



Bow High School - Course Map

Course Title: Chemistry

Department: Science

Unit Name: Intro to Chemistry

Topics:

- Safety
- Significant figures
- Data analysis and using Sheets and TUVAs
- Dimensional analysis
- Scientific notation
- Lab equipment names and uses
- Measurement review (estimating last digit, using balance and graduated cylinder)
- Writing formal lab reports: Chem Is Try Lab
- Accuracy vs precision (error is not human error)

School Competencies:

- Logical Processing (Problem Solving & Analysis - Foundational)
- Scientific Experimental Design (Problem Solving & Analysis - Advanced)

Course Competencies:

- Scientific Process Skills
- Writing a Formal Lab Report

Formative Assessments:

- Daily Problems
- Equipment inventory
- Lighting a burner
- Intro to the lab lab
- Lemonade lab
- Sig fig lab
- Penny lab/data analysis
- Problem Sets

Summative Assessments:

- [Summative](#)
- [Chem is Try Formal Lab](#)



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Unit Name: Water
Topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ionic bonding• Solubility graph: reading and using as well as how they are made• Solubility as a concept: solutions, solvent and solute (saturated, un and supersaturated)• How to make particle diagrams• Dissolving: like dissolves like; drawing particle diagrams of salts in water• Water wells and water quality• Arsenic, lead, uranium and other contaminants
School Competencies: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Logical Processing (Problem Solving & Analysis - Foundational)• Scientific Experimental Design (Problem Solving & Analysis - Advanced)
Course Competencies: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cause and Effect• Stability and Change• Science Process Skills
Formative Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Daily problems• Solubility races labette• Water testing collection and analysis of results• Water filtration labette• Distillation demonstration• Paper chromatography labette• Column Chromatography labette• Borax crystals labette• POGIL: Ionic naming• Online activities• Balancing equations
Summative Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Summative• Honors: Independent bioassay on effects of arsenic in water



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Unit Name: Chemical Careers
Topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• College or after HS exploration• Funding post secondary education and cost-benefit analysis• Critical review of college choices (using Naviance)• Research a career of choice: day in the life and chemistry involved
School Competencies: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Logical Processing (Problem Solving & Analysis - Foundational)• Scientific Experimental Design (Problem Solving & Analysis - Advanced)
Course Competencies: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chemistry Careers
Formative Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Interview of 3 adults about career choices• College research and report
Summative Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Research paper• College Review



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Unit Name: Chemical Reactions
Topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chemical/physical change• Types of reactions review and add precipitation reactions• ID of unknowns: reactivity, solubility, flame tests• Stoichiometry• Limiting reactants
School Competencies: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Logical Processing (Problem Solving & Analysis - Foundational)• Scientific Experimental Design (Problem Solving & Analysis - Advanced)
Course Competencies: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Structure and Function• Energy and Matter• Writing Formal Lab Reports• Cause and Effect• Science Process Skills
Formative Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chalk lab• Balloon lab• Precipitation Reactions lab (simulated and real)
Summative Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• summative• Formal lab report on reactions lab scale up• Midterm unknown ID lab



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Unit Name: Origin of the Elements
Topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chemical elements are universal• Elements were first formed in big bang• As the universe expanded more and larger elements were formed
School Competencies: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Logical Processing (Problem Solving & Analysis - Foundational)• Scientific Experimental Design (Problem Solving & Analysis - Advanced)
Course Competencies: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Structure and Function• Energy and Matter• Writing Formal Lab Reports• Cause and Effect
Formative Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 3 worksheets on origin of the elements and the periodic table
Summative Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Project



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Unit Name: Atomic Theory and Periodic Table
Topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• History of atomic theory• Intro to quantum mechanics• Probability model of the atom• Electron configuration• Development of periodic table• Different types of periodic table• Trends of the periodic table: mass, val. Electrons, radius, electronegativity, boiling and melting points, metals and nonmetals
School Competencies: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Logical Processing (Problem Solving & Analysis - Foundational)• Scientific Experimental Design (Problem Solving & Analysis - Advanced)
Course Competencies: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Patterns• Scale, Proportion and Quantity
Formative Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Daily problems• Electron config model building• Pattern tiles• Rutherford's gold foil expt simulation• Spectra of gases lab• POGIL: electron config
Summative Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Summative• Atomic HistoryTimeline



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Unit Name: Acids and Bases
Topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Definitions (Arrhenius, Bronsted-Lowry and Lewis)• Net ionic equations• Equilibrium and K (introduced for honors)• Strength• Concentration• Acid/base neutralization reactions• Titrations
School Competencies: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Logical Processing (Problem Solving & Analysis - Foundational)• Scientific Experimental Design (Problem Solving & Analysis - Advanced)
Course Competencies: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Energy and Matter• Structure and Function• Writing Formal Lab Reports• Science Process Skills
Formative Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Daily problems• intro to acids and bases labette• Indicators labette• Titration labette
Summative Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Summative• Titration of an Antacid Formal Lab



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Unit Name: Organic Chemistry
Topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Covalent bonding and covalent compounds• Hydrocarbons: alkanes, alkenes, alkynes• Polymers• Addition and condensation to form polymers• Types of plastics
School Competencies: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Logical Processing (Problem Solving & Analysis - Foundational)• Scientific Experimental Design (Problem Solving & Analysis - Advanced)
Course Competencies: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Structure and Function• Systems and System Models• Science Process Skills• Writing a Formal Lab Report
Formative Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Daily Problems• Modeling polymers activity• Making slime labette• Esters lab• Types of plastic lab, including ID of unknown
Summative Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Plastic Lab (ID of unknown plastic) have not done these since before covid• Summative Exam