When you arrive in Oxford you should have a thorough knowledge of all the chemistry, maths and if applicable physics, you did in your last two years at school or college. Students who have forgotten material because it was examined more than twelve months ago will find themselves in difficulty.

If possible, the Chemistry Tutors recommend you read a copy of *Why Chemical Reactions Happen* by James Keeler and Peter Wothers (ISBN-13: 978-0199249732) before you start in October.