Unit 1: Chemical Interactions

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Unit Overview

In this unit, students will develop models in order to describe the atomic structures of simple and extended molecules using information within the Periodic Table of Elements. Students will be able to analyze and interpret data of a substance's properties prior to and after a chemical reaction occurs. Students will be able to model in order to demonstrate the law of conservation of mass. Finally students will design and create a device that can absorb or release thermal energy to demonstrate an endothermic and exothermic reaction.

Three Dimensions

Science and Engineering Practices

SCI.6-8.SEP.1	Asking Questions and Defining Problems
SCI.6-8.SEP.2	Developing and Using Models
SCI.6-8.SEP.3	Planning and Carrying Out Investigations
SCI.6-8.SEP.4	Analyzing and Interpreting Data
SCI.6-8.SEP.5	Using Mathematics and Computational Thinking
SCI.6-8.SEP.6	Constructing Explanations and Designing Solutions
SCI.6-8.SEP.7	Engaging in Argument from Evidence
SCI.6-8.SEP.8	Obtaining, Evaluating, and Communicating Information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

PS1.A: Structure and Properties of Matter

- Substances are made from different types of atoms, which combine with one another in various ways. Atoms form molecules that range in size from two to thousands of atoms. (MS-PS1-1)
- Each pure substance has characteristic physical and chemical properties (for any bulk quantity under given conditions) that can be used to identify it. (MS-PS1-2)
- Solids may be formed from molecules, or they may be extended structures with repeating subunits (e.g., crystals). (MS-PS1-1)

PS1.B: Chemical Reactions

• Substances react chemically in characteristic ways. In a chemical process, the atoms that make up the

original substances are regrouped into different molecules, and these new substances have different properties from those of the reactants. (MS-PS1-2),(MS-PS1-5)

- The total number of each type of atom is conserved, and thus the mass does not change. (MS-PS1-5)
- Some chemical reactions release energy, others store energy. (MS-PS1-6)

ETS1.B: Developing Possible Solutions

• A solution needs to be tested, and then modified on the basis of the test results, in order to improve it. (secondary to MS-PS1-6)

ETS1.C: Optimizing the Design Solution

- Although one design may not perform the best across all tests, identifying the characteristics of the design that performed the best in each test can provide useful information for the redesign process—that is, some of the characteristics may be incorporated into the new design. (secondary to MS-PS1-6)
- The iterative process of testing the most promising solutions and modifying what is proposed on the basis of the test results leads to greater refinement and ultimately to an optimal solution. (secondary to MS-PS1-6)

Crosscutting Concepts

Patterns

• Macroscopic patterns are related to the nature of microscopic and atomic-level structure. (MS-PS1-2)

Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• Time, space, and energy phenomena can be observed at various scales using models to study systems that are too large or too small. (MS-PS1-1)

Energy and Matter

- Matter is conserved because atoms are conserved in physical and chemical processes. (MS-PS1-5)
- The transfer of energy can be tracked as energy flows through a designed or natural system. (MS-PS1-6)

Knowledge, Skills, and Assessment

Essential Insights and Understandings/Guiding Questions

Critical Knowledge and Skills

Recommended Activities, Asses

All matter is made up of **Matter is all around us** Activity: Build and draw a scale model to demonstrate size c atoms. Activity: Build and draw a scale model to demonstrate size c to other chosen common objects.

How small is the atom? Are atoms made of smaller things?

Who discovered the first atom?

Who discovered the neutron, electron, and proton?

particles known as atoms. These atoms atomics: protons, electrons, and neutrons. These subof even smaller particles known as quarks.

Skill; SWBAT...

- demonstrate the ability to draw a scale model of an atom compared to other objects that are larger
- draw model of an atom and its subatomic particles, demonstrating that sub-atomic particles are smaller in scale to the atom
- understand the sub-atomic particles are within the atom are the proton(s) and neutron(s), while electron(s) are around the center

consist of even smaller Informal Assessment: Use various teacher made questions t particles known as sub- observations/questioning/discussions, or have students self-a

atomic particles consist Activity: Divide students into small groups. The teacher har with specific dates through time in which an atomic discover (Students keep as notes). Each group is assigned a date in tir After all groups have made a small skit, the class stand in a reads aloud the dates and the groups freeze as the teacher sna Teacher prints out the pictures. Students make small posters created their own Atomic Theory Timeline.

