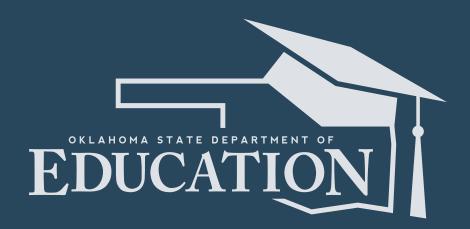


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Introduction

Science uses observation and experimentation to explain natural phenomena. Science refers to an organized body of knowledge that includes core ideas from the disciplines of science and common themes that bridge the disciplines. The Oklahoma Academic Standards for Science include standards for kindergarten through grade twelve. The standards are arranged by grade levels at Grades K-8, and by course subject area at the high school level. The Oklahoma Academic Standards include the integration of scientific and engineering practices with core content from Physical Science, Life Science, and Earth/Space Science. This integrated approach will provide students with a coordinated and coherent understanding of the necessary skills and knowledge to be scientifically literate citizens.

Development and Review of the Standards

Executive Committee

An Executive Committee was comprised to assist in planning the process for the revision of the Oklahoma Academic Standards for Science and selecting representatives to comprise a Writing Committee and a Draft Committee. The Executive Committee also served on the Writing Committee.

The Oklahoma State Department of Education would like to extend a special thanks to the following members of the Executive Committee who gave their time, services and expertise to the revision process:

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Writing Committee

A Writing Committee was selected through an application process to revise the Oklahoma Academic Standards for Science. The committee met in person on six occasions and numerous times virtually. The committee was comprised of 37 representatives from K-12 education, higher education, career technology, scientists, engineers, parent and community members from across the state.

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Focus Groups

An additional level of review of the draft version of the Oklahoma Academics Standards for Science was conducted through Focus Groups. Over 500 educators and community members participated in meetings held in Bristow, Durant, Guymon, Hugo, Lawton, Oklahoma City, Ponca City, Tulsa, Woodward, and Vinita. Participants were able to review samples of the draft standards and provide feedback to the Writing Committee.

Oklahoma Academic Standards

The Oklahoma Academic Standards describe the specific areas of student learning that are considered the most important for proficiency in the discipline at a particular level and provide a basis for the development of local curricula and statewide assessments.

The Oklahoma Academic Standards in this document are not sequenced for instruction and do not prescribe classroom activities; materials; or instructional strategies, approaches, or practices. The Oklahoma Academic Standards are not a curriculum and they do not represent a scope, sequence, or curriculum guide. They provide a framework for schools and teachers to develop an aligned science curriculum. Such curriculum includes instructional units, lessons, and tasks; formative and summative assessments; opportunities for remediation and acceleration; and other selected activities, interventions, and strategies deemed appropriate and meaningful for the academic success of students.

The Oklahoma Academic Standards in this document were informed by A Framework for K-12 Science Education (National Research Council, 2012), Benchmarks for Science Literacy (American Association for the Advancement of Science, 1993), The Next Generation Science Standards (2013) and the Oklahoma Priority Academic Student Skills for Science (Oklahoma State Department of Education, 2011).

Because each of the standards subsumes the knowledge and skills of the other standards, they are designed to be used as a whole. Although material can be added to the standards, using only a portion of the standards will leave gaps in the scientific understanding and practice of students.

Statewide Assessment

The Oklahoma Academic Standards for Science are defined as performance expectations and will be used as the basis for the development and/or refinement of questions on the Oklahoma State Testing Program. Although efforts to begin implementation of these Oklahoma Academic Standards will begin in the 2014-2015 school year, the Oklahoma School Testing Program will continue to assess standards and objectives found in the 2011 Oklahoma Academic Standards for Science through the 2015-2016 school year. The test blue prints will continue to align to the standards and objectives of the 2011 Oklahoma Academic Standards for Science through the 2015-2016 school year. In the 2016-2017 school year, the Oklahoma State Testing Program will begin measuring the performance expectations defined in the 2014 Oklahoma Academic Standards for Science for 5th grade, 8th grade, and Biology I.

Consistent with the current structure of the Oklahoma State Tests for science, questions will measure the practices and the core content at each grade level. In addition, most performance expectations may be assessed with items that utilize any of the science and engineering practices. For example, an assessment item for a performance expectation that requires students to construct explanations may also ask students to use other practices such as asking questions, using models, or analyzing data around the core content with a science and engineering practice.

Structure of this Document

Each Performance Expectation is displayed in a Standard Document that contains one Performance Expectation along with supporting structures intended to assist educators in understanding the expectation of the standard and the skills and knowledge associated with the standard. These components are explained on page 6. Also, see reference sample document on page 7.





Components of a Standard Document

1 Performance Expectation

Performance Expectations represent the things students should know, understand, and be able to do to be proficient in science. Performance Expectations are the standards.

Each Performance Expectation is built around A Framework for K-12 Science Education recommendation that science education in grades K-12 be built around three major dimensions:

- 1. Science and Engineering Practices
- 2. Crosscutting Concepts
- 3. Disciplinary Core Ideas (NRC, 2012, p. 2)

The additional components in the standard documents serve as support for instructors in providing clarity and further guidance for each Performance Expectation.

Clarification Statement

Where needed, a Clarification Statement accompanies a Performance Expectation. The aim of a Clarification Statement is to provide further explanation or examples to better support educators in understanding the aim of the Performance Expectation.

3 Assessment Boundary

Where applicable, an Assessment Boundary accompanies a Performance Expectation in order to provide additional support for educators in understanding the intent of the Performance Expectation and its relation to other Performance Expectations in the learning progression. While all teachers can utilize the Assessment Boundary as a tool for developing curriculum and local assessments, the Assessment Boundaries for 5th grade, 8th grade, and Biology will be utilized as a guide in the development of the Oklahoma Core Curriculum Tests.

4 Science and Engineering Practices

The Science and Engineering Practices describe the major practices that scientists employ as they investigate and build models and theories about the world and a key set of engineering practices that engineers use as they design and build systems. The term "practice" is used instead of the term "process" to emphasize that scientists and engineers use skill and knowledge simultaneously, not in isolation. The eight science and engineering practices are:

- 1. Ask questions and define problems
- 2. Develop and use models
- 3. Plan and conduct investigations
- 4. Analyze and interpret data
- 5. Use mathematical and computational thinking
- 6. Construct explanations and design solutions
- 7. Engage in scientific argument from evidence
- 8. Obtain, evaluate, and communicate information

Each Performance Expectation integrates one of the above Science and Engineering Practices with a Disciplinary Core Idea in science. The integration of Science and Engineering Practices with science content represents a shift from previous science standards in Oklahoma, giving the learning context and allowing students to utilize scientific reasoning and critical thinking to develop their understanding of science.

5 Disciplinary Core Ideas

The Disciplinary Core Ideas represent a set of science and engineering ideas for K-12 science education that have broad importance across multiple sciences or engineering disciplines; provide a key tool for understanding or investigating more complex ideas and solving problems; relate to the interests and life experiences of students; be teachable and learnable over multiple grades at increasing levels of sophistication. (NRC, 2012, p. 31)

Disciplinary Core Ideas are grouped into three domains:

- 1. Physical Science (PS)
- 2. Life Science (LS)
- 3. Earth and Space Science (ESS)

Each Performance Expectation integrates at least one Disciplinary Core Idea with a Science and Engineering Practice.

6 Crosscutting Concepts

The Crosscutting Concepts represent common threads or themes that span across science disciplines (biology, chemistry, physics, environmental science, Earth/space science) and have value to both scientists and engineers because they identify universal properties and processes found in all disciplines.

These crosscutting concepts are:

- 1. Patterns
- 2. Cause and Effect: Mechanisms and explanations
- 3. Scale, Proportion, and Quantity
- 4. Systems and System Models
- 5. Energy and Matter: Flows, cycles, and conservation
- 6. Structure and Function
- 7. Stability and Change

Where applicable each of the Performance Expectations includes one of the above Crosscutting Concepts, thereby ensuring that the concepts are not taught in isolation but reinforced in the context of instruction within the science content.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

Where applicable the Performance Expectations provide optional connections to the Oklahoma Academic Standards for English Language Arts/Literacy and Mathematics. The connections represent mathematics and literacy standards that could work in tandem with a Performance Expectation for science. The connections are not mandatory. Integration of a connecting English language arts or mathematics standards is determined by the instructor and carried out in the instruction.

1-ESS1-1 Earth's Place in the Universe

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations • Asking questions (for science) and The Universe and its Stars: 1-ESS1-1 • Patterns of the motion of the sun, defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models moon, and stars in the sky can be understanding can: 3 Planning and carrying out observed, described, and predicted. investigations Use observations of nelyzing and interpreting data sun, moon, and star ing data in K-2 builds on describe patterns t periences and progresses be predicted. cting, recording, and sharing vations. **Clarification Statement:** • Use observations (firsthand or Examples of patterns could from media) to describe patterns that the sun and moon ap in the natural world in order to in one part of the sky, mo answer scientific questions. sky, and set; and stars other **5** Using mathematics and computational sun are visible at night but not thinking **6** Constructing explanations (for science) the day. and designing solutions (for **Assessment Boundary:** engineering) Assessment of star patter 7 Engaging in argument from evidence to stars being seen at nig 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and during the day. communicating information

tting Concepts: Patterns

• racterns in the natural world can be observed, used to describe phenomena, and used as evidence.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy

Mathematics



A Message From State Superintendent **Janet Barresi**

Oklahoma can be a leader in education, but only if we are committed to new fundamentals – and focused on the goal of advancing learning for all students. I've issued a call to the State: By the year 2020, each student graduating from an Oklahoma high school must be college, career, and citizen ready. I call it the C³ Plan, building on the success of a slate of reforms now being implemented.

The C^3 Plan sets the stage for Oklahoma to win the competition for excellence. To that end, the Oklahoma State Department of Education has developed and adopted a more rigorous framework of standards, known as the Oklahoma Academic Standards.

For science, these standards were written and reviewed by more than 500 individuals including educators and representatives of science related fields of business from all across Oklahoma. The science framework focuses on preparing all students for whatever future life path the student chooses, whether that be advanced studies at the collegiate level or in post-secondary workforce training or to enter the workforce competently equipped.

The standards are simply the measure of what a child should know and be able to do by the end of a year of learning. Successful teaching of the standards will result in children who show proficiency in the subject matter on state assessments, demonstrating they are ready for the next phase of learning. Curriculum materials and instructional practices for each classroom are left to local teachers, administrators and school boards.

By law, Oklahoma's standards of learning are updated on a cyclical basis for each subject area. Science standards were last updated in 2011, but as Oklahoma transitions to more rigorous standards, it was determined that another update was necessary. To accomplish this, the State Department of Education's Science Director convened a committee of educators and industry leaders from throughout the state to review the previous Priority Academic Student Skills (PASS) Standards for Science and to update them. The Oklahoma Academic Standards for Science presented here reflect the strengths of the previous PASS Standards, as well as some new content and literacy skills that prepare students for more rigorous requirements in the future.

The Oklahoma Academic Standards for Science focus educators and students on the priority of scientific literacy, so they both appreciate and understand the exceptional nature of science in their everyday lives. This knowledge base and set of skills are essential for our students, so they may be careful consumers of scientific and technical information and have the skills to enter careers in science, engineering, and technology if they so choose.

The ultimate goal of education is to prepare students for future careers. A recent report by the Brookings Institute stated that more than 46,000 jobs in the state in 2011 required knowledge of science. That figure will only grow in the future. Indeed, according to a report by The Alliance for Science and Technology Research in America, by the year 2018 Oklahoma will have 81,000 STEM jobs to fill. Students with advanced knowledge in science are prepared for jobs in industries such as medicine, environment, energy, engineering and other fields that are expanding in our state. The same report showed that Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) jobs paid almost double those of non-STEM professions.

Increasing the rigor of our science standards will prepare our students for the bright futures that will exist for those with the most knowledge and skills.

