

SCIENCE ACROSS THE WORLD

Chemistry in our Lives

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We understand that your class is studying the subject of Chemistry In Our Lives. We would like to exchange information about the use of chemicals at national and international levels. We enclose the opinions of our class in answer to some of the questions in this topic. Our students are looking forward to hearing from your class. Please reply.

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1 Chemistry in our homes

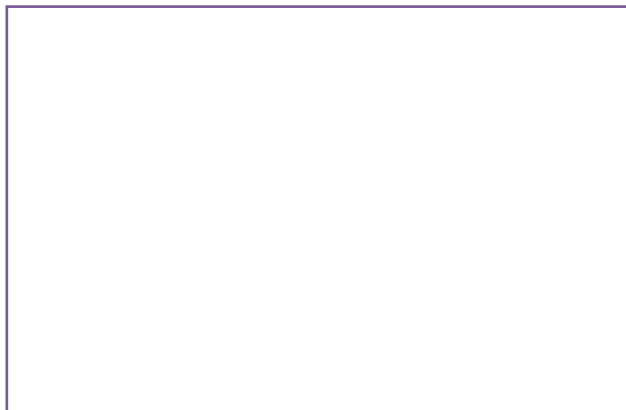
This table shows examples of chemical products which we commonly use in our homes

Purpose	Common example of a product in our homes	Source: natural or manufactured, and country of origin	Ingredients listed on the label
Food			
For adding to food during cooking			
For preserving food			
Cleaning			
For keeping people clean			
For washing clothes			
For cleaning surfaces such as floors, walls or windows			
Personal care			
For cosmetic use			
For colouring hair			
Pharmacy			
For treating diseases			
Fuel For use as a fuel (cooking, heating, transportation)			
Plant growth and protection			
For growing plants			
For killing insect pests			

2 Labelling Chemical products

This is what we think about the standard of packaging, labelling and safety information on the chemical products we find in our homes.

Here is our idea for labelling a chemical product often used in our homes to make sure that young children, or people with poor eyesight can recognise that it can be hazardous.



3 Making a chemical product

This is the chemical product we decided to make:

These labelled diagrams show the starting materials we used, the equipment and the main stages of the process.

This is what our product was like and how we tested it.

4 A story about chemistry in our country

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5 Chemistry and our economy

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