> Final Assessment: Students will be assessed on their ability particles, explain the atomic theory and the causes for advance discoveries regarding the atomic theory and why they are mc evidence is there that matter exists? Assessments will consis questioning/conversations/observations and exit tickets.

A theory in science is a discovery that can be added to over time. The atomic theory discusses the various discoveries throughout history in regards to the atom. It is constantly being added to because of

technological advancements within science such as the invention of new microscopes.

Skill; SWBAT...

- explain what a theory is and how it can change over time when new discoveries are made vs a law that never changes
- understand the importance of technological advancements that have aided in the Atomic Theory
- know when and who discovered the proton, neutron, and electron.

Atoms are composed of subatomic particles placed in specific locations.

The Periodic Table of Elements contains information about elements and its atoms

What information does the Periodic Table of Elements contain about the number of subatomic particles? How can the number of electrons, protons, and neutrons be determined? What are the locations of the sub-atomic

Elements contains information about elements and its atoms. The information within each element box contains the symbol, atomic number, and atomic mass. This information can be used to determine the

particle numbers.
Each of these particles has a charge. Atoms are held together by charges: protons are positive, electrons are

elements sub-atomic

Activity: Teacher will use a model, presentation, interactives atomic particles. Students will then be given examples of va and numbers of each sub-atomic particle.

Activity: Using worksheets, communicator boards, or whitel the Bohr model with the correct number of subatomic particl

Activity: Create an Atom using Mallows. Students will be d specific element on the periodic table. Using their knowledge mallows, toothpicks, and highlighter) they must create a 3-D assesses each group when complete by observing the model, and location of sub-atomic particles. Class does a walk through

particles?

How can one make a model of an atom with all its sub-atomic particles?

negative, and neutrons are neutral. Neutrons and protons are held in the middle of the atom while electrons float around the nucleus in energy levels. A Bohr Model is a model of an atom that shows the correct number of subatomic particles and proper placement by using the information on the Periodic Table of Elements.

Skill; SWBAT...

- determine
 placement of
 particles and
 charges using a
 Bohr Model of a
 given element
 (any element)
- determine placement of electrons by creating Lewis Dot Diagrams
- model the structure of an atom either through 2-dimensional drawing or 3-dimensional modeling
- understand the scale of the subatomic particles (electrons are smallest within the nucleus while the neutrons and protons are larger surrounding the nucleus)
- determine the correct number of subatomic

negative, and neutrons Resource: Copy of the Periodic Table of Elements (paper or

Informal Assessment: Use teacher made questions to assess observations/questioning/discussions, or have students self-a

Formal Assessment: Using a teacher made assessment or or Bohr Models using the information found on the periodic tab on how they determined the number for each element. *Note numbers as students will spend too much time drawing electrons.

Activity: Students should take notes on the Lewis Dot Diagr and how to determine the number of dots to be placed (group the transition metals Lewis Dot Structures.

Activity/Assessment: Using communicator boards or small board markers) teacher will ask students to draw the Lewis I students by keeping a log on student progress. The teacher c independence, the teacher can pair students up to do a timed

Activity: Worksheets developed by teacher, found online, or

Final Assessment: Students will be assessed on their ability Dot using the Periodic Table of Elements.

particles of any element on the periodic table

Atoms interact with one Atoms interact when another during a chemical reaction by creating a bond.

What occurs when a non-metal interacts with and create table salt. a metal? How can an ionic bond be modeled? stable and fulfill their what are the characteristics of an ionic compound?

