Chapter 3

Elements, Compounds and Mixtures

LESSON PLAN

SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES

The students will learn about

- elements, compounds and mixtures
- physical properties involved in the separation of mixtures
- commonly used methods of separation of mixtures

Teaching Aids

Pictures/charts/models/animation on classification of matter and its constituents; commonly used methods of separation of mixtures.

Teaching Strategy

- Teacher will start the chapter by defining matter and discussing classification of matter.
- Now, teacher will explain the elements and their classification, i.e., metals, nonmetals, metalloids and noble gases.
- Teacher will explain compounds and mixtures.
- Now, teacher will ask the students to solve 'Check Point 1'.
- Teacher will discuss differences between compounds and mixtures, and differences between heterogeneous and homogeneous mixtures.
- Now, teacher will ask the students to solve 'Check Point 2'.
- ❖ Teacher will discuss physical properties involved in the separation of mixtures and will explain commonly used methods of separation of mixtures by demonstrating Activities 1, 2 and 3.
- Then, teacher will ask the students to solve 'Check Point 3'.
- ❖ At last, teacher will sum up the lesson by going through the points given under the head 'Wrapping It Up'.
- Teacher will finally help students to answer the questions given under the head 'Test Yourself'.

Boost Up

- Teacher can help students to perform the activities given in chapter.
- ♦ Teacher can make students revise new terms given under the head 'Know These Terms'.
- Teacher can encourage students to learn the facts given under the head 'Something More'.
- ❖ Teacher can show animations related to the topics taught, if possible.
- ❖ Teacher should ask students to learn more examples of metals, nonmetals, noble gases and metalloids. Also, to learn the atomicity of different atoms and molecules.
- Teacher should ask students to learn examples of mixtures based on the physical state of their constituents.

Expected Learning Outcomes

The students understand and know:

- matter and its classification
- elements, compounds and mixtures
- homogeneous and heterogeneous mixtures.
- physical properties involved in the separation of mixtures.
- commonly used methods of separation of mixtures.

Evaluative Questions

The teacher should ask the following questions to evaluate the students.

- 1. Define elements and give their two examples.
- 2. What are compounds?
- **3.** List the differences between homogeneous and heterogeneous mixtures.
- **4.** Name the elements present in sodium chloride.
- **5.** Name the method used to separate insoluble solid components from liquid components.
- 6. Which method is used to separate the mixture of immiscible liquids?
- 7. Name two substances which sublime easily.
- 8. Name the mixtures whose constituents can be easily separated.