Combined Science - Biology - Key Stage 4 Bioenergetics

Photosynthesis Required Practical

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Recall Questions:

- 1. What are the three scientific variables?
- 2. What is the variable that you change?
- 3. What is the variable that you measure?
- 4. What is the variable that you keep the same?
- 5. What is a hypothesis?



Independent Practice:

Write a method for a practical that will investigate the effect of temperature on the rate of photosynthesis.



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Complete the results table for a practical that got the following results:

With the lamp at a distance of 10cm (0.1m) from the pondweed, the student counted 26 bubbles of oxygen in 1 minute.

Moving the lamp to 20cm, the student repeated the experiment and counted 25 bubbles in 1 minute.

At 30cm, 21 bubbles were counted, at 40cm there were 15 bubbles and at 50 cm (0.5m) there were 8 bubbles.

