

Windsor Locks High School

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Chemistry

Power Standards and Scoring Criteria

1. Connect the relationship between cause and effect to how it impacts the balance of chemical processes.

Student can...	4	3	2	1
1.1: Analyze how different factors affect equilibrium in a chemical reaction	I can predict the impact of changing factors in a chemical reaction	I can analyze how different factors affect equilibrium in a chemical reaction	I can determine if a reaction will go forward or backward using Le Chatelier's Principle	I can identify a factor that would affect equilibrium
1.2: Explain how factors affect physical or chemical properties	I can predict changes in physical and chemical properties based on data	I can explain how factors affect physical or chemical properties	I can calculate or measure physical or chemical properties	I can identify a factors that affects physical or chemical properties

2. Analyze and apply how energy transfers and transforms within and across chemical processes.

Student can...	4	3	2	1
2.1: Calculate or measure the energy transformations within a system	I can defend the claim that energy cannot be destroyed only converted.	I can calculate or measure the energy transformations within a system	I can represent the flow/transfers of energy in a system.	I can classify energy transformations in a system
2.2: Calculate the change in energy within a system is the result of bonds being broken and formed	I can create a representation of the relationship between bonding and energy	I can calculate the change in energy within a system is the result of bonds being broken and formed.	I can describe the energy transfer between the system and the environment	I can identify the bonds that are broken and formed in a chemical reaction.

3. Analyze relationships between structure and function of matter as it applies to chemical systems.

Student can...	4	3	2	1
3.1: Connect atomic structure to the properties of the element	I can predict bonding patterns based on electron configurations	I can connect the atomic structure to the properties of the element	I can describe the atomic structure of an element	I can identify the components of an atom
3.2 Create 2D and 3D structure models of compounds	I can infer the properties of substances based on the structure of electrons	I can create 2D and 3D structure models of compounds	I can determine the chemical formula of a substance based on valence of electrons	I can identify the number of valence electrons in an atom or ion

4. Critique patterns to predict behavior and relationships within chemical systems.

Student can...	4	3	2	1
4.1: Apply mathematical representation to quantify reactants and/or products	I can compare limiting and excess reagents and determine percent yield in chemical reactions	I can apply mathematical representations to quantify reactants and/or products	I can explain how the Law of Conservation of Mass applies to chemical reactions.	I can identify quantities of reactants and products of a chemical reaction
4.2: Apply the periodic table to predict the relative properties and behaviors of elements	I can apply the periodic table in practical and chemical applications	I can use the periodic table to predict the relative properties and behaviors of elements	I can describe a trend on the periodic table	I can identify the trends on the periodic table

5. Design and conduct controlled physical science investigations.

Student can...	4	3	2	1
5.1: I can ask and refine questions to explain natural phenomena.	I can revise my questions based on new information.	I can ask questions to explain phenomena.	I can determine variables involved with phenomena.	I can make observations based off a phenomena.
5.2: I can explain phenomena utilizing relevant information.	I can support my claims with background research.	I can explain phenomena utilizing relevant information.	I can communicate information from various resources.	I can summarize the central idea of a source.
5.3: I can conduct an investigation using a clear, concise procedure.	I can create and conduct an investigation to answer a scientific question.	I can conduct an investigation using a clear, concise procedure.	I can determine the type of data that should be collected during an investigation.	I can identify independent variable, dependent variable, and constants in an investigation.
5.4: I can create an appropriate visual representation of data.	I can manipulate data or make inferences about the data.	I can create an appropriate visual representation of data.	I can make a visual representation of data.	I can collect data.
5.5: I can construct an explanation based on evidence	I can connect my explanation to the real-world.	I can construct an explanation based on evidence.	I can summarize supporting evidence	I can state a claim to answer a scientific question
5.6: I can evaluate the reliability and validity of data sets.	I can identify the causes of error in the investigation..	I can evaluate the reliability and validity of data sets.	I can assess the validity of data sets/	I can identify sources of error within the investigation.
5.7: I can develop models to support explanations, predict phenomena, analyze systems, and/or solve problems.	I can evaluate the merits and limitations of different models in order to select or revise a model that best fits the evidence.	I can develop models that support explanations, predict phenomena, analyze systems, and/or solve problems.	I can use a model to explain phenomena.	I can select an appropriate model to represent a phenomenon
5.8: I can design a solution to a real-world problem.	I can evaluate a solution to a real-world problem based on prioritized criteria and trade-offs.	I can design a solution to a real-world problem.	I can explain why the real-world problem needs to be solved.	I can identify a problem that can be solved.