Prior Leaning: This unit lin		ss to 7E-Diffusion, 7A Cells and 8C Breathing and Respiration				
Lesson Number	Title	Lesson Objectives	Content	Key words	Assessment/Homework	
1	Unicellular vs Multicellular	What are Microorganisms?	 Recall the 7 life processes Explain the difference between unicellular and multicellular organisms Describe what diffusion is Describe the different microorganisms 	 Unicellular Multicellular Eukaryotic & prokaryotic MRS GREN 		
2	Fungi	Why are fungi so useful?	 Describe some common fungal diseases and how they spread Describe how yeast reproduces Explain how yeast is used in brewing and baking 	 Athlete's foot Ringworm Budding Anaerobic respiration Fermentation 		
3 Required practical	Bacteria Required practical	Which cleans my hands better – water or soap?	 Compare the structure of Eukaryotic and Prokaryotic cells Describe how bacteria reproduces Explain how yoghurt and cheese are made Practical skills: Carry out a microbiology practical safely and effectively to achieve valid results. Make careful observations. 	 Binary fission Flagella Aseptic techniques Contamination 		

4	Spread of disease	How do microbes spread disease?	 Describe the ways in which disease can spread Describe the bodies natural defences against pathogens Describe the different methods used to prevent diseases from spreading 	 Pathogen Salmonella Influenza STD Vaccination White blood cells 	20-mark multiple choice quiz			
5	Decomposers	How are microorganisms important in the carbon cycle?	 Describe what decomposers are Explain the importance of decomposers Describe how carbon is recycled by decomposers 	Decay Carbon				
Revision and Test								
 Where we will use these ideas again Year 9 (GCSE) – B1 Cell structure Year 10 (GCSE) – B4 Health and Disease, Microbiology Year 11 (GCSE) – B8 Carbon cycle & decomposers 								