

## St Andrew's Junior College H1 Chemistry 2021

**Tutorial: The Periodic Table (Tutor's copy)** 

## 1. N2011/1/14

- 14 Which statement concerning only the elements in the third period, sodium to argon, is correct?
  - A The element that has exactly four atoms in its molecule is sulfur.
  - B The element with the highest electrical conductivity is aluminium.
  - C The element with the highest melting point is aluminium.
  - D The element with the largest anion is chlorine.
  - The molecule with 4 atoms is P<sub>4</sub>. Sulfur is S<sub>8</sub>.
  - Aluminium is a giant metallic lattice structure with the most number of delocalized electrons hence it has the most mobile charge carriers to conduct electricity.
  - The element with the highest melting point is Silicon as it is a giant covalent molecule with strong covalent bonds.
  - The element with the largest anion is P<sup>3</sup>.

Ans: B

## 2. N2013/1/13

For the elements in the third period of the Periodic Table, which property decreases consistently from sodium to chlorine?

- A electrical conductivity
- **B** ionisation energy
- C melting point
- D radius of the atom

Ans: D

