

Activity

# SciLinks Activity

## THE PERIODIC TABLE

Go to [www.scilinks.org](http://www.scilinks.org). To find links related to the periodic table, type in the keyword **HY71125**. Then, use the links to answer the following questions about the periodic table.

### Internet Resources

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Topic: Periodic Table

SciLinks code: HY71125



1. What is gold? Write a description that includes its degree of ductility and malleability, its color, its classification (metal, metalloid, nonmetal), and three general uses.

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2. What unit of measurement is used to weigh gold?

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3. What are some common uses for boron?

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4. How is astatine produced? What element is it most similar to?

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5. Name two elements that were discovered in the 1990s.

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6. Name the rare Earth element that was discovered in 1789 and named for the planet Uranus. What is it used for?

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