Discuss with peers the importance of Physics in day-to-day life and share findings with the class <sup>8</sup> .		Digital devices, Physics Learner's Book, Video clips.	Oral presentation, Observation schedule.	
	4			By the end of the lesson, the learner should	The learner is guided to: Discuss with peers the relationship of		Physics Learner's	Written questions,	

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				be able to: Relate Physics to other fields of study <sup>9</sup> .	Physics with other fields of study (e.g., Biology, Geography, Chemistry) <sup>10</sup> .		Book, Concept maps.	Peer assessment.	
2	1	1.0 Mechanics and Thermal Physics	1.1 Introduction to Physics	By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Identify possible career opportunities in the field of Physics <sup>11</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Engage resource person(s) or use print/non-print media to search for information on career opportunities <sup>12</sup> .		Resource person, Career pamphlets, Digital devices.	Oral questions, Checklists.	
	2			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Create career charts highlighting areas related to Physics <sup>13</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Design, produce, and present career charts highlighting areas related to Physics <sup>14</sup> .		Manila papers, Markers, Glue, Pictures.	Project assessment, Portfolio.	
	3		1.2 Pressure	By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Describe atmospheric pressure as used in physics <sup>15</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Discuss with peers the meaning of atmospheric pressure <sup>16</sup> .	How does density of fluid affect pressure? <sup>17</sup>	2024 Senior School Curriculum Design, Physics Learner's Book.	Oral questions, Written definition.	
	4			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Demonstrate	The learner is guided to: Carry out activities to demonstrate the existence of atmospheric pressure in		Tin cans, Heat source, Water, Crushing can apparatus.	Observation, Checklists.	

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				the existence of atmospheric pressure in nature <sup>18</sup> .	nature (e.g., crushing can experiment) <sup>19</sup> .				
3	1	1.0 Mechanics and Thermal Physics	1.2 Pressure	By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Investigate the effect of density on pressure in fluids <sup>20</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Carry out activities to investigate how the density of a fluid affects pressure <sup>21</sup> .	How does density affect pressure in fluid? <sup>22</sup>	Liquids of different densities, Manometers, Measuring cylinders.	Lab reports, Observation schedule.	
	2			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Investigate the effect of depth on pressure in fluids <sup>23</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Carry out activities to investigate how depth below the free surface affects pressure in fluids <sup>24</sup> .	How does depth affect pressure in fluid? <sup>25</sup>	Tall cylinders, Water, Pressure sensors/gauges .	Lab reports, Oral questions.	
	3			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Derive the equation $P = \rho gh$ for pressure in fluids <sup>26</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Carry out experiments/derivations to derive the equation $P = \rho gh$ to determine pressure in fluid <sup>27</sup> .		Physics Learner's Book, Whiteboard, Notebooks.	Written derivation, Calculations.	
	4			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Apply the equation	The learner is guided to: Use the equation to solve numerical problems involving density, gravity, and height <sup>29</sup> .		Calculator, Worksheets, Physics Learner's Book.	Written tests, Homework.	

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				$P = \rho gh$ to determine pressure in fluids <sup>28</sup> .					
4	1	1.0 Mechanics and Thermal Physics	1.2 Pressure	By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Demonstrate transmission of pressure in fluids <sup>30</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Carry out activities to demonstrate the principle of transmission of pressure in fluids (Pascal's Principle) <sup>31</sup> .		Pascal's vases, Syringes, Tubing, Water.	Observation, Oral discussion.	
	2			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Relate transmission of pressure to the fluid pressure formula <sup>32</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Discuss with peers the transmission of pressure in fluid and relate it with the fluid pressure formula <sup>33</sup> .		Physics Learner's Book, Digital simulation.	Written questions, Peer review.	
	3			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Discuss the application of pressure in hydraulic machines <sup>34</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Discuss with peers the applications of pressure in fluids specifically in hydraulic machines <sup>35</sup> .		Diagrams of hydraulic systems, Video clips.	Oral questions, Checklists.	
	4			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Solve problems	The learner is guided to: Apply knowledge of pressure transmission to solve numerical tasks regarding hydraulic lifts and brakes <sup>37</sup> .		Worksheets, Calculators.	Written assessment.	

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				involving hydraulic machines <sup>36</sup> .					
5	1	1.0 Mechanics and Thermal Physics	1.2 Pressure	By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Explain the working mechanism of a drinking straw and syringe <sup>38</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Use print or non-print media to search for information on the applications of atmospheric pressure in drinking straws and syringes <sup>39</sup> .		Drinking straws, Syringes, Beakers, Water.	Observation, Oral explanation.	
	2			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Describe the operation of a siphon <sup>40</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Set up a simple siphon and explain how atmospheric pressure enables the transfer of liquid <sup>41</sup> .		Rubber tubes, Beakers, Water at different levels.	Practical assessment, Lab report.	
	3			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Explain the working mechanism of a bicycle pump <sup>42</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Dismantle or observe a bicycle pump to understand how valves and pressure work together <sup>43</sup> .		Bicycle pump, Diagrams.	Checklists, Oral questions.	
	4			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Describe mechanisms of water pumping <sup>44</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Search for information on mechanisms of water pumping (e.g., lift pump, force pump) and discuss with peers <sup>45</sup> .		Charts of pumps, Digital devices.	Written description, Sketches.	

