## Condensation Polymerisation

Pre-lesson assignment - Textbook pg 483-485

## Define the following key term

• Condensation polymerisation

## Make notes on condensation polymerisation

*Use the following questions to structure your notes.* 

1. Explain how a polyester can form from a monomer that has an alcohol and carboxylic acid functional group, e.g. lactic acid

- 2. Explain how a polyester can form from two monomers, one dicarboxylic acid and one diol, e.g. Benzene-1,4-dicarboxylic acid and ethan-1,2-diol.
- 3. Explain how amino acids form a polypeptide. Use 'R' to show the different groups of the amino acids.
- 4. Explain how a nylon/a polyamide can be formed from two monomers.