

Chemistry Overview

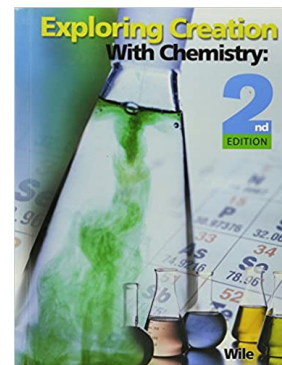
We will have 32 weeks of classes to cover the 16 modules in the textbook (*Exploring Creation with Chemistry* by Dr. Jay Wile). That means we will be spending two weeks on every module in class. In most classes we will be performing labs, so class attendance is very important. That being said....we are home schoolers and love our flexibility. If you need to miss a class, you may want to get a fellow student to video tape the lab for you. Your grade will be based on the following:

On Your Own Questions: 25%

Study Guide Questions: 25%

Lab Write-ups: 25%

Tests: 25%



You and your lab partner are responsible for cleaning up your lab activity each time. We need to leave the church cleaner than when we arrived. This will require cleaning glassware, utensils, pans, etc. in the lab area.
LEAVE THE LAB AND YOUR WORK AREA CLEAN AND NEAT!

All the homework is open book and all tests are closed books. Tests are taken at home and there is no time limit, but I want you to take your tests all in one sitting. The tests are in your solutions guide but you may want to make a photocopy to preserve your booklet. You will need to spend a little time on Chemistry each weekday to do well on the tests and get the most out of the course.

Lots of rules, but we are going to have a great time together. The Apologia science curriculum is a great curriculum for focusing on science while keeping God central.

Supplies Needed:

2 purple paper folders (with metal fasteners)

Colored pencils (good for lab write-ups)

3-ring binder (to keep finished assignments in at home)

Textbook: *Exploring Creation with Chemistry* by Dr. Jay Wile (2nd Edition with the picture of glassware on the cover) and Solutions and Test Booklet

Moms . . . you are always welcome to visit class. Please contact me with questions or concerns at tellthetruthinisci@gmail.com

You are ultimately your child's teacher and sometimes adjustments have to be made to suit individual students. . . this is not a problem! My goal is to help them not only LOVE science but to love learning; remembering that each student has unique learning styles, strengths and weaknesses.