Chapter 2 The Chemistry of Life

Vocabulary Review

Crossword Puzzle *Use the clues below to fill in the spaces in the puzzle with the correct words.*

Across

- **1.** elements or compounds that enter into a chemical reaction
- **4.** process that changes one set of chemicals into another
- 7. positively charged subatomic particle
- **8.** substance formed by the chemical combination of two or more elements in definite proportions
- **11.** positively and negatively charged atoms
- **12.** carbon compound that stores and transmits genetic information
- **14.** the center of an atom
- **16.** bond formed when electrons are shared between atoms
- **17.** macromolecule formed when monomers join together

Down

- 2. negatively charge subatomic particle
- **3.** compound that produces hydroxide ions in solution
- **5.** bond formed when one or more electrons are transferred from one atom to another
- 6. monomer of nucleic acid
- 9. monomer of protein
- **10.** compound that forms hydrogen ions in solution
- **13.** atom of same element that differs in number of neutrons compared to other atoms of the element
- 15. basic unit of matter

