

# Welcome to Chemistry Class!

Mr. Kelly

2021 to 2022 School Year

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# Mr. Kelly-About Teacher

- Teaching science the past 6 years



- Majored in engineering at Rutgers before getting teaching certifications

- NY Giants Fan

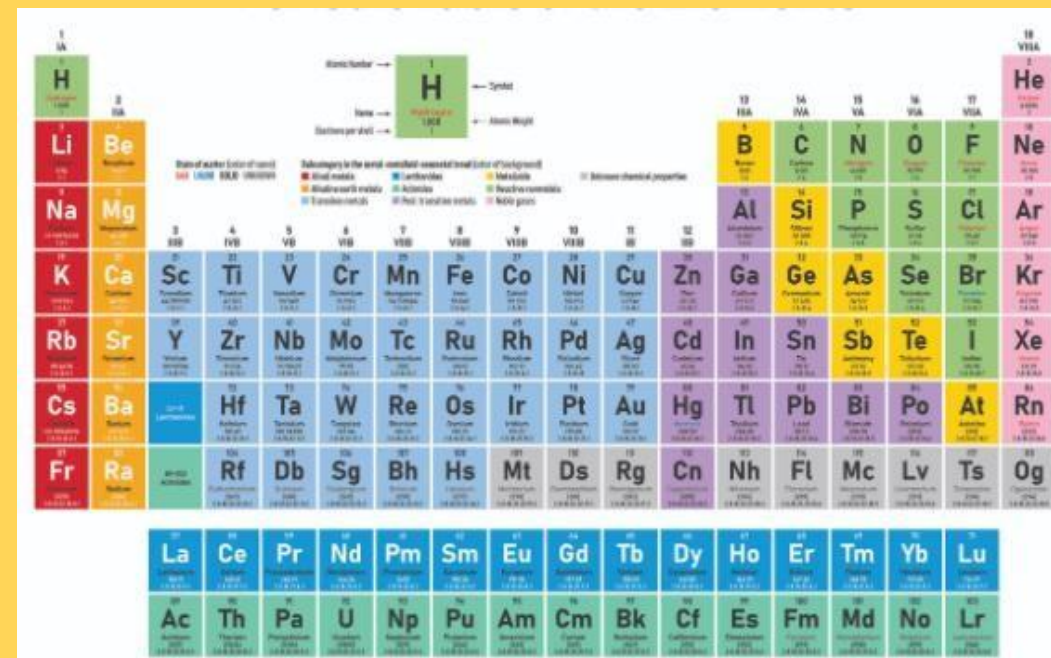


- Investing as a hobby



# Courses

- Courses Taught This Year-
- Chemistry- Honors, General, ESL, Inclusion
  
- Courses Taught in Previous Years-
- Chemistry- General, Inclusion, Credit Recovery, Honors, ESL
- Physics- General, Credit Recovery, College



A detailed periodic table of elements. At the top, a callout for Hydrogen (H) shows its atomic number (1), symbol (H), and name (Hydrogen) with arrows pointing to the corresponding fields. Below this, a legend explains the color coding of the periodic table, organized by groups (I A through 10) and subgroups (I through 10). The main table lists elements with their symbols, atomic numbers, and names. The lanthanide and actinide series are shown at the bottom.



# Course Goals

- **1. Content Knowledge-** Understand the major topics in chemistry
- **2. Think Scientifically-** Ask questions, read/interpret data, test ideas using experiments, defend thoughts using evidence
- **3. Technology Skills-** Google classroom, google docs/slides

# Course Expectations

- Students are required to **attend class everyday on time**. I will try my best to message you if they are not attending class or showing up to class late.
- Students are required to **hand in their classwork in on google classroom** at the end of every class. If homework is given, students should complete the homework on google classroom before the due date.
- Students are expected to **try their best and pay attention** during class. Students should not be on their phone or browsing the web during this time.

# Parent Involvement

- Parents can receive weekly google classroom notifications via email. I sent an email request to parents I have email addresses for. The weekly google classroom notifications will let you know what assignment your child needs to complete each week.
- Additionally every parent should have a login for genesis. Genesis is used to see your child's grades.
- Pressure your kids to get the highest grade they can. If their grade is not high enough, encourage them to work harder and meet with the teacher for extra help. Any grade less than a B is not acceptable.

# Teacher Web Page

- My teacher web page has relevant information related to the course such as the login codes for google classroom and remind. My email address, course syllabus, and the bell schedule is also on that web page.

**Step 1** WELCOME TO OPEN HOUSE!  
Please go to <https://www.orange.k12.nj.us/Domain/83>

**Step 2**  
Click on Faculty on the top of the page.



**Step 3**  
You should see the directory.



Faculty Directory		
• Aded, Wayne - Special Education Science	• Fink, Steve - Arts & Crafts PPA	• Higin, Andrew - World Specialist
• Ajay, Varun - Science	• Finnan, Morgan - Art	• Hinchey, Ivona - Math/science
• Albers David - Special Education Science	• Gendron, Steven - Mathematics	• Hirschi, Elana - CTE Instruction/Learning Exp
• Alvarado-Walker, Gracia - PE	• Giv, Jillian - PPA Science	• Houben, Victoria - History
• Alvarez, Dorian - ESL	• Gorman, Megan - PPA/CPA	•
• Amis, Morgan - World Languages - Spanish	•	• Hurlbut, Patrick - Special Education Science
• Apthorpe, Tracy - Special Education	• Hunk, Ashley - PPA/CPA/Health	• Ickler, Mia - Special Education - Mathematics
•	• Hagan, Sarah - ELA	•
• Bakula, Neil - CTE - Culinary Arts	• Hays, Sarah - Special Education - Science	• Jaki, Marissa - Mathematics
• Barlow, Sarah - ESL - Math/History	• Himmelfarb, Sarah - Physical Education	• Johnson, Samuel - Mathematics

**Step 4**  
Find my name on the directory. You will be able to read about myself and the class. It also describes the class expectations and responsibilities of the students. Also, ways to contact me. If you wish to talk more about how your child is doing in class please let me know so we can talk privately.