atom. For example Sodium (Na) and Chlorine (Cl) come together during what is notebook. known as an ionic bond Atoms want to become

outer shell known as the octet rule (8 valence electrons). In order to sometimes complete this, atoms may give away their electrons to another atom so all atoms involved are now stable. When two atoms transfer electrons this is called an ionic bond and the product is an ionic compound. Atoms with 5, 6, or 7 valence electrons usually become more stable when this number increases to 8! (octet rule) whereas Atoms with 1, 2, or 3 can lose electrons to become more stable. These numbers match up for example an element with 7 valence electrons will bond with an element that

has 1 valence electron. When an atom gains or loses (transfers) an electron(s) it becomes an ion. An ion is an atom with a charge. An atom that loses an

electron becomes

Activity: Students should take notes on the Ionic Bonds and they bond with another ionic bond is, what elements form ionic bonds according to t valence electron number, description of an ion, and charges an ionic bond and the steps involved. Notes can be taught us notebook, or blackboard. Notes can be guided, taken in stud

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Activity: Gizmo Ionic Bonds

https://www.explorelearning.com/index.cfm?ResourceID=51

Students will simulate ionic bonds between a variety of meta nonmetal atom, and transfer electrons from one to the other. electrons on charge, and rearrange the atoms to represent the nonmetal atoms can be added to the screen, and the resulting complete a step by step guide on how to manipulate the onlir charts, develop hypothesis, and answer questions. Can be dc Teacher can set up each class and students use a code to be a completion. Extension/assessment is done at the end and tea positive because it got rid of a negative electron and an atom that gains an electron becomes negative. **Ionic Bonds have** specific characteristics such as good conductors when dissolved, brittle, crystal like shape, and have a high melting point. They conduct because the electrons are free to flow from one atom to another. An ionic bond occurs between a metal and a non-metal.

Skill; SWBAT

- demonstrate how an ionic bond is formed by modeling between two or more given elements using Lewis Dot Diagrams, circles, arrows, and ionic formulas with charges
- know that an ionic bond occurs between two atoms by the transfer of electrons and be able to provide an example
- understand and model that a substance can conduct electricity when dissolved in water is

determined to be ionic because electrons are moving (free to flow) from one atom to another.

What occurs when a non-metal? How can an atoms share their covalent bond be modeled? What are the characteristics of an covalent compound?

Sometimes instead of non-metal reacts with a transferring electrons, which atoms or a group of atoms share electron(s) is a covalent bond. This type of bond occurs between a non-metal and a nonmetal. In order to model this, a Lewis Dot Diagram is drawn for two dots within a circle, a straight line a bond or sharing of two electrons.

Wherever the sharing occurs, a circle is drawn around them to signify a bond of sharing. Covalent bonds can include a single, double, or triple bond. The number of bonds can be determined by the number of valence electrons needed to become stable. For example, Nitrogen has 5 valence electrons. therefore it will form a triple bond with another atom so each atom has 8 valence electrons. Unlike ionic compounds, covalent compounds are not good conductors of

Activity: Students should take notes on the Covalent Bonds covalent bond is, what elements form covalent bonds accord and valence electron number. Must include examples on how valence electron(s) with involved. Notes can be taught using PPT, Google Slides, Pro one another. A bond in Notes can be guided, taken in students in own notebook/bind

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of elements. In place of

can be drawn to signify Activity: Worksheet practice on covalent and ionic bonds us

Assessment: In a one on one setting, informally teacher asse rubric to clarify areas of weakness and area for improvement assess and are allowed to ask questions regarding materials c covalent bonds.

Activity for Covalent and Ionic Compounds: Shedding Li (https://ctemsscience.wikispaces.com/file/view/Lab%3B+Sh

Students are divided into lab groups. Each lab group must m provided. Using this they will test various substances to dete compounds. Teacher must provide substances and additiona aware, label them by letter or unknowns. Students compare r conclude questions can be done as a class, lab groups, or inde electricity when dissolved and they have low melting points.

Skill; SWBAT

- demonstrate how a covalent bond is formed by modeling between two or more given elements using Lewis Dot Diagrams, circles with two dots to represent sharing or a straight line between the atom or group of atoms
- know that a covalent bond occurs between two atoms by the sharing of electrons
- understand and model that a substance cannot conduct electricity when dissolved in water is determined to be covalent because electrons are not moving (free to flow) from one atom to another.

What occurs when a metal reacts with a metal or another atom of the same metal?