Janet C. Barresi

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Oklahoma State Department of Education

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K-5 Overview

The Kindergarten through 5th Grade Oklahoma Academic Standards for Science include the following Domains:

• Physical Science (PS)

2 Life Science (LS)

3 Earth & Space Science (ESS)

Each Domain has a set of Topics in science that fit within that Domain:

• Physical Science (PS)

- Matter and Its Interactions (PS1)
- Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions (PS2)
- Energy (PS3)
- Waves and Their Application in Technologies for Information Transfer (PS4)

2 Life Science (LS)

- From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes (LS1)
- Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics (LS2)
- Heredity: Inheritance and Variation of Traits (LS3)
- Biological Unity and Diversity (LS4)

SEarth & Space Science (ESS)

- Earth's Place in the Universe (ESS1)
- Earth's Systems (ESS2)
- Earth and Human Activity (ESS3)

The abbreviations for the Domains and Topics are utilized in the naming system of each Performance Expectation found in the Oklahoma Academic Standards for Science.

For example, the Performance Expectation 4-PS3-1 represents the following:

GRADE: 4

DOMAIN: Physical Science

TOPIC: Energy STANDARD: 1

Each grade level contains Performance Expectations from each Domain. However, to ensure students have a meaningful and focused experience with science in preparation of more advanced topics in Middle and High School, topics are not necessarily covered in each grade level. An example of the progression of topics in grade span 3-5 can be found in the table below. Physical Science Topic 2, "Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions" (PS2) appears in grade 3 and 5 but not grade 4, is highlighted in green. In contrast, Life Science Topic 1, "From Molecule to Organisms: Structure and Function" (LS1), is highlighted in blue and occurs in each grade level.

Grade 3	Grade 4	Grade 5
3-PS2-1	4-PS3-1	5-PS1-1
3-PS2-2	4-PS3-2	5-PS1-2
3-PS2-3	4-PS3-3	5-PS1-3
3-PS2-4	4-PS3-4	5-PS1-4
3-LS1-1	4-PS4-1	5-PS2-1
3-LS2-1	4-PS4-2	5-PS3-1
3-LS3-1	4-PS4-3	5-LS1-1
3-LS3-2	4-LS1-1	5-LS2-1
3-LS4-1	4-LS1-2	5-LS2-2
3-LS4-2	4-ESS1-1	5-ESS1-1
3-LS4-3	4-ESS2-1	5-ESS1-2
3-LS4-4	4-ESS2-2	5-ESS2-1
3-ESS2-2	4-ESS3-1	5-ESS2-2
3-ESS3-1	4-ESS3-2	5-ESS3-1

K-PS2-1 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)

Science & Engineering Practices

- 2 Developing and using models
- Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to simple investigations, based on fair tests, which provide data to support explanations or design solutions.
 - With guidance, plan and conduct an investigation in collaboration with peers.
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

- Forces and Motion:Pushes and pulls can have different strengths and directions.
- Pushing or pulling on an object can change the speed or direction of its motion and can start or stop it.

Types of Interactions:

 When objects touch or collide, they push on one another and can change motion.

Relationship Between Energy and Forces:

 A bigger push or pull makes things speed up or slow down more quickly.

K-PS2-1

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Plan and conduct an investigation to compare the effects of different strengths or different directions of pushes and pulls on the motion of an object.

Performance Expectations

Clarification Statement:

Examples of pushes or pulls could include a string attached to an object being pulled, a person pushing an object, a person stopping a rolling ball, and two objects colliding and pushing on each other (e.g. ramps such as blocks or wooden moldings with cars and balls; paper towel threaded on rope or string across the classroom).

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment is limited to different relative strengths or different directions, but not both at the same time. Assessment does not include non-contact pushes or pulls such as those produced by magnets.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Simple tests can be designed to gather evidence to support or refute student ideas about causes.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

K-PS2-2 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Forces and Motion: 1 Asking questions (for science) and **K-PS2-2** • Pushes and pulls can have different defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate strengths and directions. 2 Developing and using models understanding can: • Pushing or pulling on an object can 3 Planning and carrying out investigations change the speed or direction of its Analyze data to determine 4 Analyzing and interpreting data motion and can start or stop it. if a design solution works Analyzing data in K-2 builds on as intended to change the **Defining Engineering Problems:** prior experiences and progresses speed or direction of an (secondary to K-PS2-2) to collecting, recording, and sharing • A situation that people want to object with a push or a pull.* observations. change or create can be approached Analyze data from tests of an object or tool to determine if it as a problem to be solved through Clarification Statement: engineering. works as intended. Examples of problems requiring Such problems may have many **5** Using mathematics and computational a solution could include having a acceptable solutions. thinking marble or other object move a certain 6 Constructing explanations (for science) distance, follow a particular path, and and designing solutions (for knock down other objects. Examples engineering) of solutions could include tools such 7 Engaging in argument from evidence as a ramp to increase the speed of 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and the object and a structure that would communicating information cause an object such as a marble or ball to turn and using a rope or string to pull an object. **Assessment Boundary:** Assessment does not include friction as a mechanism for change in speed.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Simple tests can be designed to gather evidence to support or refute student ideas about causes.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

Mathematics ELA/Literacy

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to simple investigations, based on fair tests, which provide data to support explanations or design solutions. Make observations (firsthand or from media) to collect data that an be used to make comparisons. Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information	Conservation of Energy and Energy Transfer: • Sunlight warms Earth's surface.	K-PS3-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Make observations to determine the effect of sunlight on Earth's surface. Clarification Statement: Examples of Earth's surface could include sand, soil, rocks, and water. Examples can extend beyond natural objects on Earth's surface to include man-made objects such as plastics, asphalt, or concrete. Assessment Boundary: Assessment of temperature is limited to relative measures such as warmer/cooler.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Events have causes that generate observable patterns.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

Mathematics **ELA/Literacy**

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to the use of evidence and ideas in constructing evidence-based accounts of natural phenomena and designing solutions. Use tools and materials provided to design and build a device that solves a specific problem or a solution to a specific problem. Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information	Conservation of Energy and Energy Transfer: • Sunlight warms Earth's surface.	K-PS3-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use tools and materials to design and build a structure that will reduce the warming effect of sunlight on an area.* Clarification Statement: Examples of structures could include umbrellas, canopies, and tents that minimize the warming effect of the sun Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Events have causes that generate observable patterns.

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K-LS1-1 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to collecting, recording, and sharing observations. Use observations (firsthand or from media) to describe patterns in the natural world in order to answer scientific questions. Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Organization for Matter and Energy Flow in Organisms: • All animals need food in order to live and grow. • Animals obtain their food from plants or from other animals. • Plants need water and light to live and grow.	K-LS1-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use observations to describe patterns of what plants and animals (including humans) need to survive. Clarification Statement: Examples of patterns could include that plants make their own food while animals do not; the different kinds of food needed by different types of animals; the requirement of plants to have light; and, that all living things need water. Assessment Boundary: Students are not expected to understand the mechanisms of photosynthesis.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns in the natural and human designed world can be observed and used as evidence.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

K-ESS2-1 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to collecting, recording, and sharing observations. Use observations (firsthand or from media) to describe patterns in the natural world in order to answer scientific questions. Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Weather is the combination of sunlight, wind, snow or rain, and temperature in a particular region at a particular time. People measure these conditions to describe and record the weather and to notice patterns over time.	K-ESS2-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use and share observations of local weather conditions to describe patterns over time. Clarification Statement: Examples of qualitative observations could include descriptions of the weather (such as sunny, cloudy, rainy, and warm); examples of quantitative observations could include numbers of sunny, windy, and rainy days in a month. Examples of patterns could include that it is usually cooler in the morning than in the afternoon and the number of sunny days versus cloudy days in different months. Assessment Boundary: Assessment of quantitative observations limited to whole numbers and relative measures such as warmer/cooler.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns in the natural and human designed world can be observed and used as evidence.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

Mathematics ELA/Literacy

K-ESS2-2 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to comparing ideas and representations 	Biogeology: • Plants and animals can change their environment. Human Impacts on Earth Systems: • Things that people do to live comfortably can affect the world around them.	R-ESS2-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Construct an argument supported by evidence for how plants and animals (including humans) can change the environment to meet their needs. Clarification Statement: Examples of plants and animals changing their environment could
about the natural and designed world(s). • Construct an argument with evidence to support a claim. 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information		include a squirrel digs in the ground to hide its food and tree roots can break concrete, or a dandelion spreading seeds to generate more dandelions. Assessment Boundary: Arguments should be based on qualitative not quantitative evidence.

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• Systems in the natural and designed world have parts that work together.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

9-12

K-ESS3-1 Earth and Human Activity

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to include using and developing models (i.e., diagram, drawing, physical replica, diorama, dramatization, storyboard) that represent concrete events or design solutions. Use a model to represent relationships in the natural world. Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Natural Resources: Living things need water, air, and resources from the land, and they live in places that have the things they need. Humans use natural resources for everything they do.	K-ESS3-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use a model to represent the relationship between the needs of different plants or animals (including humans) and the places they live. Clarification Statement: Examples of relationships could include that deer eat buds and leaves, therefore, they usually live in forested areas; and, grasses need sunlight so they often grow in meadows. Plants, animals, and their surroundings make up a system. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• Systems in the natural and designed world have parts that work together.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

K-ESS3-2 Earth and Human Activity

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)	Natural Hazards: • Some kinds of severe weather are more	K-ESS3-2 Students who demonstrate
Asking questions and defining problems in grades K–2 builds on	likely than others in a given region. • Weather scientists forecast severe	understanding can:
prior experiences and progresses to simple descriptive questions that can be tested.	weather so that the communities can prepare for and respond to these events.	Ask questions to obtain information about the
Ask questions based on		purpose of weather fore-
observations to find more information about the designed	Defining and Delimiting an Engineering Problem:	casting to prepare for, and respond to, severe weather.*
world.	 Asking questions, making observations, 	i
② Developing and using models③ Planning and carrying out investigations	and gathering information are helpful in thinking about problems.	Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on local forms of severe weather and safety precautions
4 Analyzing and interpreting data5 Using mathematics and computational	* Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science	associated with that severe weather.
 thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and 	Interdependence of Science, Engineering, and Technology: • People encounter questions about the natural world every day.	Assessment Boundary: N/A
communicating information	Influence of Engineering, Technology, and Science on Society and the Natural World:	
	People depend on various technologies in their lives; human life would be very different without technology.	

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Events have causes that generate observable patterns.

