End Of Year Quiz

- 1. How many neutrons are in an atom of Mg-26?
- 2. A sample of a radioactive isotope has been decaying over time. The half-life of the isotope is five minutes, and at this time there is 1g of the isotope remaining. How many grams of the isotope were present twenty minutes ago?
- 3. An egg of mass 140g is travelling at 2m/s. The egg is brought to a stop in 0.02s. What is the force (in newtons) exerted on the egg?
- 4. A cannon has a mass of 200kg. It fires a ball of mass 12kg at 100m/s. How fast does the cannon recoil?
- 5. A 10N weight is hung from a spring, and the spring extends to a total length of 20cm. 20N more weight is added, and the spring now extends to a total length of 30cm. What is the original length of the spring?
- 6. A 2kg mass is dropped from a tall tower. After it has fallen 22m, how fast is it travelling? (round to a whole number). Ignore air resistance.
- 7. A speaker is tested by leaving it running for a week playing a sound with a constant frequency. In that time, the speaker vibrates backwards and forwards 13,305,600 times. What is the frequency (in hertz) of the sound it has been playing?
- 8. Two mirrors are stood on their edges and placed at 90° to each other, so that when viewed from above they form an L shape:

Light from a ray box is directed towards the mirrors, and strikes one of the mirrors at an angle of incidence of 76°. What is the angle of reflection of the light ray as it leaves the other mirror?