CHEMISTRY BOOKS for ALL AGES
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Books of interest to 8th grade & up

The Elements Book: A Visual Encyclopedia of the Periodic Table by DK Publishing
The Atom: A Visual Tour (The MIT Press) by Jack Challoner
Molecules: The Elements and the Architecture of Everything by Theodore Gray
Reactions: An Illustrated Exploration of Elements, Molecules, and Change in the Universe by Theodore Gray
The Book of Ingeniously Daring Chemistry: 24 Experiments for Young Scientists by Sean Connolly
Chemistry: The Atom and Elements by April Chloe Terrazas
The Mystery of the Periodic Table by Benjamin D. Wiker

Books of interest to 3rd grade & up:

Biographies:
Women in Chemistry: A Science Book for Kids!
Who Was Marie Curie? by Megan Stine

Experiments:
Awesome Science Experiments for Kids: 100+ Fun STEM / STEAM Projects and Why They Work
Kitchen Science Lab for Kids: 52 Family Friendly Experiments from Around the House

Chemical Reactions:
Basher Science: Chemistry: Getting a Big Reaction by Simon Basher
Chemical Reactions by Jenna Winterberg
Joe-Joe the Wizard Brews Up Solids, Liquids, and Gases by Eric Braun
Mad Margaret Experiments with the Scientific Method by Eric Braun
Candy Experiments by Loralee Leavitt

**Periodic Table, Atoms, Molecules...**
The Periodic Table by Sean Callery
Basher Science: The Complete Periodic Table: All the Elements with Style! by Simon Basher

**My First Science Textbook series:**
My First Science Textbook: Protons and Neutrons by Mary Wissinger
My First Science Textbook: Electrons by Mary Wissinger
My First Science Textbook: Atoms by Mary Wissinger

**Max Axiom Science Comics:**
The Dynamic World of Chemical Reactions with Max Axiom, Super Scientist by Agnieszka Biskup
The Solid Truth About States of Matter With Max Axiom, Super Scientist by Agnieszka Biskup

**Coloring Books:**
The Periodic Table of Elements Coloring Book by Teresa Bondora
Intro to Chemistry Coloring Workbook by Sonya Writes

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**Books of interest to 12th grade, college and beyond:**
The Disappearing Spoon: And Other True Tales of Madness, Love, and the History of the World from the Periodic Table of the Elements by Sam Kean

Stuff Matters: Exploring the Marvelous Materials That Shape Our Man-Made World by Mark Miodownik

Napoleon's Buttons: How 17 Molecules Changed History by Penny Le Couteur

Illustrated Guide to Home Chemistry Experiments: All Lab, No Lecture by Robert Bruce Thompson

Illustrated Guide to Home Forensic Science Experiments: All Lab, No Lecture by Robert Bruce Thompson

The Mystery of the Periodic Table by Benjamin D. Wiker

Periodic Tales: A Cultural History of the Elements, from Arsenic to Zinc by Hugh Aldersey-Williams
Pre-K, K-2:

Amber's Atoms: The First Ten Elements of the Periodic Table by E. M. Robinson

What's the Matter in Mr. Whiskers' Room? by Michael Elsohn Ross

What Is the World Made Of?: All About Solids, Liquids, and Gases (Let's-Read-and-Find-Out Science 2) by Kathleen Weidner Zoehfeld

What Is Science? by Rebecca Kai Dotlich

Pearl and the Golden Comb by Greta Cleary

Change It!: Solids, Liquids, Gases and You by Adrienne Mason

Books of interest to Babies/Toddlers:

Goodnight Lab: A Scientific Parody (Baby University)

Organic Chemistry for Babies (Baby University)

Theodore Gray's My First Elements (Baby Elements) Board book by Theodore Gray