When a metal interacts with another metal or the same metal it creates a metallic bond. A metallic bond is a bond between two metals of the same kind or different. Examples

When a metal interacts Activity: Students should take notes on the Metallic Bonds with another metal or bond, examples, and visual drawing of what is looks like (lar taught using PPT, Google Slides, Prezi, whiteboard, smart-no creates a metallic bond. taken in students in own notebook/binder, or interactive scient

or different. Examples Formal Assessment: Students should be given an assessmen

can be Copper to Copper or Copper to Tin which creates Bronze. Unlike in ionic or covalent bonds, electrons are free to flow between the metal ions and the large positive metal ion. There is sharing, but no transferring of electrons within this type of bond. Metallic compounds are very good conductors of heat and electricity, are malleable, have luster, and are ductile.

understanding of how to model Bohr and Lewis Dot, Ionic at characteristics of each type of bond.

Skill; SWBAT:

 explain and model that a metallic bond occurs when two or more atoms of the same elements or different elements react

Chemical Reactions Occur When Matter is Altered

What occurs when a chemical reaction takes place within a system that are observable?

What occurs during a chemical reaction in

Matter can be described by using physical and chemical properties and physical and chemical changes. Physical properties are characteristics that can be observed without changing the substance into another substance. A chemical property is a characteristic of a substance that describes its ability to change into other substances. A physical change is any change that alters the form or

Activity: Provide students with various pictures, which can be describe the physical and chemical properties within them. I

Activity: Students should take notes on observing a chemica examples from teacher with discussion of examples in real li Notes can be taught using PPT, Google Slides, Prezi, whitel be guided, taken in students in own notebook/binder, or inter

Activity: Provide students with a worksheet and examples w marshmallow, heating metal, melting ice, and etc. Students v changes, be it chemical or physical to determine if a chemical

terms of matter? appearance of a make the substance into another whereas a chemical change occurs How can a chemical or new bonds are reaction be controlled? made, creating a totally new substance. During an exothermic reaction, energy is released in the form of heat whereas during an endothermic reaction energy is absorbed.

appearance of a Activity: Students or the teacher demonstrate the following a substance, but does not reactions (elephant toothpaste, calcium chloride and water, n

when bonds are broken or new bonds are examples from real world, visuals, and charts.

Assessment: Teacher made assessment on properties, change examples from real world, visuals, and charts.

Activity: Students should take notes on the law of conservate equation. Notes can be taught using PPT, Google Slides, Preservates can be guided, taken in students in own notebook/bing

Informal Assessment: Provide various example problems or whiteboards to demonstrate.

Skill; SWBAT:

- provide evidence for chemical reactions that includes property changes that can be observed
- describe how matter changes be it a new substance or not
- be able to determine if a chemical reaction occurred
- determine the difference between an exothermic and endothermic reaction

Activity: Various worksheets, interacitves, and etc. based on conservation of mass (balancing a chemical equation). *Note student academics. Provide small group based on levels and

Activity: Once balancing chemical equations has been maste as synthesis, decomposition, or replacement. Use puzzle pie each, then relate it to chemical compounds.

Formal Assessment: Teacher made assessment on the law o

Activity: Intro lab can be chosen by teacher. Example could temperatures to decide what temperature the reaction occurs model the lab, or have groups perform at the different temperature.

Activity: Students should take notes on how one can contro PPT, Google Slides, Prezi, whiteboard, smart-notebook, or b in own notebook/binder, or interactive science notebook.

During a chemical reaction, atoms are rearranged in new ways thus creating a new substance. In order to model this, chemical reactions are written as a chemical equation. Chemical

Activity: Rates of chemical reaction lab may vary based on s the following - vinegar and baking soda, elephant toothpaste, their results.

Informal Assessment: Oral questioning throughout lesson a

equations use formulas discussions with daily assessments.

and other symbols instead of words to summarize a reaction.

Formal Assessment: Teacher made assessment on chemical

The reactants are placed at the beginning of the equation with the products at the end. The use of the Periodic Table is needed to create compounds and determine ratios in order to create the chemical equation.

Skills; SWBAT:

- explain what is contained within a chemical equation and where all parts are placed
- model the conservation of mass
- classify chemical reactions/equatio ns

A chemical reaction requires a certain amount of activation energy to get started. Activation energy is the minimum amount of energy needed to start a chemical reaction. The rate of a chemical reaction is dependent of many factors besides the compounds within, such as surface area, temperature, concentration, catalysts, and inhibitors. If these are

altered, chemical reactions can occur at a faster or slower rate.