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ELA/Literacy Mathematics

1-PS4-1 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to simple investigations, based on fair tests, which provide data to support explanations or design solutions. Plan and conduct investigations collaboratively to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence to answer a question. Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Wave Properties: • Sound can make matter vibrate, and vibrating matter can make sound.	1-PS4-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Plan and conduct investigations to provide evidence that vibrating materials can make sound and that sound can make materials vibrate. Clarification Statement: Examples of vibrating materials that make sound could include tuning forks and plucking a stretched string. Examples of how sound can make matter vibrate could include holding a piece of paper near a speaker making sound and holding an object near a vibrating tuning fork. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Simple tests can be designed to gather evidence to support or refute student ideas about causes.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

1-PS4-2 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to the use of evidence and ideas in constructing evidence-based accounts of natural phenomena and designing solutions. Make observations (firsthand or from media) to construct an evidence-based account for natural phenomena. Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Electromagnetic Radiation: • Objects can be seen if light is available to illuminate them or if they give off their own light.	1-PS4-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Make observations to construct an evidence-based account that objects can be seen only when illuminated. Clarification Statement: Examples of observations could include those made in a completely dark room, a pinhole box, and a video of a cave explorer with a flashlight. Illumination could be from an external light source or by an object giving off its own light. This can be explored with light tables, 3-way mirrors, overhead projectors and flashlights. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Simple tests can be designed to gather evidence to support or refute student ideas about causes.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

1-PS4-3 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Electromagnetic Radiation: 1 Asking questions (for science) and 1-PS4-3 defining problems (for engineering) • Some materials allow light to pass Students who demonstrate through them, others allow only some 2 Developing and using models understanding can: light through and others block all the 3 Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions light and create a dark shadow on any Plan and conduct an or test solutions to problems in surface beyond them, where the light investigation to determine K-2 builds on prior experiences and cannot reach. the effect of placing objects Mirrors can be used to redirect a light progresses to simple investigations, made with different materials beam. (Boundary: The idea that light based on fair tests, which provide in the path of a beam of travels from place to place is developed data to support explanations or through experiences with light sources, design solutions. light. • Plan and conduct investigations mirrors, and shadows, but no attempt is made to discuss the speed of light.) collaboratively to produce data Clarification Statement: to serve as the basis for evidence Examples of materials could include to answer a question. those that are transparent (such as 4 Analyzing and interpreting data clear plastic), translucent (such as wax **5** Using mathematics and computational paper), opaque (such as cardboard), and reflective (such as a mirror). 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for Assessment Boundary: engineering) Assessment does not include the 7 Engaging in argument from evidence speed of light or assessment of 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and descriptive words like transparent, communicating information translucent, opaque or reflective.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Simple tests can be designed to gather evidence to support or refute student ideas about causes.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

1-PS4-4 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Information Technologies 1 Asking questions (for science) and 1-PS4-4 and Instrumentation: defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate • People also use a variety of devices 2 Developing and using models understanding can: to communicate (send and receive 3 Planning and carrying out information) over long distances. investigations Use tools and materials to 4 Analyzing and interpreting data design and build a device 5 Using mathematics and computational * Connections to Engineering, that uses light or sound Technology, and Application of Science thinking to solve the problem of Occupantion Constructing explanations (for a constructing explanation) Influence of Engineering, science) and designing solutions communicating over a Technology, and Science, on (for engineering) distance.* Constructing explanations and Society and the Natural World: • People depend on various technologies designing solutions in K-2 builds Clarification Statement: in their lives; human life would be very on prior experiences and progresses Examples of devices could include a to the use of evidence and ideas different without technology. light source to send signals, paper cup in constructing evidence-based and string "telephones," and a pattern accounts of natural phenomena of drumbeats. and designing solutions. Use tools and materials provided **Assessment Boundary:** to design a device that solves a Assessment does not include specific problem. technological details for how **7** Engaging in argument from evidence communication devices work. 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts

N/A

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

1-LS1-1 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)

Science & Engineering Practices

- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- Using mathematics and computational thinking
- ① Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
 Constructing explanations and designing solutions in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to the use of evidence and ideas in constructing evidence-based accounts of natural phenomena and designing solutions.
 - Use tools and materials provided to design a device that solves a specific problem.
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- **3** Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Structure and Function:

- All organisms have external parts.
- Different animals use their body parts in different ways to see, hear, grasp objects, protect themselves, move from place to place, and seek, find, and take in food, water and air.
- Plants also have different parts (roots, stems, leaves, flowers, fruits) that help them survive and grow.

Information Processing:

- Animals have body parts that capture and convey different kinds of information needed for growth and survival.
- Animals respond to these inputs with behaviors that help them survive.
- Plants also respond to some external inputs.
- * Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science

Influence of Engineering, Technology, and Science, on Society and the Natural World:

• Every human-made product is designed by applying some knowledge of the natural world and is built using materials derived from the natural world.

1-LS1-1

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Use materials to design a solution to a human problem by mimicking how plants and/ or animals use their external parts to help them survive, grow, and meet their needs.*

Performance Expectations

Clarification Statement:

Examples of human problems that can be solved by mimicking plant or animal solutions could include designing clothing or equipment to protect bicyclists by mimicking turtle shells, acorn shells, and animal scales; stabilizing structures by mimicking animal tails and roots on plants; keeping out intruders by mimicking thorns on branches and animal quills; and, detecting intruders by mimicking eyes and ears.

Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Structure and Function

• The shape and stability of structures of natural and designed objects are related to their function(s).

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy

Mathematics

1-LS1-2 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information in K-2 builds on prior experiences and uses observations and texts to communicate new information. Read grade-appropriate texts and use media to obtain scientific information to determine patterns in the natural world. 	Growth and Development of Organisms: Adult plants and animals can have young. In many kinds of animals, parents and the offspring themselves engage in behaviors that help the offspring to survive.	1-LS1-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Read text and use media to determine patterns in behavior of parents and offspring that help offspring survive. Clarification Statement: Examples of patterns of behaviors could include the signals that offspring make (such as crying, cheeping, and other vocalizations) and the responses of the parents (such as feeding, comforting, and protecting the offspring) Information may be obtained through observations, media, or text. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns in the natural world can be observed, used to describe phenomena, and used as evidence.

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1-LS3-1 Heredity: Inheritance and Variation of Traits

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to the use of evidence and ideas in constructing evidence-based accounts of natural phenomena and designing solutions. Make observations (firsthand or from media) to construct an evidence-based account for natural phenomena. Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Inheritance of Traits: • Young animals are very much, but not exactly like, their parents. • Plants also are very much, but not exactly, like their parents. Variation of Traits: • Individuals of the same kind of plant or animal are recognizable as similar but can also vary in many ways.	1-LS3-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Make observations to construct an evidence-based account that young plants and animals are like, but not exactly like, their parents. Clarification Statement: Examples of patterns could include features plants or animals share. Examples of observations could include leaves from the same kind of plant are the same shape but can differ in size; and, a particular breed of dog looks like its parents but is not exactly the same. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include inheritance or animals that undergo metamorphosis or hybrids.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns in the natural world can be observed, used to describe phenomena, and used as evidence.

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ELA/Literacy Mathematics

1-ESS1-1 Earth's Place in the Universe

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to collecting, recording, and sharing observations. Use observations (firsthand or from media) to describe patterns in the natural world in order to answer scientific questions. Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	The Universe and its Stars: • Patterns of the motion of the sun, moon, and stars in the sky can be observed, described, and predicted.	1-ESS1-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use observations of the sun, moon, and stars to describe patterns that can be predicted. Clarification Statement: Examples of patterns could include that the sun and moon appear to rise in one part of the sky, move across the sky, and set; and stars other than our sun are visible at night but not during the day. Assessment Boundary: Assessment of star patterns is limited to stars being seen at night and not during the day.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns in the natural world can be observed, used to describe phenomena, and used as evidence.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

1-ESS1-2 Earth's Place in the Universe

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to simple investigations, which provide data to support explanations or design solutions. Make observations (firsthand or from media) to collect data that can be used to make comparisons. Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Earth and the Solar System: Seasonal patterns of sunrise and sunset can be observed, described, and predicted.	1-ESS1-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Make observations at different times of year to relate the amount of daylight and relative temperature to the time of year. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on relative comparisons of the amount of daylight and temperature in the winter to the amount in the spring, fall or summer. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to relative amounts of daylight, not quantifying the hours or time of daylight.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns in the natural world can be observed, used to describe phenomena, and used as evidence.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

1-ESS3-1 Earth and Human Activity

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Human Impacts on Earth Systems: 1 Asking questions (for science) and 1-ESS3-1 • Things that people do to live defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate comfortably can affect the world around 2 Developing and using models understanding can: them. But, they can make choices that 3 Planning and carrying out reduce their impacts on the land, water, investigations Communicate solutions 4 Analyzing and interpreting data air, and other living things. that will reduce the impact 5 Using mathematics and computational of humans on the land, water, **Developing Possible Solutions:** air, and/or other living things • Designs can be conveyed through 6 Constructing explanations (for science) sketches, drawings, or physical models. in the local environment.* and designing solutions (for These representations are useful in engineering) 7 Engaging in argument from evidence communicating ideas for a problem's Clarification Statement: 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and solutions to other people. Examples of human impact on the communicating information land could include cutting trees to Obtaining, evaluating, and produce paper and using resources communicating information in K-2 to produce bottles. Examples of builds on prior experiences and solutions could include reusing uses observations and texts to paper and recycling cans and bottles. communicate new information. Communicate solutions with Assessment Boundary: others in oral and/or written N/A forms using models and/or drawings that provide detail about scientific ideas.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Events have causes that generate observable patterns.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

2-PS1-1 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to simple investigations, which provide data to support explanations or design solutions. Plan and conduct an investigation collaboratively to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence to answer a question. Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Structure and Properties of Matter: Different kinds of matter exist and many of them can be either solid or liquid, depending on temperature. Matter can be described and classified by its observable properties. Different properties are suited to different puposes.	2-PS1-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Plan and conduct an investigation to describe and classify different kinds of materials by their observable properties. Clarification Statement: Observations could include color, texture, hardness, and flexibility. Patterns could include the similar properties that different materials share. Investigations could include ice and snow melting or frozen objects thawing. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns in the natural and human designed world can be observed.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

2-PS1-2 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Structure and Properties of Matter: 1 Asking questions (for science) and 2-PS1-2 • Different properties are suited to defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models different purposes. understanding can: 3 Planning and carrying out investigations * Connections to Engineering, Analyze data obtained from Technology, and Application of Science Analyzing and interpreting data testing different materials to Analyzing data in K-2 builds on determine which materials Influence of Engineering, prior experiences and progresses have the properties that are Technology, and Science, on to collecting, recording, and sharing Society and the Natural World: best suited for an intended observations. • Every human-made product is designed Analyze data from tests of an purpose.* by applying some knowledge of the object or tool to determine if it natural world and is built using materials works as intended. Clarification Statement: derived from the natural world. **5** Using mathematics and computational Examples of properties could include, thinking strength, flexibility, hardness, texture, 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and absorbency (e.g. paper towels and designing solutions (for could be utilized to measure engineering) absorbency and strength). 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and Assessment Boundary: communicating information Assessment of quantitative measurements is limited to length.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Simple tests can be designed to gather evidence to support or refute student ideas about causes.

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ELA/Literacy Mathematics

2-PS1-3 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to the use of evidence and ideas in constructing evidence-based accounts of natural phenomena and designing solutions. Make observations (firsthand or from media) to construct an evidence-based account for natural phenomena. Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Structure and Properties of Matter: • Different properties are suited to different purposes. • A great variety of objects can be built up from a small set of pieces.	2-PS1-3 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Make observations to construct an evidence-based account of how an object made of a small set of pieces can be disassembled and made into a new object. Clarification Statement: Examples of pieces could include blocks, building bricks, or other assorted small objects. Provide students with the same number of objects to create a different object. Assessment Boundary: Do not introduce terminology associated with the Law of Conservation of Matter just concepts. Chemical change is outside of this performance expectation.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Objects may break into smaller pieces and be put together into larger pieces, or change shapes.

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2-PS1-4 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to comparing ideas and representations about the natural and designed world(s). Construct an argument with evidence to support a claim. Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Chemical Reactions: • Heating or cooling a substance may cause changes that can be observed. • Sometimes these changes are reversible, and sometimes they are not.	2-PS1-4 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Construct an argument with evidence that some changes caused by heating or cooling can be reversed and some cannot. Clarification Statement: Demonstrations of reversible changes could include materials such as water, butter or crayons at different temperatures. Demonstrations of irreversible changes could include cooking an egg, freezing a plant leaf, and heating paper. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Events have causes that generate observable patterns.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

2-LS2-1 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to simple investigations, which provide data to support explanations or design solutions. Plan and conduct an investigation collaboratively to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence to answer a question. Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Interdependent Relationships in Ecosystems: • Plants depend on water and light to grow.	2-LS2-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Plan and conduct an investigation to determine if plants need sunlight and water to grow. Clarification Statement: Investigations should be limited to testing one variable at a time. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to testing one variable at a time.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Events have causes that generate observable patterns.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

2-LS2-2 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to include using and developing models (i.e., diagram, drawing, physical replica, diorama, dramatization, storyboard) that represent concrete events or design solutions. Develop a simple model based on evidence to represent a proposed object or tool. Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Interdependent Relationships in Ecosystems: Plants depend on animals for pollination or to move their seeds around. Developing Possible Solutions: (secondary to 2-LS2-2) Designs can be conveyed through sketches, drawings, or physical models. These representations are useful in communicating ideas for a problem's solutions to other people.	2-LS2-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Develop a simple model that mimics the function of an animal in dispersing seeds or pollinating plants.* Clarification Statement: Examples include: placing socks on the outside of students' shoes and walking outside allows socks to gather seeds; plant sock(s) to see what grows; using an eyedropper to move liquids from one container to another emulating hummingbirds or bees pollinating plants. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Structure and Function

• The shape and stability of structures of natural and designed objects are related to their function(s).

