

# *Interactive Science Notebooks*

*Think as a scientist... record as a scientist... and  
reflect as a scientist!*

## *What is it?*

Basically it is a way to help you BE a scientist.



**YOU!**

You will use your notebooks to:

- \*Write about what you are learning.
- \*Record information and data, create models, form connections to other learning, and ask thoughtful questions.
- \*Improve your ability to organize ideas and information.
- \*Study.
- \*Demonstrate to your teacher and parents that you are developing organizational skills, understanding of science concepts and the ability to express thoughts and feelings in a variety of ways.

## *How do I use it?*

1. You need a composition notebook to use as your ISN. Please do NOT rip out any pages in this notebook!
2. Make it YOURS! Personalize the cover with things that matter to you - pictures, stickers, etc. Just make sure it is school appropriate ☺. **You must have your first and last name on the cover as well as my name and hour you have science.**
3. We will number the pages as we go.
4. Each table will be given a bin of supplies (scissors and glue). At the end of each class it is expected that each group will clean and reorganize the supplies for the next group coming in.
6. Notebooks will be evaluated every 4-6 weeks.
7. Staying current with all entries is vital to your success this year in science. **If you are absent, you must copy the information you missed. You should NOT have any blank pages in your notebook!**