Reactions of Group 7

Pre-lesson assignment p112-114.

Define the following terms:

• Disproportionation

Make notes on the reactions of group 7

Use the following questions as guidance.

- 1. Describe how halogens undergo disproportionation reactions with water. Include oxidation numbers.
- 2. Describe how halogens undergo disproportionation reactions with sodium hydroxide including conditions and oxidation numbers.
- 3. Describe the cost/benefit of adding chlorine to drinking water.
- 4. Write an ionic equation for the reaction between halide ions and silver ions. Explain how this can be used as a test for the halide ions.