Skill; SWBAT:

- control a chemical reaction based on given information
- explain various factors that contribute to controlling a chemical reaction

Solutions can be characteristics and elemental properties which can be tested.

How can a solution, colloid, and suspension be described? What are the parts of each? How can we measure concentration and solubility?

How can acids and bases be described? Mixtures can be which contains a solvent and solute, a colloid, or a suspension. Each of these vary in chemical properties and physical properties. A solute can lower the freezing point within a solution and raise the boiling point.

Skill; SWBAT:

• describe the characteristics of solutions, colloids, and suspensions with examples

• demonstrate how freezing point and boiling point of a solvent

model calculating concentration

Activity: Students should take notes on solutes, colloids, an described based on their described as a solution, Google Slides, Prezi, whiteboard, smart-notebook, or blackby own notebook/binder, or interactive science notebook.

Activity: Scatter Light lab with solutes, solutions, and colloi

Activity: Design an experiment demonstrating how the mass This actifty may vary based on teacher and student population

Activity: Speedy solutions lab with salt water and controlling

Activity: Calculating Concentration problems. Teacher choice interactive. This activity should be leveled based on student'

solutes affect the Activity: Acid or Base Wanted poster. Students choose or ar poster based on rubric.

> Activity: Acid and Base Stations. Utilize various worksheet webquests, and other materials determined by teacher and str indicator with various samples for students and fluorescence labs determined by teacher.

Substances can be

classified as an acid or a base based on their chemical makeup and location on the pH scale. Acids and bases have properties opposite of one another. To determine if a substance is an acid or base, specific chemical tests can be performed, pH paper, or use of litmus paper. Many common real world items are acids and bases that are used everyday by humans.

Activity: Glencoe Virtual Solubility Lab

Formal Assessment: Teacher made assessment on acids and higher order thinking.

Skill; SWBAT:

- describe the properties of acids and bases
- find common uses for acids and bases in the real world

Suggested Resources

Periodic Table of Elements Resources

- http://www.ptable.com/
- http://www.chemicalelements.com/

Bohr Model Resources

- http://highered.mheducation.com/olcweb/cgi/pluginpop.cgi?it=swf::800::600::/sites/dl/free/007248262 1/59229/Bohr Nav.swf::The%20Bohr%20Atom
- http://science.sbcc.edu/physics/flash/siliconsolarcell/bohratom.swf
- https://phet.colorado.edu/en/simulation/build-an-atom
- http://www.ck12.org/physics/Bohr-Model-of-the-Atom/

Lewis Dot Resources

- http://www.mholthouse.org/ps/Chem/psws0203a.pdf
- http://www.ck12.org/assessment/tools/geometry-tool/plix.html?eId=SCI.CHE.261.2&questionId=53e163375aa41334ea6a6e3c&artifactID=1995819&backUrl=http://www.ck12.org/search/?q=lewis%20dot&referrer=top_nav&autoComplete=false#interactive
- http://chemsite.lsrhs.net/bonding/flashLewis.html

Ionic Bonds:

- http://www.ck12.org/section/Ionic-Bonds-%3A%3Aof%3A%3A-Chemical-Bonding-%3A%3Aof%3A%3A-CK-12-Physical-Science-For-Middle-School/
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=900dXBWgx3Y
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zpaHPXVR8WU
- http://www.houstonisd.org/cms/lib2/TX01001591/Centricity/Domain/9728/Ionic%20Bonding%20Worksheet-1.pdf
- http://sciencespot.net/Media/chbondionic.pdf

Covalent Bonds:

- http://www.ck12.org/chemistry/Covalent-Bonding/
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0mUncUj55FI
- $\bullet\ http://www.ck12.org/search/?q=covalent\%20bond\&referrer=top_nav\&autoComplete=false$

Covalent and Ionic:

• http://www.wlhs.wlwv.k12.or.us/cms/lib8/OR01001812/Centricity/Domain/1318/ChemicalBondingWksht.pdf

