



## *Household Chemical Survey*

### *Student Worksheet*

Name:

#### **Instructions**

You will be conducting a survey of your household's common chemicals and cleaning supplies. Make sure you have an adult to help you!

1. Fill in the table on the second page. Be sure to look in various rooms around your home. Be sure to include under the kitchen and bathroom sinks, in the laundry room, and in a garage or shed, if applicable.
2. Note: You will only be inspecting the outside of each chemical container.
3. Answer the questions below as you complete your survey.

#### **Discussion Questions**

1. How many chemicals did you find at home?
2. In what rooms did you find these chemicals?
3. Did any of the chemicals you found have warning labels? Which ones?
4. What factors are important to your family when buying these type of items?
5. How can you prevent being exposed to toxic or harmful chemicals?
6. Using chemicals safely is part of preventing pollution and reducing health effects from exposure. What are other ways you can prevent pollution at home?

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<b>Name of Item</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>What is it used for?</b>