



# Spreading the word: Chemistry is Fun at Georgia Gwinnett College

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## Who We Are

We represent Student Chapter of the American Chemical Society (ACS) at Georgia Gwinnett College. We are one of the twenty nationally recognized organizations in the state of Georgia. Our purpose is to engage as many individuals in an array of activities to spread our passion for science. Chemistry can be difficult, because of this, we do our best to remove the fear and stigma associated with it. Through the efforts of this club, we hope to benefit others by inspiring them with a love for science. For our members, we are responsible for keeping them engaged and prepared for a successful career in chemistry. We achieve all of this by staying active in our community, despite the challenges we may face.

## Officers and Advisors

President: Madeline Faass

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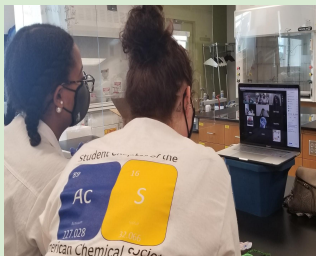


## Abstract

The pandemic has drastically reduced the number of students on the campus of GGC, and made experts of everyone in online video conferencing. Yes, we have had our share of socially distanced and masked up outside endeavors, but the majority of our activities are mostly now all virtual. National Chemistry Week on campus events included: mole day guacamole and chips (outside) and student led chemistry demonstrations such as, exploding pumpkins, extracting pumpkin DNA, carbon snake and lots more ( which were all recorded and then the videos shared). Off campus activities at Fernbank Science Center in Atlanta, and celebration of the Atlanta Science festival, were both cancelled due to the pandemic. We did manage to celebrate halloween on campus, but no liquid nitrogen ice cream this year. Our GGC S3 "Super Saturday Series" outreach which combines chemistry with technology, still went ahead, but via zoom to all the middle and high school girls who had previously picked up ready-made baggies of the experiments that they were to perform. Our ready-made baggies including materials for making both glue, and chromatography butterflies. These kits, put together by the club officers, were also sent out to local elementary schools.

## Outreach

### S3-Chromatography Butterflies and Glue Making



## Events



Valentine's Day



National Chemistry Week:  
Sticking with Glue



Scream  
Night



Mole Day

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