Metallic Bonds

- http://www.ck12.org/section/Metallic-Bonds/
- http://study.com/academy/lesson/what-is-a-metallic-bond-definition-properties-examples.html
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S08qdOTd0w0

Chemical Reactions

- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=37pir0ej_SE
- http://www.ck12.org/chemistry/Chemical-Reaction-Overview/
- http://www.ck12.org/chemistry/Exothermic-and-Endothermic-Processes/

Solutions

- http://www.edinformatics.com/math science/solutions suspensions colloids.htm
- http://www.ck12.org/book/CK-12-Chemistry-Intermediate/section/15.3/
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XEAiLm2zuvc
- http://www.chem4kids.com/files/matter solution.html
- https://phet.colorado.edu/en/simulation/concentration
- http://www.glencoe.com/sites/common assets/science/virtual labs/PS15/PS15.html

Acids and Bases

- https://phet.colorado.edu/en/simulation/legacy/acid-base-solutions
- http://www.glencoe.com/sites/common assets/science/virtual labs/E22/E22.html
- http://www.ck12.org/biology/Acids-and-Bases-in-Biology/
- http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks3/science/chemical material behaviour/acids bases metals/activity/
- http://www.harcourtschool.com/activity/acids/

Technology Integration

- Ck-12 Flexbook
- Chromebooks
- i-Pads
- Cellular Devices
- internet
- SmartBoard
- Google Docs
- Google Apps
- Google Classroom
- quizlet

Differentiation

Differentiation for special education:

- General modifications may include:
 - o Modifications & accommodations as listed in the student's IEP
 - Assign a peer to help keep student on task
 - Modified or reduced assignments
 - o Reduce length of assignment for different mode of delivery

- o Increase one-to-one time
- o Working contract between you and student at risk
- Prioritize tasks
- o Think in concrete terms and provide hands-on-tasks
- o Position student near helping peer or have quick access to teacher
- o Anticipate where needs will be
- o Break tests down in smaller increments
- Content specific modifications may include:
 - o leveled sheets and stations for law of conservation of mass and bonding

Differentiation for ELL's:

- General modifications may include:
 - o Strategy groups
 - o Teacher conferences
 - o Graphic organizers
 - Modification plan
 - o Collaboration with ELL Teacher
- Content specific vocabulary important for ELL students to understand include: electron, proton, neutron, element, compound, periodic table, ionic, covalent, metallic, reaction, reactant, product, yield, exothermic, endothermic, solution, colloid, suspension, solute, solvent, acid, base, conductivity, and neutralization

Differentiation to extend learning for gifted students may include:

- Balancing Chemical Equations Extensions (high school leveled) Students will be challenged with high school level balancing problems.
- Microcosm and Macrocosm Students will research the terms and explain how this belief is shown in the work of the two scientists.
- Disproving Dalton Students will identify incorrect statements and correct them based on knowledge.
- Quarks Students will research the quark via a medium of their choosing.
- Element Geography Students create a map of the locations of various elements.
- Atomic Model Students will build an atomic model of a higher number using various materials.
- Isolation of Aluminum Students research how aluminum is isolated.
- Elements in the Human Body Students create a 3D model of the human body and research the elements within the body.
- Research Project on New Elements Discovered Students will research one of the new elements discovered in 2015 and present to the class.
- Acid and Base Digestion Students will design a model of how digestion occurs throughout the body for acid and base.