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6	1	1.0 Mechanics and Thermal Physics	1.3 Mechanical Properties of Materials	By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Explain the properties of ductility and malleability <sup>46</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Discuss with peers and carry out activities to demonstrate ductility and malleability of locally available materials <sup>47</sup> .	Why is it important to study mechanical properties? <sup>48</sup>	Wires, Metal sheets, Hammer, Physics Learner's Book.	Observation, Oral questions.	
	2			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Demonstrate the properties of elasticity and brittleness <sup>49</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Carry out activities to demonstrate elasticity (springs/rubber) and brittleness (chalk/glass) <sup>50</sup> .		Springs, Rubber bands, Chalk, Glass rod.	Checklist, Practical log.	
	3			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Explain strength, hardness, and stiffness of materials <sup>51</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Carry out activities to compare strength, hardness, and stiffness of different locally available materials <sup>52</sup> .		Stones, Wood, Metal bars, Scratch tests.	Oral discussion, Written summary.	
	4			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Investigate the relationship between tensile force and extension (Hooke's Law) <sup>53</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Carry out activities to determine the relationship between tensile force and extension (constant of elasticity) <sup>54</sup> .	Why does a string snap easily compared to a spring? <sup>55</sup>	Retort stands, Springs, Masses, Rulers.	Graph plotting, Lab report.	

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9	1	1.0 Mechanics and Thermal Physics	1.3 Mechanical Properties of Materials	By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Appreciate the importance of mechanical properties in day-to-day life <sup>64</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Discuss and present on why specific materials are chosen for specific tasks (e.g., bridges, car bodies) based on properties <sup>65</sup> .		Pictures of structures, Real-life objects.	Oral discussion, Reflection journal.	
	2		1.4 Temperature and Thermal Expansion	By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Explain the meaning of temperature and its units <sup>66</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Discuss the meaning of temperature and the SI and common units used <sup>67</sup> .		Physics Learner's Book.	Oral questions.	
	3			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Measure temperature using liquid expansion devices <sup>68</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Carry out activities to measure temperature using liquid-in-glass thermometers <sup>69</sup> .		Laboratory thermometers, Water baths (warm/cold).	Practical observation.	
	4			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Describe temperature measurement using bimetallic devices and	The learner is guided to: Use digital media to search for information on bimetallic strips and thermocouples <sup>71</sup> .		Bimetallic strips, Digital resources, Videos.	Written descriptions.	



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				thermocouples <sup>70</sup> .					
10	1	1.0 Mechanics and Thermal Physics	1.4 Temperature and Thermal Expansion	By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Describe advanced temperature measurement technologies <sup>72</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Search for information on resistive temperature devices (RTDs), thermistors, and infrared radiators <sup>73</sup> .		Digital devices, Internet.	Research notes, Oral sharing.	
	2			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Investigate thermal expansion in solids <sup>74</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Carry out activities to demonstrate thermal expansion in solids (e.g., ball and ring experiment) <sup>75</sup> .	Why does a lid of a sufuria made wider? <sup>76</sup>	Ball and ring apparatus, Burners.	Observation, Checklists.	
	3			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Determine linear expansivity of metals <sup>77</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Perform experiments to determine linear expansivity of metals like iron, steel, or copper <sup>78</sup> .		Expansion apparatus, Metal rods, Micrometers.	Lab report, Calculations.	
	4			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Investigate thermal expansion in fluids <sup>79</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Perform experiments to demonstrate thermal expansion in liquids and gases <sup>80</sup> .		Flasks, Glass tubes, Colored water, Balloons.	Observation, Oral explanation.	
11	1	1.0 Mechanics	1.4 Temperature	By the end of the lesson, the	The learner is guided to: Discuss the	Why does a glass bottle	Graphs of water density	Written explanation.	

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		and Thermal Physics	and Thermal Expansion	learner should be able to: Explain the unusual expansion of water <sup>81</sup> .	anomalous expansion of water and its ecological significance (ice floating) <sup>82</sup> .	break when water freezes? <sup>83</sup>	vs temp, Physics Learner's Book.		
	2			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Describe applications of thermal expansion: Thermostats <sup>84</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Discuss the application of thermal expansion in thermostats used in electrical devices <sup>85</sup> .		Real thermostats (if available), Diagrams.	Oral questions.	
	3			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Describe applications of thermal expansion in construction <sup>86</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Search for information on expansion joints in bridges, power lines, and railway tracks <sup>87</sup> .		Pictures of bridges/railwa ys, Digital devices.	Case study analysis.	
	4			By the end of the lesson, the learner should be able to: Appreciate the applications of thermal expansion in day-to-day life <sup>88</sup> .	The learner is guided to: Summarize various applications including flash light/indicator systems and metal work <sup>89</sup> .		Posters, Charts.	Portfolio, Peer presentation.	
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