

Year 8 The Periodic Table Knowledge Organiser





1. Keywords								
Atom	The smallest particle of a chemical element that can exist.							
Element	A substance made from only one type of atom.							
Compound	A substance made of two or more different types of atom chemically bonded together.							
Reactants	The chemicals that react with each other at the start of a chemical reaction.							
Products	The chemicals that are formed in a chemical reaction							
Conservation of mass	The mass of the reactants equals the mass of the products							
Word equation	An equation in which only the names of the reactants and products are used to model a reaction.							
Symbol equation	gives more information about a chemical reaction because it includes the symbols and formulae of the substances involved.							
Period	Elements in the same row going across the periodic table.							
Group	– Elements in the same column going down the periodic table							

1	2											3	4	5	6	7	0
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Li	Ве		н							В	С	N	0	F	Ne		
Na	Mg										ΑI	Si	Р	S	СІ	Ar	
к	Ca	Sc	Ti	v	Cr	Mn	Fe	Со	Ni	Cu	Zn	Ga	Ge	As	Se	Br	Kr
Rb	Sr	Υ	Zr	Nb	Мо	Тс	Ru	Rh	Pd	Ag	Cd	In	Sn	Sb	Те	1	Xe
Cs	Ва	La	Hf	Та	w	Re	Os	lr	Pt	Au	Hg	π	Pb	Bi	Ро	At	Rn
Fr	Ra	Ac	Metals Non-metals														

2. Periodic Table					
Invented by	Dmitri Mendeleev , a Russian scientist.				
How did he arrange the elements?	In order of atomic mass, and by their chemical properties				
What was special about his periodic table?	Predicted the existence of other elements not discovered, and left gaps for them in his table.				
Why did scientists use Mendeleev's Periodic Table?	New elements were discovered that matched these gaps.				

3. Properties – me	erties – metals and non-metals						
Property	Metals	Non-metals					
Density	High (they feel heavy for their size)	Low (they feel light for their size)					
Strength	Strong	Weak					
Malleable or brittle	Malleable (they bend without breaking)	Brittle (they break or shatter when hammered)					
Conduction of heat	Good	Poor (they are insulators)					

The periodic table is arranged in rows called periods and columns called groups. Groups contain elements with similar chemical properties.

5. Group 0—Noble Gases

Group 0 elements are not reactive. This is because the atoms have full outer shells.

4. Properties – Groups	. Properties – Groups 1 (Alkali Metals) and 7 (Halogens)									
Group 1 (I)	Melting point	Density	Reactivity	Group 7 (VII)	Melting point	Density	Reactivity			
Lithium (Li)	Decreases down the group	Increases down the group	Increases down the group	Fluorine (F)	Increases down the	Increases down the group	Decreases down the group			
Sodium (Na)				Chlorine (CI)	group					
Potassium (K)				Bromine (Br)						
Rubidium (Rb)				lodine (I)						