

Mr. Silluzio Biology Lesson Plan Date: 9/19 & 9/20

Topic: Introduction to Chemistry of Life: Properties of Water

Summary: Students will investigate **properties of water** by observing the behavior of water and other materials in the presence of water.

Goals/Objectives:

- Understand the difference between a covalent bond and a **polar** covenant bond.
- Understand the difference between an ion and a polar molecule.
- Be able to answer the question "why is water a polar molecule?"

Standards:

Corresponding Curriculum

Time Required:

1 80 minute periods

Prerequisite Knowledge:

Basic understanding of covalent bonding and polarity

Homework: Assigned reading – Campbell Biology Concepts and Connections CH2 & 3

Accommodations:

Notes, resources and enrichment material are available on a class webpage.