**Your Name Hour: Date:**

**Name** of element you would like to adopt: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Symbol:** \_\_\_\_\_\_

**Birth of your element:**

1. When was this element discovered?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. Who discovered it? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. Where was it discovered? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Structure:**

4. What is this atom’s atomic mass? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_5. What is the atomic number?\_\_\_\_\_

6. Draw a Bohr model of this element. Use the most common mass number for the atom.

(Double click the drawing to put the number of electrons by the shell/energy level)

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7. What are the common **isotopes** of this element? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Siblings:**

8. What **group/family** does this element belong to, or what part of the periodic table is he/she located?

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9. Does he/she have any famous brothers or sisters (well-known elements in this group or part of the table)?

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10. What are some common properties of elements in this group or part of the table?

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**Chemical and physical properties:**

11. density: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 12. state of matter at room temperature\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

13. color: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 14. metal, metalloid, or nonmetal\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

15. melting point:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 16. common charge(s) of ion\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

17. How does your element’s position in the periodic table relate to its properties?

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18. What common compounds is your element found in?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Home:**

19. How or in what form is your element found in nature? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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20. How is this element obtained or isolated for use by humans?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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21. Where in the world are large amounts (major deposits) of this element found?\_\_\_

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**Special Qualities:**

22. Why is your element important? (What is it used for, necessary for, or what danger does it cause?)

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23. Where might you come in contact with this element or its compounds in Missouri?

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24. What nickname will you give your element if this adoption is granted? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

25. Write a short essay explaining why you would like to adopt this element and why you would be a

good parent for him or her. Use information that you learned about your element to support your request.

(1-2 paragraphs; 4-5 complete sentences each) **10 points**