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2-LS4-1 Biological Unity and Diversity

Crosscutting Concepts: N/A

N/A

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2-ESS1-1 Earth's Place in the Universe

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to the use of evidence and ideas in constructing evidence-based accounts of natural phenomena and designing solutions. Make observations from several sources to construct an evidence-based account for natural phenomena. Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	The History of Planet Earth: • Some events happen very quickly; others occur very slowly, over a time period much longer than one can observe.	2-ESS1-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use information from several sources to provide evidence that Earth events can occur quickly or slowly. Clarification Statement: Examples of events and timescales could include volcanic explosions and earthquakes, which happen quickly and erosion of rocks, which occurs slowly. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include quantitative measurements of timescales.

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Things may change slowly or rapidly.

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2-ESS2-1 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Earth Materials and Systems: 1 Asking questions (for science) and 2-ESS2-1 defining problems (for engineering) • Wind and water can change the shape Students who demonstrate of the land. 2 Developing and using models understanding can: 3 Planning and carrying out investigations **Optimizing the Design Solution:** Compare multiple solutions 4 Analyzing and interpreting data (secondary to 2-ESS2-1) designed to slow or prevent **5** Using mathematics and computational • Because there is always more than one wind or water from changing possible solution to a problem, it is thinkina the shape of the land.* useful to compare and test designs. **6** Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) * Connections to Engineering, Clarification Statement: Constructing explanations and Examples of solutions could include Technology, and Application of Science designing solutions in K-2 builds different designs of dikes and windon prior experiences and progresses Influence of Engineering, breaks to hold back wind and water, to the use of evidence and ideas Technology, and Science on and different designs for using shrubs, in constructing evidence-based Society and the Natural World: grass, and trees to hold back the land. accounts of natural phenomena • Developing and using technology has Students could explore these ideas and designing solutions. with sand tables or soil and water in impacts on the natural world. • Compare multiple solutions to a large containers. problem. **7** Engaging in argument from evidence Assessment Boundary: 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Things may change slowly or rapidly.

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2-ESS2-2 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in K-2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to include using and developing models (i.e., diagram, drawing, physical replica, diorama, dramatization, storyboard) that represent concrete events or design solutions. Develop a model to represent patterns in the natural world. Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Plate Tectonics and Large-Scale System Interactions: Maps show where things are located. One can map the shapes and kinds of land and water in any area.	2-ESS2-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Develop a model to represent the shapes and kind of land and bodies of water in an area. Clarification Statement: See Disciplinary Core Ideas. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include quantitative scaling in models.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns in the natural world can be observed.

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ELA/Literacy Mathematics

2-ESS2-3 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information in K-2 builds on prior experiences and uses observations and texts to communicate new information. Obtain information using various texts, text features (e.g., headings, tables, contents, glossaries, electronic menus, icons, and other media that will be useful in answering scientific questions. 	The Roles of Water in Earth's Surface Processes: • Water is found in the ocean, rivers, lakes, and ponds. • Water exists as solid ice and liquid form.	2-ESS2-3 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Obtain information to identify where water is found on Earth and that it can be solid or liquid. Clarification Statement: See Disciplinary Core Ideas. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns in the natural world can be observed.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

3-PS2-1 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Forces and Motion: 1 Asking questions (for science) and 3-PS2-1 • Each force acts on one particular object defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate and has both strength and a direction. 2 Developing and using models understanding can: An object at rest typically has multiple 3 Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions forces acting on it, but they add to give Plan and conduct or test solutions to problems in 3-5 zero net force on the object. Forces that investigations on the builds on K-2 experiences and do not sum to zero can cause changes effects of balanced and progresses to include investigations in the object's speed or direction of unbalanced forces on the motion. (Boundary: Qualitative and that control variables and provide motion of an object. conceptual, but not quantitative addition evidence to support explanations or of forces are used at this level.) design solutions. (Connected to 3-PS2-2) • Plan and conduct an investigation Types of Interactions: collaboratively to produce data Clarification Statement: • Objects in contact exert forces on each to serve as the basis for evidence, Examples could include an unbalanced other. using fair tests in which variables force on one side of a ball can make it are controlled and the number of start moving; and, balanced forces trials considered. pushing on a box from opposite sides 4 Analyzing and interpreting data will not produce any motion at all. 6 Using mathematics and computational thinking Assessment Boundary: **6** Constructing explanations (for science) Assessment is limited to one variable and designing solutions (for at a time: number, size, or direction of engineering) forces. Assessment does not include 7 Engaging in argument from evidence quantitative force size, only qualitative 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and and relative. Assessment is limited to communicating information gravity being addressed as a force that

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified.

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pulls objects down.

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3-PS2-2 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Forces and Motion: 1 Asking questions (for science) and 3-PS2-2 • The patterns of an object's motion in defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate various situations can be observed and 2 Developing and using models understanding can: measured; when that past motion Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions exhibits a regular pattern, future motion Make observations and/or or test solutions to problems in 3-5 can be predicted from it. (Boundary: measurements of the object's builds on K-2 experiences and Technical terms, such as magnitude, motion to provide evidence progresses to include investigations velocity, momentum, and vector that a pattern can be used quantity, are not introduced at this that control variables and provide level, but the concept that some to predict future motion. evidence to support explanations or quantities need both size and direction (Connected to 3-PS2-1) design solutions. • Make observations and/or to be described is developed.) measurements to produce data to Clarification Statement: serve as the basis for evidence for Examples of motion with a predictable an explanation of a phenomenon pattern could include a child swinging or test a design solution. in a swing, a ball rolling back and forth 4 Analyzing and interpreting data in a bowl, and two children on a 6 Using mathematics and see-saw. computational thinking 6 Constructing explanations (for science) Assessment Boundary: and designing solutions (for Assessment does not include technical engineering) terms such as period and frequency. 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns of change can be used to make predictions.

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3-PS2-3 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Types of Interactions: Asking questions (for science) and 3-PS2-3 • Electric, and magnetic forces between defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate a pair of objects do not require that Asking questions and defining understanding can: the objects be in contact. The sizes of problems in grades 3-5 builds on Ask questions to determine grades K-2 experiences and the forces in each situation depend on progresses to specifying qualitative the properties of the objects and their cause and effect relationships relationships. distances apart and, for forces between of electric or magnetic interactwo magnets, on their orientation Ask questions that can be tions between two objects not relative to each other. investigated based on patterns in contact with each other. such as cause and effect relationships. Clarification Statement: 2 Developing and using models Examples of an electric force could 3 Planning and carrying out include the force on hair from an electrically investigations charged balloon and the electrical forces 4 Analyzing and interpreting data between a charged rod and pieces of **5** Using mathematics and computational paper; examples of a magnetic force could include the force between two 6 Constructing explanations (for science) permanent magnets, the force between and designing solutions (for an electromagnet and steel paperclips, engineering) and the force exerted by one magnet 7 Engaging in argument from evidence versus the force exerted by two magnets. 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and Examples of cause and effect relationships communicating information could include how the distance between objects affects strength of the force and how the orientation of magnets affects the direction of the magnetic force. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to forces produced by objects that can be manipulated by students, and electrical interactions are

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified, tested, and used to explain change.

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limited to static electricity.

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3-PS2-4 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Asking questions and defining problems in grades 3-5 builds on grades K-2 experiences and progresses to specifying qualitative

Science & Engineering Practices

- Define a simple problem that can be solved through the development of a new or improved object or
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations

relationships.

- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Types of Interactions:

- Electric, and magnetic forces between a pair of objects do not require that the objects be in contact. The sizes of the forces in each situation depend on the properties of the objects and their distances apart and, for forces between two magnets, on their orientation relative to each other.
- * Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science

Interdependence of Science, Engineering, and Technology:

 Scientific discoveries about the natural world can often lead to new and improved technologies, which are developed through the engineering design process.

Performance Expectations

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Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Define a simple design problem that can be solved by applying scientific ideas about magnets.*

Clarification Statement:

Examples of problems could include constructing a latch to keep a door shut and creating a device to keep two moving objects from touching each other.

Assessment Boundary:

NI/A

Crosscutting Concepts: N/A

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3-LS1-1 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in 3-5 builds on K-2 experiences and progresses to building and revising simple models and using models to represent events and design solutions. Develop models to describe phenomena. Planning and carrying out investigations 	Growth and Development of Organisms: Reproduction is essential to the continued existence of every kind of organism. Plants and animals have unique and diverse life cycles.	3-LS1-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Develop models to describe that organisms have unique and diverse life cycles but all have in common birth, growth, reproduction, and death.
 4 Analyzing and interpreting data 5 Using mathematics and computational thinking 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 		Clarification Statement: Changes different organisms go through during their life form a pattern. Assessment Boundary: Assessment of plant life cycles is limited to those of flowering plants. Assessment does not include details of human reproduction or microscopic organisms.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns of change can be used to make predictions.

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3-LS2-1 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 3-5 builds on K-2 experiences and progresses to critiquing the scientific explanations or solutions proposed by peers by citing relevant evidence about the natural and designed world(s). Construct an argument with evidence, data, and/or a model. Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Social Interactions and Group Behavior: Being part of a group helps animals obtain food, defend themselves, and cope with changes. Groups may serve different functions and vary dramatically in size.	3-LS2-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Construct an argument that some animals form groups that help members survive. Clarification Statement: Arguments could include examples of group behavior such as division of labor in a bee colony, flocks of birds staying together to confuse or intimidate predators, or wolves hunting in packs to more efficiently catch and kill prey. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified and used to explain change.

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3-LS3-1 Heredity: Inheritance and Variation of Traits

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Inheritance of Traits: 1 Asking questions (for science) and 3-LS3-1 • Many characteristics of organisms are defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate inherited from their parents. 2 Developing and using models understanding can: 3 Planning and carrying out **Variation of Traits:** investigations Analyze and interpret data Analyzing and interpreting data • Different organisms vary in how they to provide evidence that Analyzing data in 3-5 builds on look and function because they have plants and animals have traits different inherited information. K-2 experiences and progresses to inherited from parents and introducing quantitative approaches that variation of these traits to collecting data and conducting multiple trials of qualitative exists in a group of similar observations. When possible and organisms. feasible, digital tools should be Clarification Statement: Analyze and interpret data to Patterns are the similarities and make sense of phenomena using differences in traits shared between logical reasoning. offspring and their parents, or among 6 Using mathematics and siblings. Emphasis is on organisms computational thinking other than humans. 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for **Assessment Boundary:** engineering) Assessment does not include 7 Engaging in argument from evidence genetic mechanisms of inheritance 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and and prediction of traits. Assessment communicating information is limited to non-human examples.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Similarities and differences in patterns can be used to sort and classify natural phenomena.

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3-LS3-2 Heredity: Inheritance and Variation of Traits

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to the use of evidence in constructing explanations that specify variables that describe and predict phenomena and in designing multiple solutions to design problems. Use evidence (e.g., observations, patterns) to support an explanation. Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Inheritance of Traits: Other characteristics result from individuals' interactions with the environment, which can range from diet to learning. Many characteristics involve both inheritance and environment. Variation of Traits: The environment also affects the traits that an organism develops.	3-LS3-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use evidence to support the explanation that traits can be influenced by the environment. Clarification Statement: Examples of the environment affecting a trait could include normally tall plants grown with insufficient water are stunted; a pet dog that is given too much food and little exercise may become overweight; and animals who teach their offspring skills like hunting. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified and used to explain change.

