

**Cross-Curricular Connections: Q**

**Directions:** Team up with a classmate to become an expert on a common water contaminant and/or water treatment method that your teacher assigns to you. Answer the questions below and make sure to cite the resources that you use to determine the answers. Prepare to present the information to your classmates, as instructed by your teacher.

**Questions to answer about your assigned common water contaminant:**

- What is the contaminant and its composition?
- Where does the contaminant come from? How does it end up in water supplies?
- What are the effects of the contaminant on the human body?

**Questions to answer about your assigned water treatment method:**

- What is the water treatment method and how does it work?
- What contaminants is the treatment method best at removing?
- What contaminants is the treatment method not effective at removing?