CRP.K-12.CRP1.1 Career-ready individuals understand the obligations and responsibilities of being a member of a community, and they demonstrate this understanding every day through their interactions with others. They are conscientious of the impacts of their decisions on others and the environment around them. They think about the near-term and long-term consequences of their actions and seek to act in ways that contribute to the betterment of their teams, families, community and workplace. They are reliable and consistent in going beyond the minimum expectation and in participating in activities that serve the greater good. CRP.K-12.CRP2.1 Career-ready individuals readily access and use the knowledge and skills acquired through experience and education to be more productive. They make connections between abstract concepts with real-world applications, and they make correct insights about when it is appropriate to apply the use of an academic skill in a workplace situation. CRP.K-12.CRP3.1 Career-ready individuals understand the relationship between personal health, workplace performance and personal well-being; they act on that understanding to regularly practice healthy diet, exercise and mental health activities. Career-ready individuals also take regular action to contribute to their personal financial well-being, understanding that personal financial security provides the peace of mind required to contribute more fully to their own career success. CRP.K-12.CRP4.1 Career-ready individuals communicate thoughts, ideas, and action plans with clarity, whether using written, verbal, and/or visual methods. They communicate in the workplace with clarity and purpose to make maximum use of their own and others' time. They are excellent writers; they master conventions, word choice, and organization, and use effective tone and presentation skills to articulate ideas. They are skilled at interacting with others; they are active listeners and speak clearly and with purpose. Career-ready individuals think about the audience for their communication and prepare accordingly to ensure the desired outcome. CRP.K-12.CRP5.1 Career-ready individuals understand the interrelated nature of their actions and regularly make decisions that positively impact and/or mitigate negative impact on other people, organization, and the environment. They are aware of and utilize new technologies, understandings, procedures, materials, and regulations affecting the nature of their work as it relates to the impact on the social condition, the environment and the profitability of the organization. CRP.K-12.CRP6.1 Career-ready individuals regularly think of ideas that solve problems in new and different ways, and they contribute those ideas in a useful and productive manner to improve their organization. They can consider unconventional ideas and suggestions as solutions to issues, tasks or problems, and they discern which ideas and suggestions will add greatest value. They seek new methods, practices, and ideas from a variety of sources and seek to apply those ideas to their own workplace. They take action on their ideas and understand how to bring innovation to an organization. CRP.K-12.CRP7.1 Career-ready individuals are discerning in accepting and using new information to make decisions, change practices or inform strategies. They use reliable research process to

CRP.K-12.CRP8.1

CRP.K-12.CRP9.1

search for new information. They evaluate the validity of sources when considering the use and adoption of external information or practices in their workplace situation. Career-ready individuals readily recognize problems in the workplace, understand the

nature of the problem, and devise effective plans to solve the problem. They are aware of problems when they occur and take action quickly to address the problem; they thoughtfully investigate the root cause of the problem prior to introducing solutions. They carefully consider the options to solve the problem. Once a solution is agreed upon, they follow through to ensure the problem is solved, whether through their own actions or the actions of others.

Career-ready individuals consistently act in ways that align personal and community-held ideals and principles while employing strategies to positively influence others in the workplace. They have a clear understanding of integrity and act on this understanding in

every decision. They use a variety of means to positively impact the directions and actions of a team or organization, and they apply insights into human behavior to change others' action, attitudes and/or beliefs. They recognize the near-term and long-term effects that management's actions and attitudes can have on productivity, morals and organizational culture.

CRP.K-12.CRP10.1

Career-ready individuals take personal ownership of their own education and career goals, and they regularly act on a plan to attain these goals. They understand their own career interests, preferences, goals, and requirements. They have perspective regarding the pathways available to them and the time, effort, experience and other requirements to pursue each, including a path of entrepreneurship. They recognize the value of each step in the education and experiential process, and they recognize that nearly all career paths require ongoing education and experience. They seek counselors, mentors, and other experts to assist in the planning and execution of career and personal goals.

CRP.K-12.CRP11.1

Career-ready individuals take personal ownership of their own education and career goals, and they regularly act on a plan to attain these goals. They understand their own career interests, preferences, goals, and requirements. They have perspective regarding the pathways available to them and the time, effort, experience and other requirements to pursue each, including a path of entrepreneurship. They recognize the value of each step in the education and experiential process, and they recognize that nearly all career paths require ongoing education and experience. They seek counselors, mentors, and other experts to assist in the planning and execution of career and personal goals.

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Career-ready individuals find and maximize the productive value of existing and new technology to accomplish workplace tasks and solve workplace problems. They are flexible and adaptive in acquiring new technology. They are proficient with ubiquitous technology applications. They understand the inherent risks-personal and organizational-of technology applications, and they take actions to prevent or mitigate these risks.

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Career-ready individuals positively contribute to every team, whether formal or informal. They apply an awareness of cultural difference to avoid barriers to productive and positive interaction. They find ways to increase the engagement and contribution of all team members. They plan and facilitate effective team meetings.