Grade 9 Distance Learning Module 10: Week of: June 8th – June 12th

Conceptual Chemistry - Modified from Unit #3 - Polymers

Targeted Goals from Stage 1: Desired Results

Content Knowledge:

- 1. A functional group is an atom or group of atoms within a molecule that has similar chemical properties whenever it appears in various compounds. Common functional groups include: alcohols, amines, carboxylic acids and esters.
- 2. Natural polymers occur in nature and can be extracted. They are often water-based. Examples of naturally occurring polymers are starches, cellulose, nucleic acids and proteins.
- 3. Synthetic polymers are derived from petroleum oil, and made by scientists and engineers. Examples of synthetic polymers include nylon, polyethylene, polyester, Teflon, and epoxy.

Vocabulary:

Organic Functional Group, Hydroxyl Group, Carboxylic Acid, Ester, Amine, Hydration Reaction, Dehydration Reaction, monomer, polymer, natural polymer, synthetic polymer

Skills:

- 1. Conduct an experiment using proper scientific design and protocols.
- 2. Gather and analyze data to draw conclusions and communicate results.
- 3. Identify how the use of bioplastics can impact the environment and cite evidence to justify claims.

Expectation:

Description of Task (s):	Resources and Materials:	Daily Checks (Return to Google Classroom or snapshots from a cell phone)
Monday:	Introduction to Functional Groups:	Worksheet:
Students will watch edpuzzle videos that	Edpuzzle	Google doc posted in Google classroom
discuss four functional groups in organic		
compounds, which include, hydroxyl group (-	Alcohols, Carboxylic Acids, and Amines:	
OH), carboxylic acids (OH-R=O), amines (-	Edpuzzle	
NH ₂), and Esters. Students will then complete		
a worksheet where they will identify the	Esters:	
functional groups based on the type of	Edpuzzle	
molecule they form, the names of the		
functional group, properties of the functional	Worksheet Answer Key:	
groups, and their drawings.	Google doc posted in Google classroom	
Tuesday:	Practice Identifying Functional Groups:	Worksheet:
Students will practice identifying functional	Edpuzzle	Google doc posted in Google classroom
groups by observing them within a molecule.	Functional Group Reference Table:	
Then students will practice on their own with	Google doc posted in Google classroom	
an accompanying worksheet. Students will	Worksheet Answer Key:	
observe organic molecules, circle the	Google doc posted in Google classroom	
functional groups inside of the molecule, and		
identify the name of the functional group that		
they circled. Students are only responsible to		
know the four functional groups they learned		
on Monday.		
Online Q&A/ Office Hours: 9:25 a.m10 a.m		
Wednesday:	Introduction to Polymers:	T-Chart Notes Organizer
Students will be introduced to both synthetic	Edpuzzle	posted in Google classroom
and natural polymers. Students will first		
watch a crash course on polymers, and then	VIDEOS:	
read an article discussing natural polymers	YouTube video: How Big The Great Pacific	
from Newsela. Students will take notes on	Garbage Patch Really Is	

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the videos and the article using a T-Chart Notes Organizer.	[Introduced the Great Pacific Garbage Patch] YouTube video: [Kurtzgesagt general	
	overview of plastic pollution]]	
	Newsela Article Discussing Natural Polymers:	
Thursday:		
Students will review the material from unit	Practice Test Answer Key:	Unit 3 Practice Test:
two. STudents will be asked to complete a	posted in Google classroom	posted in Google classroom
Unit 3 practice test that goes over organic		
molecules, organic functional groups, and		
polymers.		
Online Q&A/ Office Hours: 9:25 a.m10 a.m		
Friday:		
Complete Module 10 Content Check		
Review from the week		
Check answer keys for worksheets, retry if		
needed		
Office hours 9:25 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.		

Week criteria for success (attach student checklists or rubrics):

- □ watched all of the recorded videos and taken notes
- completed all google forms and checked for accuracy. Each incorrect answer on the google form will provide feedback as to why the correct answer is preferred. Students will incorporate this feedback into future attempts.
- **U** Students will complete an end of the week assessment that checks on content understanding for the topics of the week.
- □ incorporated feedback, submitted second attempt, if needed on google classroom

Supportive resources and tutorials for the week (plans for re-teaching):

• online virtual Q and A help sessions (see Google Classroom for times and invite codes)