### Absorption $\sim$ STEAN Education from Queensland

Check the important words and phrases used in the session and what they mean. You can also use the read-aloud voice on the website to check your pronunciation.

<b>Words &amp; Phrases</b>	訳
1. absorbency	吸収性、吸収力
2. mass	大きさ、かさ
□ 3. density	密度
□ 4. expand	ふくらむ、膨張する
5. predict	~を予測する
☐ 6. educated guess	経験[知識]に基づいた推測
☐ 7. absorb	~を吸収する
🗌 8. dissolve	溶ける
9. prediction	予測
🗌 10. procedure	手順
11. absorption	吸収
🗌 12. absorbent	吸収性のある
🗌 13. property	特性、特質
🗌 14. sodium polyacrylate	ポリアクリル酸ナトリウム
🗆 15. Styrofoam	スタイロフォーム(発泡スチロール材)
🗌 16. tablet	錠剤
🗌 17. pebble	小石
🗌 18. spill	こぼれること、流出
🗌 19. nappy	おむつ
20. bath bomb	バスボム(発泡性の入浴剤)

# Let's join the session!

The following questions are based on the contents of the session. Watch the session and answer each question.

[1] The students conducted experiments using the scientific method. Explain the scientific method.

#### [2] What happened when a sponge absorbed water?

[3] The students conducted an experiment with five materials: a tissue, pebbles, a tablet, plastic powder and a Styrofoam ball. Explain the results of the experiment.

[4] Explain how we use absorbent materials in our everyday lives.

[5] How do you think we could improve the experiment?

Wrap up the session!

## [1] The following is a summary of the session. Write down the appropriate words in the blanks in the passage. You may use the same words for several blanks.

Absorption is a ( ) ( ). Some materials are ) and others aren't. The students conducted experiments with ( various materials. The experiments were carried out using the ( ) ), which involves four steps: starting with a ( ), making ( a ( ), carrying out an ( ), and making ( ). Among the steps, prediction was very important. They ( ) ) their predictions and ( ) them after the experiment. ( It was also important to conduct a valid test. They changed ( ), but kept using the same ( ) for each ) ( ) ( test. They found plastic powder was ( ) ( ) than a tissue. They also discovered ( ) aside from their ) ( predictions by making observations. After the experiments, they discussed how ) the experiment. Absorbent materials have great they could ( advantages and are ( ) in our lives. ) (

### [2] Write down what you learned in today's session.