

KATONAH-LEWISBORO SCHOOLS
Union Free School District No. 1
Towns of Bedford, North Salem and Pound Ridge

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Welcome to the Advanced Placement Chemistry class for 2019-20!

Dear Prospective AP Chemistry Student:

In order to get a head start for the fall, I would like to issue your text to you at the end of *this* year and ask that you do some advance preparation over the summer. **Please see me no later than June 14 to sign out your copy of the text. I can be found in upper Q building (Q201 - Q203) periods 2-5 and 7-9.**

To prepare for next September you will need to read Chapters 1, 2 and 3 of the text *Chemistry*, 9th edition by Zumdahl and complete an assignment using OWL, an online system for HW assignments. In addition to that assignment, I would like you to read and outline chapters 18 and 22 future use.

In order to create a username and password for the online system, go to the following web address:

<https://nglsync.cengage.com/rostering/registration/course/E-228H2TMRH9JZN>

The summer assignment should be viewable after 6/10/19; if this does not work, please come back and see me before the end of the school year!

If are having difficulty with a particular question on the summer assignment or have a clarification question as you work through the assignment, you can email me at ecamporese@klschools.org. I will check my email periodically over the summer and get back to you.

The assignment and outlines will not count as a formal grade, but they are a **mandatory 'admission ticket'** to the class. The results of the assignment will be assessed to see where we need to spend time before jumping into the more advanced parts of the curriculum. **You will have a quiz on the polyatomic ions within the first week of school and a test on Chapters 1-3 within the first two-three weeks of school.**

The goals for this summer assignment are to keep you current with some chemistry basics, have you practice your problem-solving skills at a more relaxed pace, and give you a feel for the rigor of the course.

Have a well-deserved summer vacation and enjoy your new chemistry text! I will see you in September!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Camporese