



# Inter House Quiz



Answer all the questions on the sheet!

## Ms Simms Science Week Quiz

QUESTIONS		ANSWERS
1	Which great painter was also a famous inventor?	
2	Name one of Thomas Edison's inventions	
3	In 1928, Alexander Fleming discovered that mould contained properties that could kill bacteria. This led to the invention of which lifesaving drug?	
4	In 1786, Dr Edward Jenner discovered vaccination in its modern form. Which was one of the first diseases that people were vaccinated against?	
5	Why does a helium filled balloon float?	
6	Name a renewable energy resource	
7	What is the name of the second biggest planet in our solar system?	
8	A magnifying glass is what type of lens?	
9	In which city would you find the world's tallest building?	
10	Which famous Victorian engineer built the Great Western Railway and the Clifton suspension bridge in Bristol?	
11	The world's first cast iron arch bridge can be found in Shropshire. Which river does it span?	
12	The American Society of Civil Engineers has compiled a list of the seven wonders of the modern world. Name one of them.	
13	What colour does an acid turn litmus paper?	
14	K is the chemical symbol for which element?	
15	Which allotropic element connects graphite with diamond?	
16	What does an atom consist of?	
17	Name the process where plants convert light energy into chemical energy.	
18	Which famous scientist introduced the idea of natural selection	
19	What is the human body's biggest organ?	
20	What does an Entomologist study?	

Tie Breaker -

Mr Panesar has 3 favourite elements. What is the sum of their mass numbers?



House Name: .....

Tutor Group: .....

Date: .....

