## **Honors Chemistry**

starts Fall 2018 at Xilin NW Chinese School

- ❖ Do you have a gifted child who can be future Science Olympiads candidate?
- ❖ Do you feel your child needs more academic challenge in sharpening reading & math skills that his/her own school could not provide?

## Honors Chemistry is an excellent choice!

- A typical 10th grade rigorous science course
- Aims 7th-9th grade gifted youth
- Learn ahead of regular school curriculum
- Prepare for advancement to Chemistry Olympiads Competition
- As prerequisite of AP Biology and Biology Olympiads Competition
- Enhance reading skills in scientific texts
- Enhance problem solving, math applications, & critical thinking skills
- Prerequisite: Algebra

**Teacher:** Ms. WenHua Deng, an experienced high school science teacher; holds Illinois Teaching License in secondary science & endorsed in all 3 core content areas: Biology, Chemistry, and Physics; College Board trained AP Biology and AP Chemistry instructor; Master of degree Education from University of Illinois, and Educational Leadership Certificate from Graduate School of Education of Harvard University.

## Tuition: \$468 per semester

Textbook: CHEMISTRY, Wilbraham, Staley, Matta, and Waterman. Pearson Prentice Hall 2005 or newer edition

## Schedule: Sunday 1:00-2:50 pm

Fall 2018	Spring 2019
Unit 1: Sci. Expression & Measurement	Unit 8: Mole
Unit 2: Matter	Unit 9: Stoichiometry
Unit 3: Atomic Structure & Nuclear Chem.	Unit 10: Gas Laws
Unit 4: Periodic Table Trends	Unit 11: Solution & Equilibrium
Unit 5: Chemical Bonding	Unit 12: Acids & Bases
Unit 6: Chemical Formula	Unit 13: Thermochemistry
Unit 7: Chemical Equations	Unit 14: Organic Chemistry

Material requirement: textbook, notebook, binder, scientific calculator, pencils & highlighters

**Weekly homework:** Homework is important in this course, which includes textbook

reading & notes taking, worksheets, lab & project reports

**Course Assessment:** Unit test after each unit, final exams for both semesters