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3-LS4-1 Biological Unity and Diversity

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to introducing quantitative approaches to collecting data and conducting multiple trials of qualitative observations. When possible and feasible, digital tools should be used. Analyze and interpret data to make sense of phenomena using logical reasoning. Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Evidence of Common Ancestry and Diversity: Some kinds of plants and animals that once lived on Earth are no longer found anywhere. Fossils provide evidence about the types of organisms that lived long ago and also about the nature of their environments.	3-LS4-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Analyze and interpret data from fossils to provide evidence of the organisms and the environments in which they lived long ago. Clarification Statement: Examples of data could include type, size, and distributions of fossil organisms. Examples of fossils and environments could include marine fossils found on dry land, tropical plant fossils found in Arctic areas, and fossils of extinct organisms. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include identification of specific fossils or present plants and animals. Assessment is limited to major fossil types and relative ages.

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• Observable phenomena exist from very short to very long time periods.

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3-LS4-2 Biological Unity and Diversity

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to the use of evidence in constructing explanations that specify variables that describe and predict phenomena and in designing multiple solutions to design problems. Use evidence (e.g., observations, patterns) to construct an explanation. Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Natural Selection: • Sometimes the differences in characteristics between individuals of the same species provide advantages in surviving, finding mates, and reproducing.	3-LS4-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use evidence to construct an explanation for how the variations in characteristics among individuals of the same species may provide advantages in surviving and reproducing. Clarification Statement: Examples of cause and effect relationships could be plants that have larger thorns than other plants may be less likely to be eaten by predators; and, animals that have better camouflage coloration than other animals may be more likely to survive and therefore more likely to leave offspring. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• Observable phenomena exist from very short to very long time periods.

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3-LS4-3 Biological Unity and Diversity

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence 	Adaptation: • For any particular environment, some kinds of organisms survive well, some survive less well, and some cannot survive at all.	3-LS4-3 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Construct an argument with evidence that in a particular habitat some organisms can survive well, some survive less well, and some cannot survive at all.
Engaging in argument from evidence in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to critiquing the scientific explanations or solutions proposed by peers by citing relevant evidence about the natural and designed world(s). • Construct an argument with evidence. ⑤ Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information		Clarification Statement: Examples of evidence could include needs and characteristics of the organisms and habitats involved. The organisms and their habitat make up a system in which the parts depend on each other. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified and used to explain change.

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3-LS4-4 Biological Unity and Diversity

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to critiquing the scientific explanations or solutions proposed by peers by citing relevant evidence about the natural and designed world(s). • Make a claim about the merit of a solution to a problem by citing relevant evidence about how it meets the criteria and constraints of the problem. Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information	Ecosystem Dynamics, Functioning, and Resilience: • When the environment changes in ways that affect a place's physical characteristics, temperature, or availability of resources, some organisms survive and reproduce, others move to new locations, yet others move into the transformed environment, and some die. (secondary to 3-LS4-4) Biodiversity and Humans: • Populations live in a variety of habitats, and change in those habitats affects the organisms living there.	3-LS4-4 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Make a claim about the merit of a solution to a problem caused when the environment changes and the types of plants and animals that live there may change.* Clarification Statement: Examples of environmental changes could include changes in land characteristics, water distribution, temperature, food, and other organisms. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to a single environmental change. Assessment does not include the greenhouse effect or climate change.

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• A system can be described in terms of its components and their interactions.

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3-ESS2-1 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in 3-5 builds on K-2 experiences and progresses to introducing quantitative approaches to collecting data and conducting multiple trials of qualitative observations. When possible and feasible, digital tools should be used. Represent data in tables and various graphical displays (bar graphs and pictographs) to reveal patterns that indicate relationships. Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Weather and Climate: • Scientists record patterns of the weather across different times and areas so that they can make predictions about what kind of weather might happen next.	3-ESS2-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Represent data in tables and graphical displays to describe typical weather conditions expected during a particular season. Clarification Statement: Examples of data at this grade level could include average temperature, precipitation, and wind direction. Assessment Boundary: Assessment of graphical displays is limited to pictographs and bar graphs. Assessment does not include climate change.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns of change can be used to make predictions.

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3-ESS2-2 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to evaluating the merit and accuracy of ideas and methods. Obtain and combine information from books and other reliable media to explain phenomena. 	Weather and Climate: • Climate describes a range of an area's typical weather conditions and the extent to which those conditions vary over years.	3-ESS2-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Obtain and combine information to describe climates in different regions of the world. Clarification Statement: N/A Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns of change can be used to make predictions.

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3-ESS3-1 Earth and Human Activity

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Natural Hazards: 1 Asking questions (for science) and 3-ESS3-1 • A variety of natural hazards result from defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate natural processes. 2 Developing and using models understanding can: • Humans cannot eliminate natural 3 Planning and carrying out hazards but can take steps to reduce investigations Make a claim about the 4 Analyzing and interpreting data their impacts. merit of a design solution **5** Using mathematics and (Note: This Disciplinary Core Idea that reduces the impacts of is also addressed by 4-ESS3-2.) computational thinking a weather-related hazard.* 6 Constructing explanations (for science) * Connections to Engineering, and designing solutions (for Technology, and Application of Science Clarification Statement: engineering) Engaging in argument from Examples of design solutions to Influence of Engineering, weather-related hazards could include evidence Technology, and Science on barriers to prevent flooding, wind **Engaging in argument from** evidence in 3-5 builds on K-2 Society and the Natural World: resistant roofs, tornado shelters and experiences and progresses to • Engineers improve existing lighting rods. critiquing the scientific explanations technologies or develop new ones to increase their benefits (e.g., better or solutions proposed by peers by Assessment Boundary: artificial limbs), decrease known risks citing relevant evidence about the (e.g., seatbelts in cars), and meet natural and designed world(s). societal demands (e.g., cell phones). Make a claim about the merit of a solution to a problem by citing relevant evidence about how it meets the criteria and constraints of the problem. 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified, tested, and used to explain change.

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4-PS3-1 Energy **Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Definitions of Energy:** 1 Asking questions (for science) and 4-PS3-1 defining problems (for engineering) • The faster a given object is moving, Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models the more energy it possesses. understanding can: 3 Planning and carrying out investigations Use evidence to construct 4 Analyzing and interpreting data an explanation relating the **5** Using mathematics and speed of an object to the computational thinking energy of that object. **6** Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions Clarification Statement: (for engineering) Constructing explanations and Energy can be moved from place to place by moving objects or through designing solutions in 3-5 builds sound, light, or electric currents. on K-2 experiences and progresses At this grade level, no attempt is to the use of evidence in constructing made to give a precise or complete explanations that specify variables that describe and predict phenomena definition of energy. and in designing multiple solutions **Assessment Boundary:** to design problems. Use evidence (e.g., measurements, Assessment does not include quantitative measures of changes observations, patterns) to construct an explanation. in the speed of an object or on any 7 Engaging in argument from evidence precise or quantitative definition of

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

8 Obtaining, evaluating, and

communicating information

• Energy can be transferred in various ways and between objects.

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energy.

4-PS3-2 Energy

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Definitions of Energy: 1 Asking questions (for science) and 4-PS3-2 • Energy can be moved from place to defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate place by moving objects or through 2 Developing and using models understanding can: sound, light, or electric currents. Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions Make observations to or test solutions to problems in 3-5 Conservation of Energy provide evidence that builds on K-2 experiences and and Energy Transfer: energy can be transferred progresses to include investigations • Energy is present whenever there are from place to place by sound, moving objects, sound, light, or heat. that control variables and provide • When objects collide, energy can be light, heat, and electric evidence to support explanations or transferred from one object to another, design solutions. currents. Make observations to produce thereby changing their motion. • In such collisions, some energy is data to serve as the basis for Clarification Statement: typically also transferred to the evidence for an explanation of a When energy is transferred it can stay surrounding air; as a result, the air gets phenomenon or test a design in the same form, change forms, or solution.

- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- 6 Using mathematics and computational thinking
- 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

- heated and sound is produced.
- Light also transfers energy from place to place.
- Energy can also be transferred from place to place by electric currents, which can then be used locally to produce motion, sound, heat, or light.
- The currents may have been produced to begin with by transforming the energy of motion into electrical energy.

both. Examples of this can include a moving arm throwing a baseball, the light from the sun warming a windowpane, and two moving objects colliding and changing their motion.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include quantitative measurements of energy.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Energy can be transferred in various ways and between objects.

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4-PS3-3 Energy

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Definitions of Energy: Asking questions (for science) and 4-PS3-3 • Energy can be moved from place to defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate Asking questions and defining place by moving objects or through understanding can: sound, light, or electric currents. problems in grades 3-5 builds on grades K-2 experiences and Ask questions and predict progresses to specifying qualitative Conservation of Energy outcomes about the changes relationships. and Energy Transfer: in energy that occur when • Energy is present whenever there are Ask questions that can be objects collide. moving objects, sound, light, or heat. investigated and predict • When objects collide, energy can be reasonable outcomes based on transferred from one object to another, Clarification Statement: patterns such as cause and effect relationships. thereby changing their motion. Emphasis is on the change in the • In such collisions, some energy is energy due to the change in speed, 2 Developing and using models typically also transferred to the not on the forces, as objects interact. 3 Planning and carrying out surrounding air; as a result, the air investigations 4 Analyzing and interpreting data gets heated and sound is produced. Assessment Boundary: **5** Using mathematics and Assessment does not include Relationship Between computational thinking quantitative measurements of energy. **Energy and Forces:** 6 Constructing explanations (for science) • When objects collide, the contact and designing solutions (for engineering) forces transfer energy so as to change 7 Engaging in argument from evidence the objects' motions. 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Energy can be transferred in various ways and between objects.

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4-PS3-4 Energy

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Conservation of Energy 1 Asking questions (for science) and 4-PS3-4 and Energy Transfer: defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate • Energy can also be transferred from 2 Developing and using models understanding can: place to place by electric currents, 3 Planning and carrying out which can then be used locally to investigations Apply scientific ideas to produce motion, sound, heat, or light. 4 Analyzing and interpreting data design, test, and refine a The currents may have been produced **5** Using mathematics and to begin with by transforming the device that converts energy computational thinking energy of motion into electrical energy. from one form to another.* **6** Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions **Energy in Chemical** Clarification Statement: (for engineering) **Processes and Everyday Life:** Constructing explanations and Examples of devices could include • The expression "produce energy" electric circuits that convert electrical designing solutions in 3-5 builds typically refers to the conversion of energy into motion energy of a vehicle, on K-2 experiences and progresses stored energy into a desired form for light, or sound; and, a passive solar to the use of evidence in constructing practical use. explanations that specify variables heater that converts light into heat, that describe and predict phenomena mousetrap cars, rubber band-powered **Defining Engineering Problems** vehicles. Examples of constraints could and in designing multiple solutions (secondary to 4-PS3-4) to design problems. include the materials, cost, or time to • Possible solutions to a problem are design the device. Apply scientific ideas to solve limited by available materials and design problems. resources (constraints). **7** Engaging in argument from evidence Assessment Boundary: • The success of a designed solution is 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and determined by considering the desired communicating information features of a solution (criteria). • Different proposals for solutions can be compared on the basis of how well each one meets the specified criteria for success or how well each takes the constraints into account. * Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science Influence of Engineering,

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Energy can be transferred in various ways and between objects.

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technologies or develop new ones.

Technology, and Science on Society and the Natural World: • Engineers improve existing

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4-PS4-1 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in 3-5 builds on K-2 	Wave Properties: Waves, which are regular patterns of motion, can be made in water by disturbing the surface.	4-PS4-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can:
experiences and progresses to building and revising simple models and using models to represent events and design solutions. • Develop a model using an analogy, example, or abstract representation to describe a scientific principle.	When waves move across the surface of deep water, the water goes up and down in place; there is no net motion in the direction of the wave except when the water meets a beach. Waves of the same type can differ in	Develop a model of waves to describe patterns in terms of amplitude and wavelength and to show that waves can cause objects to move.
 3 Planning and carrying out investigations 4 Analyzing and interpreting data 5 Using mathematics and computational thinking 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and 	amplitude (height of the wave) and wavelength (spacing between wave peaks).	Clarification Statement: Examples of models could include diagrams, analogies, and physical models using wire to illustrate wavelength and amplitude of waves. Examples of wave patterns could include the vibrating patterns associated with sound; the vibrating patterns of seismic waves produced by earthquakes.
communicating information		Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include interference effects, electromagnetic waves, non-periodic waves, or quantitative models of amplitude and wavelength.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Similarities and differences in patterns can be used to sort and classify natural phenomena.

