

# Phoenixville Area School District Understanding by Design (UbD) Science Template

Grade Level &/or HS Subject: **11/ Chemistry**

Unit Name: **Chemical Reactions and Solutions**

Stage 1 Desired Results		
<b>Overarching NGSS &amp; PA Standards:</b>  <b>PA-CR5:</b> Use mathematical representations to support the claim that atoms, and therefore mass, are conserved during a chemical reaction.  <b>PA-CR1:</b> Construct and revise an explanation for the outcome of a simple chemical reaction based on the outermost electron states of atoms, trends in the periodic table, and knowledge of the patterns	<b><i>Transfer</i></b> <i>Students will be able to independently use their learning to...</i>  Ask questions and/or define problems  Develop and/or use models  Plan and/or carry out investigations  Analyze and interpret data using computational thinking  Obtain, evaluate, and communicate information (supported by evidence)  Construct explanations and design solutions	
	<b><i>Meaning-Making</i></b> <i>Students will understand that...</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Interactions between chemical reactants and products can be written as chemical equations.</li> <li>• Chemical reactions must follow the law of conservation of mass.</li> <li>• The five basic reaction types can be used to predict products and reactants for reactions.</li> <li>• Reactions can absorb and/or release energy/heat based upon the bonds made/broken.</li> <li>• Mixtures can be classified based on appearance and method of separation.</li> <li>• Concentration of a solution can be expressed in terms of moles/liter of water.</li> <li>• Solute solvent interactions depend upon the forces between molecules.</li> </ul>	
		<b>ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS</b> <i>Students will keep considering...</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>How do substances make new substances?</i></li> <li>• <i>How do particles interact with one another?</i></li> <li>• <i>What is conservation of matter/mass?</i></li> <li>• <i>How are energy and particle interactions related?</i></li> <li>• <i>How are mixtures different from pure substances?</i></li> <li>• <i>What role does water play in solutions?</i></li> </ul>

of chemical properties.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>How does temperature affect particle interactions?</i></li> <li>• <i>How can we measure the concentration of a solution?</i></li> </ul>
<b>PA-SPM2:</b> Plan and conduct an investigation to gather evidence to compare the structure of substances at the bulk scale to infer the strength of electrical forces between particles.	<b>Knowledge and Skills Acquisition</b>	
	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>UNDERSTANDINGS</b></p> <p><i>Students will know...</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Equations must be balanced due to the law of conservation of mass.</li> <li>• The basic forms of the five main reaction types.</li> <li>• The difference between exothermic and endothermic reactions.</li> <li>• The difference between heterogeneous and homogeneous mixtures.</li> <li>• How to differentiate solute from solvent.</li> <li>• Water is the solvent in aqueous solutions.</li> <li>• Molarity is a measure of moles solute dissolved in a one liter of water.</li> <li>• Solutions can be diluted using mathematical relationships between the molarities and volumes of the two solutions.</li> <li>• Solubility curves can be used to predict solubility of certain masses at specific temperatures.</li> <li>• Differences in electronegativity and bond geometry are major causes of polarity.</li> <li>• Intermolecular forces help determine properties of substances.</li> </ul>	<p><i>Students will be skilled at...</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Use a model to predict the relationships between systems or between components of a system</i></li> <li>• Construct and revise an explanation based on valid and reliable evidence obtained from a variety of sources.</li> <li>• Apply scientific principles and evidence to provide an explanation of phenomena and solve design problems, taking into account possible unanticipated effects.</li> </ul>
	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>KEY VOCABULARY</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reactant</li> <li>• Product</li> <li>• Synthesis</li> <li>• Single replacement</li> <li>• Double replacement</li> <li>• Combustion</li> <li>• Decomposition</li> <li>• Exothermic</li> <li>• Endothermic</li> <li>• Heterogeneous</li> <li>• Homogeneous</li> <li>• Solution</li> <li>• Solute</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Make strategic use of digital media (e.g., textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence and to add interest.</li> <li>• Reason abstractly and quantitatively.</li> </ul>

**Which branch(es) of science apply:**

**LS PS**  
**E&SS**

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Solvent</li> <li>• Molarity</li> <li>• Molality</li> <li>• Concentration</li> <li>• Solubility</li> <li>• Polarity</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use mathematical representations of phenomena to support claims.</li> </ul>
<b>Stage 2 – Evidence</b>		
<b>Evaluative Criteria</b>	<b><i>Assessment Evidence</i></b>	
Lab Report Rubrics  Student Model Rubrics  Mathematical Solutions  Discussion Rubrics  Formative Checks for Understanding	<p><b>PERFORMANCE TASK(S):</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Students will predict the type of reaction that will take place for given substances. Students will make observations to support their predictions.</li> <li>• Students will use activity series to predict the products of single replacement reactions. They will gather observations to support their predictions.</li> <li>• Students will collaborate to devise a procedure for separating a heterogeneous mixture. Students will record data to determine the efficiency of their procedure. Students will discuss their results with the class before refining their procedure.</li> <li>• Students will use data collected and mathematical relationships to determine the concentration of an acid solution.</li> <li>• Students will design an experiment to investigate differences in properties of substances with differing intermolecular forces.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Differentiation Considerations:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assignments can be scaffolded to a variety of difficulties.</li> <li>• Example models can be made for students who struggle to start.</li> <li>• Some data can be given at the start of activities.</li> <li>• Teacher prompts to get students talking.</li> </ul>

<p>Mathematical Solutions</p> <p>Test Keys / Rubrics</p> <p>Presentation Rubrics</p>	<p>OTHER EVIDENCE:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PHET simulations</li> <li>• Unit tests (multiple choice and written response)</li> <li>• Quizzes (multiple choice and written response)</li> <li>• Mathematical problems: molarity calculations, dilutions, solubility, balancing equations</li> <li>• Power point presentations</li> </ul>	<p>Differentiation Considerations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Multiple-choice assessments can be shortened.</li> <li>• Assignments can be made vocabulary based for EL's</li> <li>• Larger assignments can be chunked with multiple student check ins.</li> </ul>
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