Learning Guide 2.4 - Compounds

What is the difference between an element and a compound? Use the molecular diagram of caffeine in your answer.



What is an Ionic compound? What types of elements are involved? What are their charges?

Draw a Lewis Dot Structure that will show how Sodium and Chlorine bond to form Sodium Chloride.



What are some properties of Ionic bonds?		
How is a covalent bond different from an Ionic bond (hint: it's about the electron)?		
What type of bond is formed when two non-metal atoms share electrons?	What is a molecule?	Why do covalent compounds tend to have low melting points?