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4-PS4-2 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to building and revising simple models and using models to represent events and design solutions. Develop a model to describe phenomena. Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Electromagnetic Radiation: • An object can be seen when light reflected from its surface enters the eyes.	4-PS4-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Develop a model to describe that light reflecting from objects and entering the eye allows objects to be seen. Clarification Statement: N/A Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include knowledge of specific colors reflected and seen, the cellular mechanisms of vision, or how the retina works.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified.

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4-PS4-3 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking 	Information Technologies and Instrumentation: Digitized information can be transmitted over long distances without significant degradation. High-tech devices, such as computers or cell phones, can receive and decode information—convert it from digitized	4-PS4-3 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Generate and compare multiple solutions that use patterns to transfer
6 Constructing explanations	form to voice—and vice versa.	information.*
(for science) and designing solutions		
(for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to the use of evidence in constructing explanations that specify variables	Optimizing The Design Solution (secondary to 4-PS4-3) • Different solutions need to be tested in order to determine which of them best solves the problem, given the criteria and the constraints.	Clarification Statement: Examples of solutions could include drums sending coded information through sound waves, using a grid of 1's and 0's representing black and white to send information about a
that describe and predict phenomena and in designing multiple solutions to design problems. • Generate and compare multiple		picture, QR codes, barcodes, and using Morse code to send text. Assessment Boundary:
solutions to a problem based on how well they meet the criteria and constraints of the design solution.		N/A
 Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 		

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Similarities and differences in patterns can be used to sort and classify designed products.

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4-LS1-1 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 3-5 builds on K-2 experiences and progresses to critiquing the scientific explanations or solutions proposed by peers by citing relevant evidence about the natural and designed world(s). Construct an argument with evidence, data, and/or a model. Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Structure and Function: • Plants and animals have both internal and external structures that serve various functions in growth, survival, behavior, and reproduction.	4-LS1-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Construct an argument that plants and animals have internal and external structures that function to support survival, growth, behavior, and reproduction. Clarification Statement: Examples of structures could include thorns, stems, roots, colored petals, heart, stomach, lung, brain, and skin. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to macroscopic structures within plant and animal systems.

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• A system can be described in terms of its components and their interactions.

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4-LS1-2 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to building and revising simple models and using models to represent events and design solutions. Use a model to test interactions concerning the functioning of a natural system. Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Information Processing: • Different sense receptors are specialized for particular kinds of information, which may be then processed by the animal's brain. • Animals are able to use their perceptions and memories to guide their actions.	4-LS1-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use a model to describe that animals' receive different types of information through their senses, process the information in their brain, and respond to the information in different ways. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on systems of information transfer. Examples of response to stimuli include animals running from predators and plant leaves turning toward the sun. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include the mechanisms by which the brain stores and recalls information or the mechanisms of how sensory receptors function.

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• A system can be described in terms of its components and their interactions.

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4-ESS1-1 Earth's Place in the Universe

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations The History of Planet Earth: 1 Asking questions (for science) and 4-ESS1-1 • Local, regional, and global patterns of defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate rock formations reveal changes over 2 Developing and using models understanding can: time due to earth forces, such as 3 Planning and carrying out **Identify evidence from** investigations earthquakes. 4 Analyzing and interpreting data • The presence and location of certain patterns in rock formations **5** Using mathematics and fossil types indicate the order in which and fossils in rock layers rock layers were formed. computational thinking to support an explanation **6** Constructing explanations for changes in a landscape (for science) and designing solutions over time. (for engineering) Constructing explanations and Clarification Statement: designing solutions in 3-5 builds Examples of evidence from patterns on K-2 experiences and progresses could include rock layers with marine to the use of evidence in constructing shell fossils above rock layers with explanations that specify variables plant fossils and no shells, indicating that describe and predict phenomena a change from land to water over time; and in designing multiple solutions and, a canyon with different rock layers to design problems. in the walls and a river in the bottom, Identify the evidence that indicating that over time a river cut supports particular points in through the rock. an explanation. Assessment Boundary: 7 Engaging in argument from evidence Assessment does not include specific 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and knowledge of the mechanism of rock communicating information formation or memorization of specific rock formations and layers. Assessment is limited to relative time.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns can be used as evidence to support an explanation.

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4-ESS2-1 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to include investigations that control variables and provide evidence to support explanations or design solutions. With guidance, plan and conduct an investigation with peers. Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Earth Materials and Systems: Rainfall helps to shape the land and affects the types of living things found in a region. Water, ice, wind, living organisms, and gravity break rocks, soils, and sediments into smaller particles and move them around.	4-ESS2-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Plan and conduct investigations on the effects of water, ice, wind, and vegetation on the relative rate of weathering and erosion. Clarification Statement: Examples of variables to test could include angle of slope in the downhill movement of water, amount of vegetation, speed of wind, relative rate of deposition, cycles of freezing and thawing of water, cycles of heating and cooling, and volume of water flow. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to a single form of weathering or erosion.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

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• Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified, tested, and used to explain change.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections Mathematics

4-ESS2-2 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Plate Tectonics and Large-Scale 1 Asking questions (for science) and 4-ESS2-2 defining problems (for engineering) System Interactions: Students who demonstrate • The locations of mountain ranges, deep 2 Developing and using models understanding can: ocean trenches, ocean floor structures, 3 Planning and carrying out investigations earthquakes, and volcanoes occur in Analyze and interpret data Analyzing and interpreting data from maps to describe Analyzing data in 3-5 builds on • Most earthquakes and volcanoes occur patterns of Earth's features. in bands that are often along the K-2 experiences and progresses to boundaries between continents and introducing quantitative approaches Clarification Statement: to collecting data and conducting Maps can include topographic maps • Major mountain chains form inside multiple trials of qualitative of Earth's land and ocean floor, as well observations. When possible and continents or near their edges. as maps of the locations of mountains, feasible, digital tools should be • Maps can help locate the different land continental boundaries, volcanoes, and water features areas of Earth. and earthquakes. Analyze and interpret data to make sense of phenomena using Assessment Boundary: logical reasoning. 6 Using mathematics and computational thinking 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns can be used as evidence to support an explanation.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

4-ESS3-1 Earth and Human Activity

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information in 3-5 builds on K-2 experiences and progresses to evaluate the merit and accuracy of ideas and methods. Obtain and combine information from books and other reliable media to explain phenomena. 	Natural Resources: • Energy and fuels that humans use are derived from natural sources, and their use affects the environment in multiple ways. • Some resources are renewable over time, and others are not.	4-ESS3-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Obtain and combine information to describe that energy and fuels are derived from renewable and non-renewable resources and how their uses affect the environment. Clarification Statement: Examples of renewable energy resources could include wind energy, water behind dams, and sunlight; non-renewable energy resources are fossil fuels and fissile materials. Examples of environmental effects could include loss of habitat due to dams, loss of habitat due to surface mining, and air pollution from burning of fossil fuels. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified and used to explain change.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

4-ESS3-2 Earth and Human Activity

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Natural Hazards: 1 Asking questions (for science) and 4-ESS3-2 • A variety of hazards result from natural defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models processes (e.g., earthquakes, tsunamis, understanding can: volcanic eruptions). 3 Planning and carrying out investigations • Humans cannot eliminate the hazards **Generate and compare** 4 Analyzing and interpreting data but can take steps to reduce their multiple solutions to reduce **5** Using mathematics and impacts. the impacts of natural Earth computational thinking processes on humans.* **Designing Solutions to 6** Constructing explanations **Engineering Problems:** (for science) and designing solutions • Testing a solution involves investigating Clarification Statement: (for engineering) Constructing explanations and how well it performs under a range of Examples of solutions could include likely conditions. designing an earthquake resistant designing solutions in 3-5 builds (secondary to 4-ESS3-2) building and improving monitoring on K-2 experiences and progresses to the use of evidence in constructing of volcanic activity. explanations that specify variables * Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science that describe and predict phenomena Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to earthquakes, and in designing multiple solutions Influence of Engineering, to design problems. floods, tsunamis, and volcanic Technology, and Science on Generate and compare multiple eruptions. Society and the Natural World: solutions to a problem based on how well they meet the criteria • Engineers improve existing technologies or develop new ones to increase their and constraints of the design benefits, to decrease known risks, and solution. to meet societal demands. 7 Engaging in argument from evidence

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

• Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified and used to explain change.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

5-PS1-1 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Structure and Properties of Matter: 1 Asking questions (for science) and 5-PS1-1 defining problems (for engineering) • Matter of any type can be subdivided Students who demonstrate into particles that are too small to see, 2 Developing and using models understanding can: but even then the matter still exists and Modeling in 3-5 builds on K-2 experiences and progresses to can be detected by other means. Develop a model to building and revising simple models • A model showing that gases are made describe that matter is and using models to represent from matter particles that are too small made of particles too to see and are moving freely around events and design solutions. small to be seen. in space can explain many observations, Develop a model to describe phenomena. including the inflation and shape of a balloon; the effects of air on larger Clarification Statement: 3 Planning and carrying out Examples of evidence that could investigations particles or objects. be utilized in building models include 4 Analyzing and interpreting data **5** Using mathematics and adding air to expand a basketball, computational thinking compressing air in a syringe, dissolving 6 Constructing explanations (for science) sugar in water, and evaporating salt and designing solutions (for water. engineering) Assessment Boundary: 7 Engaging in argument from evidence Assessment does not include atomic-8 Obtaining, evaluating, and scale mechanism of evaporation and communicating information condensation or defining the unseen particles.

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• Natural objects exist from the very small to the immensely large.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

5-PS1-2 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Structure and Properties of Matter: 1 Asking questions (for science) and 5-PS1-2 defining problems (for engineering) • The amount (weight) of matter is Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models conserved when it changes form, even understanding can: in transitions in which it seems to vanish. 3 Planning and carrying out investigations Measure and graph 4 Analyzing and interpreting data **Chemical Reactions:** quantities to provide Using mathematics and • No matter what reaction or change in evidence that regardless properties occurs, the total weight of computational thinking of the type of change that the substances does not change. Mathematical and computational (Boundary: Mass and weight are not occurs when heating, cooling, thinking in 3-5 builds on K-2 distinguished at this grade level.) experiences and progresses to or mixing substances, the extending quantitative measurements total weight of matter is to a variety of physical properties and conserved. using computation and mathematics to analyze data and compare **Clarification Statement:** alternative design solutions. Examples of reactions or changes Measure and graph quantities could include phase changes, such as weight to address scientific dissolving, and mixing that forms and engineering questions and new substances. problems. **6** Constructing explanations (for science) **Assessment Boundary:** and designing solutions (for Assessment does not include engineering) distinguishing mass and weight. 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• Standard units are used to measure and describe physical quantities such as weight, time, temperature, and volume.

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5-PS1-3 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to include investigations that control variables and provide evidence to support explanations or design solutions. • Make observations and measurements to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence for an explanation of a phenomenon. Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Structure and Properties of Matter: • Measurements of a variety of properties can be used to identify materials. (Boundary: At this grade level, mass and weight are not distinguished, and no attempt is made to define the unseen particles or explain the atomic-scale mechanism of evaporation and condensation.)	5-PS1-3 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Make observations and measurements to identify materials based on their properties. Clarification Statement: Examples of materials to be identified could include baking soda and other powders, metals, minerals, and liquids. Examples of properties could include color, hardness, reflectivity, electrical conductivity, thermal conductivity, response to magnetic forces, and solubility; density is not intended as an identifiable property. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include density or distinguishing mass and weight.

