## **High School & Sixth Form**



## Upper 3 pupils go back to basics!



As the final summer term begins, Upper 3 pupils have returned to the chemistry lab with a focus on practical skills. Having reviewed their summer exam papers and tackled any lingering misconceptions, they've now gone back to basics - this time, with Bunsen burner safety at the centre.

Rather than heating water, pupils revisited the core steps they first learned when earning their Bunsen burner licences. They practised setting up safely, identifying different flame types and their purposes, and handling the burner with care. Emergency procedures were also covered, reinforcing the importance of staying calm and prepared in the lab.

It's a timely refresher and a reminder that confidence in chemistry begins with mastering the essentials!

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