**Chemistry in the News Assignment**

Begin with Curiosity

1. Think of a chemical or a compound you have heard about or have some interest in. Don’t pick water   
 for this one.

Active Search

2. Search online to find a news story that this substance is featured in.

For this assignment your news article should be chosen from one of the following news sites.

cbc.ca  
winnipegfreepress.com  
bbc.com  
nationalpost.com

Summary & Thoughts

3. Write a summary of the article by giving the main ideas or message. Make sure you cover who, what when, where, why, how. Your summary should have a minimum of 7 sentences.

Vocabulary

4. Select 3 words in the article that you or another reader might not understand. Add these 3 words to a glossary following your summary ( it is not necessary for the words in your glossary to appear in your summary)

Reaction

5. How do you feel about this event? How does it affect you?

Write or type your assignment. You have the remainder of these two periods to get started and possibly to complete it. If you do not finish it today it is assigned for homework due to be handed in on Monday. On Monday you will briefly present the news on your chemical to the class.