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Part 1: Foundational Knowledge

What is the atomic number of Carbon?

Hint: Think about the position of Carbon in the periodic table.

- A) 6
- B) 12
- C) 8
- D) 14

Which of the following are noble gases? (Select all that apply)

Hint: Consider the group of elements that are known for their lack of reactivity.

- A) Helium
- B) Oxygen
- C) Neon
- D) Argon

What is the significance of an element's atomic number?

Hint: Think about how the atomic number relates to the structure of an atom.

List the element symbols for the following elements: Hydrogen, Oxygen, Sodium, and Chlorine.

Hint: Recall the one or two-letter symbols used for each element.

1. Hydrogen

2. Oxygen

3. Sodium

4. Chlorine

Which group in the periodic table contains the most reactive metals?

Hint: Consider the group known for its high reactivity with water and air.

- A) Alkali Metals
- B) Transition Metals
- C) Halogens
- D) Noble Gases

Part 2: comprehension

Which properties are common to metals? (Select all that apply)

Hint: Think about the physical and chemical characteristics of metals.

- A) Good conductors of electricity
- B) Brittle
- C) Malleable
- D) High melting points

Explain why elements in the same group of the periodic table have similar chemical properties.

Hint: Consider the role of valence electrons in chemical bonding.

If an element has an atomic number of 11, which element is it, and what is its electron configuration?

Hint: Think about the periodic table and the arrangement of electrons.

- A) Sodium, $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^1$
- B) Magnesium, $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2$
- C) Potassium, $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 4s^1$
- D) Calcium, $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 4s^2$

Part 3: Application and Analysis

Which of the following elements would you expect to form a covalent bond with chlorine? (Select all that apply)

Hint: Consider the types of elements that typically share electrons.

- A) Sodium
- B) Oxygen
- C) Carbon
- D) Potassium

Describe how the periodic table can be used to predict the reactivity of an element.

Hint: Think about the trends in reactivity across periods and groups.

Which trend is observed as you move from left to right across a period in the periodic table?

Hint: Consider how atomic properties change across a period.

- A) Atomic radius increases
- B) Ionization energy decreases
- C) Electronegativity increases
- D) Metallic character increases

Analyze the following statements and select those that correctly describe the relationship between atomic structure and chemical properties. (Select all that apply)

Hint: Think about how atomic structure influences reactivity and bonding.

- A) Elements with full outer shells are less reactive.
- B) Elements with similar electron configurations have similar properties.
- C) Elements with more protons are always more reactive.
- D) The number of valence electrons determines reactivity.

Part 4: Evaluation and Creation

Compare and contrast the properties of metals and nonmetals based on their position in the periodic table.

Hint: Think about the general characteristics of metals versus nonmetals.

Which of the following elements would be the best choice for conducting electricity in a circuit?

Hint: Consider the properties of good conductors.

- A) Sulfur
- B) Copper
- C) Silicon

D) Phosphorus

Evaluate the following scenarios and select which would likely result in a chemical reaction. (Select all that apply)

Hint: Think about the reactivity of the elements involved.

- A) Mixing sodium with water
- B) Combining nitrogen and oxygen at room temperature
- C) Heating calcium carbonate
- D) Mixing helium with neon

Design an experiment to test the reactivity of a series of metals with hydrochloric acid. Describe the steps and safety precautions you would take.

Hint: Consider the materials and methods you would use.