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• Standard units are used to measure and describe physical quantities such as weight, time, temperature, and volume.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections ELA/Literacy Mathematics

5-PS1-4 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to include investigations that control variables and provide evidence to support explanations or design solutions. • Conduct an investigation collaboratively to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence, using fair tests in which variables are controlled and the number of trials considered. Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Chemical Reactions: • When two or more different substances are mixed, a new substance with different properties may be formed.	5-PS1-4 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Conduct an investigation to determine whether the mixing of two or more substances results in new substances. Clarification Statement: Examples of interactions forming new substances can include mixing baking soda and vinegar. Examples of interactions not forming new substances can include mixing baking soda and water.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified, tested, and used to explain change.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

5-PS2-1 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data 	Types of Interactions: • The gravitational force of Earth acting on an object near Earth's surface pulls that object toward the planet's center.	5-PS2-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Support an argument
S Using mathematics and computational thinking6 Constructing explanations (for science)		that the gravitational force exerted by the Earth is directed down.
and designing solutions (for engineering) Fingaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 3-5 builds on K-2 experiences and progresses to critiquing the scientific explanations or solutions proposed by peers by citing relevant evidence about the natural and designed world(s).		Clarification Statement: "Down" is a local description of the direction that points toward the center of the spherical earth. Earth causes objects to have a force on them that point toward the center of the Earth, "down". Support for arguments can be drawn from diagrams, evidence, and data that are provided.
3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information		Assessment Boundary: Mathematical representation of gravitational force is not assessed.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified, tested, and used to explain change.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

5-PS3-1 Energy

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Energy in Chemical Processes 1 Asking questions (for science) and 5-PS3-1 and Everyday Life: defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate • The energy released [from] food was 2 Developing and using models understanding can: once energy from the sun that was Modeling in 3-5 builds on K-2 experiences and progresses to captured by plants in the chemical Use models to describe building and revising simple models process that forms plant matter (from that energy in animals' food and using models to represent air and water). (used for body repair, growth, events and design solutions. motion, and to maintain body Organization of Matter and Use models to describe phenomena. **Energy Flow in Organisms:** warmth) was once energy • Food provides animals with the 3 Planning and carrying out from the sun. investigations materials they need for body repair and growth and the energy they need 4 Analyzing and interpreting data Clarification Statement: to maintain body warmth and for **5** Using mathematics and computational Examples of models could include motion. thinking diagrams, and flow charts. 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for Assessment Boundary: engineering) Assessment does not include cellular 7 Engaging in argument from evidence mechanisms of digestive absorption. 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Energy can be transferred in various ways and between objects.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

5-LS1-1 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 3-5 builds on K-2 experiences and progresses to critiquing the scientific explanations or solutions proposed by peers by citing relevant evidence about the natural and designed world. Support an argument with evidence, data, or a model. Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Organization for Matter and Energy Flow in Organisms: • Plants acquire their material for growth chiefly from air and water.	5-LS1-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Support an argument that plants get the materials they need for growth chiefly from air and water. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on the idea that plant matter comes mostly from air and water, not from the soil.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Matter is transported into, out of, and within systems.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

5-LS2-1 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Interdependent Relationships 1 Asking questions (for science) and 5-LS2-1 defining problems (for engineering) in Ecosystems: Students who demonstrate • The food of almost any kind of animal 2 Developing and using models understanding can: can be traced back to plants. Modeling in 3-5 builds on K-2 experiences and progresses to • Organisms are related in food webs in Develop a model to building and revising simple models which some animals eat plants for food describe the movement and using models to represent and other animals eat the animals that of matter among plants, eat plants. events and design solutions. animals, decomposers, • Some organisms, such as fungi and Develop a model to describe phenomena. bacteria, break down dead organisms and the environment. (both plants or plants parts and animals) 3 Planning and carrying out and therefore operate as "decomposers." investigations **Clarification Statement:** • Decomposition eventually restores 4 Analyzing and interpreting data Emphasis is on the idea that matter (recycles) some materials back to the soil. 5 Using mathematics and computational that is not food (air, water, decomposed • Organisms can survive only in thinking materials in soil) is changed by plants 6 Constructing explanations (for science) environments in which their particular into matter that is food. Examples of and designing solutions (for needs are met. systems could include organisms, engineering) • A healthy ecosystem is one in which ecosystems, and the Earth. 7 Engaging in argument from evidence multiple species of different types are each able to meet their needs in a 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and Assessment Boundaries: relatively stable web of life. communicating information Assessment does not include • Newly introduced species can damage molecular explanations. the balance of an ecosystem. Cycles of Matter and Energy **Transfer in Ecosystems:** • Matter cycles between the air and soil and among plants, animals, and microbes as these organisms live and die. • Organisms obtain gases, and water, from the environment, and release

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• A system can be described in terms of its components and their interactions.

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waste matter (gas, liquid, or solid) back into the environment.

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5-LS2-2 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in 3-5 builds on K-2 experiences and progresses to building and revising simple models and using models to represent events and design solutions. Use models to describe phenomena. Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Interdependent Relationships in Ecosystems: Organisms can survive only in environments in which their particular needs are met. A healthy ecosystem is one in which multiple species of different types are each able to meet their needs in a relatively stable web of life. Newly introduced species can damage the balance of an ecosystem.	5-LS2-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use models to explain factors that upset the stability of local ecosystems. Clarification Statement: Factors that upset an ecosystem's stability includes: invasive species, drought, human development, and removal of predators. Models could include simulations, and representations, etc. Assessment Boundaries: Assessment does not include molecular explanations.

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• A system can be described in terms of its components and their interactions.

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5-ESS1-1 Earth's Place in the Universe

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 3-5 builds on K-2 experiences and progresses to critiquing the scientific explanations or solutions proposed by peers by citing relevant evidence about the natural and designed world(s). Support an argument with evidence, data, or a model. Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	The Universe and Its Stars: • The sun is a star that appears larger and brighter than other stars because it is closer. Stars range greatly in their distance from Earth.	5-ESS1-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Support an argument that differences in the apparent brightness of the sun compared to other stars is due to their relative distances from Earth. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to relative distances, not sizes, of stars. Assessment does not include other factors that affect apparent brightness (such as stellar masses, age, stage).

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion and Quantity

• Natural objects exist from the very small to the immensely large.

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ELA/Literacy Mathematics

5-ESS1-2 Earth's Place in the Universe

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Earth and the Solar System: 1 Asking questions (for science) and 5-ESS1-2 • The orbits of Earth around the sun defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate and of the moon around Earth, together 2 Developing and using models understanding can: with the rotation of Earth about an axis 3 Planning and carrying out investigations between its North and South poles, Represent data in graphical Analyzing and interpreting data cause observable patterns. These displays to reveal patterns Analyzing data in 3-5 builds on include day and night; daily changes in of daily changes in length the length and direction of shadows; K-2 experiences and progresses to and direction of shadows, and different positions of the sun, introducing quantitative approaches moon, and stars at different times of day and night, and the to collecting data and conducting the day, month, and year. multiple trials of qualitative seasonal appearance of observations. When possible and some stars in the night sky. feasible, digital tools should be **Clarification Statement:** Represent data in graphical Examples of patterns could include displays (bar graphs, pictographs the position and motion of Earth with and/or pie charts) to reveal respect to the sun and selected stars patterns that indicate relationships. that are visible only in particular **5** Using mathematics and computational months. thinking **6** Constructing explanations (for science) **Assessment Boundary:** and designing solutions (for Assessment does not include causes engineering) of seasons. 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Similarities and differences in patterns can be used to sort, classify, communicate and analyze simple rates of change for natural phenomena.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections ELA/Literacy Mathematics

5-ESS2-1 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Earth Materials and System: 1 Asking questions (for science) and 5-ESS2-1 defining problems (for engineering) • Earth's major systems are the geosphere Students who demonstrate (solid and molten rock, soil, and 2 Developing and using models understanding can: sediments), the hydrosphere (water Modeling in 3-5 builds on K-2 experiences and progresses to and ice), the atmosphere (air), and the Develop a model using an building and revising simple models biosphere (living things, including example to describe ways and using models to represent humans). These systems interact in the geosphere, biosphere, multiple ways to affect Earth's surface events and design solutions. hydrosphere, and/or materials and processes. • Develop a model using an example • The ocean supports a variety of atmosphere interact. to describe phenomena. ecosystems and organisms, shapes 3 Planning and carrying out investigations landforms, and influences climate. **Clarification Statement:** • Winds and clouds in the atmosphere 4 Analyzing and interpreting data Examples could include the influence interact with the landforms to **5** Using mathematics and computational of the ocean on ecosystems, landform determine patterns of weather. shape, and climate; the influence of 6 Constructing explanations (for science) the atmosphere on landforms and and designing solutions (for ecosystems through weather and engineering) climate; and the influence of mountain 7 Engaging in argument from evidence ranges on winds and clouds in the 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and atmosphere. The geosphere, hydrocommunicating information sphere, atmosphere, and biosphere are each a system. Assessment Boundary:

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• A system can be described in terms of its components and their interactions.

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Assessment is limited to the interactions of two systems at a time.

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5-ESS2-2 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectation
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking in 3–5 builds on K-2 experiences and progresses to extending quantitative measurements to a variety of physical properties and using computation and mathematics to analyze data and compare alternative design solutions. Describe and graph quantities such as area and volume to address scientific questions. Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	The Roles of Water in Earth's Surface Processes: Nearly all of Earth's available water is in the ocean. Most fresh water is in glaciers or underground; only a tiny fraction is in streams, lakes, wetlands, and the atmosphere.	5-ESS2-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Describe and graph the amounts and percentages of water and fresh water in various reservoirs to provide evidence about the distribution of water on Earth. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to oceans, lakes, rivers, glaciers, ground water, and polar ice caps, and does not include the atmosphere. Only a tiny fraction is in streams, lakes, wetlands and the atmosphere.

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• Standard units are used to measure and describe physical quantities such as weight and volume.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

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5-ESS3-1 Earth and Human Activity

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information in 5 builds on K-2 experiences and progresses to evaluating the merit and accuracy of ideas and methods. Obtain and combine information from books and/or other reliable media to explain phenomena or solutions to a design problem. 	Human Impacts on Earth Systems: • Human activities in agriculture, industry, and everyday life have had major effects on the land, vegetation, streams, ocean, air, and even outer space. But individuals and communities are doing things to help protect Earth's resources and environments.	5-ESS3-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Obtain and combine information about ways individual communities use science ideas to protect the Earth's resources and environment. Clarification Statement: Examples of information might include the use of natural fertilizers or biological pest control by farmers, replanting trees after cutting them by the logging industry, and the institution of recycling programs in cities. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: System and System Models

• A system can be described in terms of its components and their interactions.

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6-12 Overview

The 6th – 12th Grade Oklahoma Academic Standards for Science include the following Domains:

Physical Science (PS)

2 Life Science (LS)

© Earth & Space Science (ESS)

Each Domain has a set of Topics in science that fit within that Domain:

• Physical Science (PS)

- Matter and Its Interactions (PS1)
- Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions (PS2)
- Energy (PS3)
- Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information

2 Life Science (LS)

- From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes (LS1)
- Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics (LS2)
- Heredity: Inheritance and Variation of Traits (LS3)
- Biological Unity and Diversity (LS4)

© Earth & Space Science (ESS)

- Earth's Place in the Universe (ESS1)
- Earth's Systems (ESS2)
- Earth and Human Activity (ESS4)

The abbreviations for the Domains and Topics are utilized in the naming system of each Performance Expectation found in the Oklahoma Academic Standards for Science.

