

# 3 Steps to Get Ready for Science

Welcome back! We are providing you with a 3-step checklist to simplify opening your classroom.

## 1. Inventory and Prepare Your Kits

- Inventory kit materials
- Order missing or broken components
- Order refurbishments for consumable items

**!!** If your school or district purchased 5-class kits or refurbishment sets, you already may have additional consumables and living material prepaid vouchers on site.

- Additional consumables are packed in a brown Carolina box.
- Living material prepaid vouchers are in a clear adhesive envelope attached to the brown box. If you cannot locate these coupons, contact Carolina's Customer Service at 800-334-5551.

## 2. Prepare for Your First Lesson

Follow these tips to be ready to teach your first Building Blocks of Science® unit lesson.

- Read the Teacher Background to become familiar with the program features and content background.
- Get familiar with Lesson 1 features.
  - Review the Teacher Tools and Resources
  - Gather Lesson Materials:
    - Kit items
    - Needed-But-Not-Supplied items
    - Required Laboratory Equipment
  - Review any Planning Ahead tips
  - Order living materials if needed (2 weeks ahead of time)
  - Review digital resources on Carolina Science Online

## 3. Update Carolina Science Online (CSO)

- Check out new digital resources you may now be able to access.
- Clean up and manage your bookmarks
  - Create new and/or review existing assignments

- Build your new student rosters using CSO's CSV student roster template and send to Michelle Fredrickson, Carolina's eLearning Product Support Specialist at [michelle.fredrickson@carolina.com](mailto:michelle.fredrickson@carolina.com)