For example, the Performance Expectation MS-PS1-4 represents the following:

GRADE: Middle School DOMAIN: Physical Science

TOPIC: Matter and its Interactions

STANDARD: 4

Each grade level contains Performance Expectations from each Domain. The progressions are unique from other grade spans in that Performance Expectations for a particular Topic are distributed across the 6th-8th grade. Performance Expectations for Physical Science Topic 1, "Matter and its Interactions," are highlighted in green. The standards are unique to each grade and their distribution ensures students will have obtained a collection of experiences that assists them in fully understand-

ing Topic 1 before they enter High School. Grade 6 Grade 7 Grade 8

In 9th-12th grade, each course contains Performance Expectations that may appear in other courses and does not necessarily integrate Performance Expectations from each Domain. The Performance Expectations for Physical Science Topic 1, "Matter and its Interactions," for high school are found in Physical Science, Chemistry, and Physics, and are highlighted in green in the table below. The Performance Expectations may be duplicated considering not every student will take all three courses. In some cases, the Performance Expectations appear in multiple courses with minor differences (see HS-PS4-1 in Physical Science, Chemistry, and Physics highlighted in blue) and sometimes the Performance Expectation is duplicated exactly (see HS-PS2-2 in Physical Science and Physics, highlighted in red). In some cases, Performance Expecta-

MS-PS1-4	MS-PS1-1	MS-PS1-3	tions may only appear in one course (see HS-PS2-6 in Chemistry).		
MS-PS2-3	MS-PS1-2	MS-PS1-5	Physical Calanas	Ch amiatan	Dh'
MS-PS2-5	MS-PS2-4	MS-PS1-6	Physical Science	Chemistry	Physics
MS-PS3-1	MS-PS3-6	MS-PS2-1	HS-PS1-1	HS-PS1-1	HS-PS1-8
MS-PS3-2	MS-LS1-4	MS-PS2-2	HS-PS1-2	HS-PS1-2	HS-PS2-1
MS-PS3-3	MS-LS1-5	MS-PS4-1	HS-PS1-5	HS-PS1-3	HS-PS2-2
MS-PS3-4	MS-LS1-8		HS-PS1-7	HS-PS1-4	HS-PS2-3
		MS-PS4-2	HS-PS2-1	HS-PS1-5	HS-PS2-4
MS-LS1-1	MS-LS3-1	MS-PS4-3	HS-PS2-2	HS-PS1-6	HS-PS2-5
MS-LS1-2	MS-LS3-2	MS-LS1-7	HS-PS2-3	HS-PS1-7	HS-PS3-1
MS-LS1-3	MS-LS4-3	MS-LS4-1	HS-PS2-5	HS-PS1-8	HS-PS3-2
MS-LS1-6	MS-LS4-4	MS-LS4-2	HS-PS3-1	HS-PS2-6	HS-PS3-3
MS-LS2-1	MS-LS4-5	MS-ESS1-4	HS-PS3-2	HS-PS3-3	HS-PS3-4
MS-LS2-2	MS-LS4-6	MS-ESS2-1	HS-PS3-3	HS-PS3-4	HS-PS3-5
MS-LS2-3	MS-ESS1-1	MS-ESS2-2	HS-PS3-4	HS-PS4-1	HS-PS4-1
MS-LS2-4	MS-ESS1-2	MS-ESS2-3	HS-PS4-1	HS-PS4-3	HS-PS4-2
MS-LS2-5	MS-ESS1-3	MS-ESS3-1	HS-PS4-2		HS-PS4-3
MS-ESS2-4	MS-ESS2-5	MS-ESS3-2	HS-PS4-4		HS-PS4-4
MS-ESS3-3	MS-ESS2-6	MS-ESS3-4			HS-PS4-5

MS-PS1-4 Matter and Its Interactions

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Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- Developing and using models Modeling in 6-8 builds on K-5 and progresses to developing, using and revising models to describe, test, and predict more abstract phenomena and design systems.
 - Develop a model to predict and/or describe phenomena.
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Structure and Properties of Matter:

- Gases and liquids are made of molecules or inert atoms that are moving about relative to each other.
 In a liquid, the molecules are constantly in contact with others; in a gas, they are widely spaced except when they happen to collide. In a solid, atoms are closely spaced and may vibrate in position but do not change relative locations.
- The changes of state that occur with variations in temperature or pressure can be described and predicted using these models of matter.

Definitions of Energy:

(secondary to MS-PS1-4)

- The term "heat" as used in everyday language refers both to thermal energy (the motion of atoms or molecules within a substance) and the transfer of that thermal energy from one object to another. In science, heat is used only for this second meaning; it refers to the energy transferred due to the temperature difference between two objects.
- The temperature of a system is proportional to the average internal kinetic energy and potential energy per atom or molecule (whichever is the appropriate building block for the system's material). The details of that relationship depend on the type of atom or molecule and the interactions among the atoms in the material.
- Temperature is not a direct measure of a system's total thermal energy.
- The total thermal energy (sometimes called the total internal energy) of a system depends jointly on the temperature, the total number of atoms in the system, and the state of the material.

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Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Develop a model that predicts and describes changes in particle motion, temperature, and state of a pure substance when thermal energy is added or removed.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on qualitative molecularlevel models of solids, liquids, and gases to show that adding or removing thermal energy increases or decreases kinetic energy of the particles until a change of state occurs. Examples of models could include drawings and diagrams. Examples of particles could include molecules or inert atoms. Examples of pure substances could include water, carbon dioxide, and helium.

Assessment Boundary:

The use of mathematical formulas is not intended

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

Cause and effect relationships may be used to predict phenomena in natural or designed systems.

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MS-PS2-3 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Asking questions and defining problems in grades 6–8 builds from grades K–5 experiences and progresses to specifying relationships between variables, and clarifying arguments and models.

Science & Engineering Practices

- Ask questions that can be investigated within the scope of the classroom, outdoor environment, and museums and other public facilities with available resources and, when appropriate, frame a hypothesis based on observations and scientific principles.
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- Tengaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Electric and magnetic (electromagnetic) forces can be attractive or repulsive, and their sizes depend on the magnitudes of the charges, currents, or magnetic strengths involved and on the distances between the interacting objects.

Types of Interactions:

Performance Expectations

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Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Ask questions about data to determine the factors that affect the strength of electric and magnetic forces.

Clarification Statement:

Examples of devices that use electric and magnetic forces could include electromagnets, electric motors, or generators. Examples of data could include the effect of the number of turns of wire on the strength of an electromagnet, or the effect of increasing the number or strength of magnets on the speed of an electric motor.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment about questions that require quantitative answers is limited to proportional reasoning and algebraic thinking. Assessment of Coulomb's Law is not intended.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships may be used to predict phenomena in natural or designed systems.

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MS-PS2-5 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to include investigations that use multiple variables and provide evidence to support explanations or design solutions. Conduct an investigation and evaluate the experimental design to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence that can meet the goals of the investigation. Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Types of Interactions: • Forces that act at a distance (electric, magnetic, and gravitational) can be explained by fields that extend through space and can be mapped by their effect on a test object (a charged object, or a ball, respectively).	MS-PS2-5 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Conduct an investigation and evaluate the experimental design to provide evidence that fields exist between objects exerting forces on each other even though the objects are not in contact. Clarification Statement: Examples of this phenomenon could include the interactions of magnets, electrically-charged strips of tape, and electrically-charged pith balls. Examples of investigations could include first-hand experiences or simulations. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to electric and magnetic fields, and limited to qualitative evidence for the existence of fields.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships may be used to predict phenomena in natural or designed systems.

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Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in 6–8 builds on K–5 and progresses to extending quantitative analysis to investigations, distinguishing between correlation and causation, and basic statistical techniques of data and error analysis. Construct and interpret graphical displays of data to identify linear and nonlinear relationships. Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information	Definitions of Energy: • Motion energy is properly called kinetic energy; it is proportional to the mass of the moving object and grows with the square of its speed.	MS-PS3-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Construct and interpret graphical displays of data to describe the relationships of kinetic energy to the mass of an object and to the speed of an object. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on descriptive relationships between kinetic energy and mass separately from kinetic energy and speed. Examples could include riding a bicycle at different speeds, rolling different sizes of rocks downhill, and getting hit by a wiffle ball versus a tennis ball. Assessment Boundary: Does not include mathematical calculations of kinetic energy.

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• Proportional relationships (e.g. speed as the ratio of distance traveled to time taken) among different types of quantities provide information about the magnitude of properties and processes.

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MS-PS3-2 Energy **Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Definitions of Energy:** Asking questions (for science) and MS-PS3-2 defining problems (for engineering) • A system of objects may also contain Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models stored (potential) energy, depending on understanding can: their relative positions. Modeling in 6-8 builds on K-5 and progresses to developing, using and Develop a model to describe revising models to describe, test, **Relationship Between** that when the arrangement and predict more abstract **Energy and Forces:** of objects interacting at a • When two objects interact, each one phenomena and design systems. distance changes, different exerts a force on the other that can • Develop a model to predict cause energy to be transferred to or amounts of potential energy and/or describe phenomena. from the object. 3 Planning and carrying out are stored in the system. investigations 4 Analyzing and interpreting data Clarification Statement: **5** Using mathematics and computational Emphasis is on relative amounts of potential energy, not on calculations of 6 Constructing explanations (for science) potential energy. Examples of objects and designing solutions (for within systems interacting at varying engineering) distances could include: the Earth and 7 Engaging in argument from evidence either a roller coaster cart at varying 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and positions on a hill or objects at varycommunicating information ing heights on shelves, changing the direction/orientation of a magnet, and a balloon with static electrical charge being brought closer to a classmate's hair. Examples of models could include representations, diagrams, pictures, and written descriptions of systems. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to two objects and electric, magnetic, and gravitational

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• Models can be used to represent systems and their interactions – such as inputs, processes, and outputs – and energy and matter flows within systems.

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interactions.

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Science & Engineering Practices

- 1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Occupantion Constructing explanations (for a constructing explanation) science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to include constructing explanations and designing solutions supported by multiple sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and theories.
 - Apply scientific ideas or principles to design, construct, and test a design of an object, tool, process or system.
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

MS-PS3-3 Energy

Definitions of Energy:

- Temperature is a measure of the average kinetic energy of particles
- The relationship between the temperature and the total energy of a system depends on the types, states, and amounts of matter present.

Conservation of Energy and Energy Transfer:

• Energy is spontaneously transferred out of hotter regions or objects and into colder ones.

Defining and Delimiting an Engineering Problem:

(secondary to MS-PS3-3)

• The more precisely a design task's criteria and constraints can be defined, the more likely it is that the designed solution will be successful. Specification of constraints includes consideration of scientific principles and other relevant knowledge that is likely to limit possible solutions.

Developing Possible Solutions:

(secondary to MS-PS3-3)

- A solution needs to be tested, and then modified on the basis of the test results in order to improve it.
- There are systematic processes for evaluating solutions with respect to how well they meet criteria and constraints of a problem.

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Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Apply scientific principles to design, construct, and test a device that either minimizes or maximizes thermal energy transfer.*

Performance Expectations

Clarification Statement:

Examples of devices could include an insulated box, a solar cooker, and a Styrofoam cup. Care should be taken with devices that concentrate significant amounts of energy, e.g. conduction, convection, and/or radiation.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include calculating the total amount of thermal energy transferred.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• The transfer of energy can be tracked as energy flows through a designed or natural system.

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MS-PS3-4 Energy

Science & Engineering Practices

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- Planning and carrying out investigations

Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 6–8 builds on K–5 experiences and progresses to include investigations that use multiple variables and provide evidence to support explanations or design solutions.

- Plan an investigation individually and collaboratively, and in the design: identify independent and dependent variables and controls, what tools are needed to do the gathering, how measurements will be recorded, and how many data are needed to support a claim.
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Definitions of Energy:

- Temperature is a measure of the average kinetic energy of particles of matter
- The relationship between the temperature and the total energy of a system depends on the types, states, and amounts of matter present.

Conservation of Energy and Energy Transfer:

• The amount of energy transfer needed to change the temperature of a matter sample by a given amount depends on the nature of the matter, the size of the sample, and the environment.

MS-PS3-4

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Plan an investigation to determine the relationships among the energy transferred, the type of matter, the mass, and the change in the average kinetic energy of the particles as measured by the temperature of the sample.

Clarification Statement:

Examples of experiments could include comparing final water temperatures after different masses of ice melted in the same volume of water with the same initial temperature, the temperature change of samples of different materials with the same mass as they cool or heat in the environment, or the same material with different masses when a specific amount of energy is added.

Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include calculating the total amount of thermal energy transferred.

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• Proportional relationships (e.g. speed as the ratio of distance traveled to time taken) among different types of quantities provide information about the magnitude of properties and processes.

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MS-LS1-1 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Planning and carrying out investigations in 6-8 builds on K- 5 experiences and progresses to include investigations that use multiple variables and provide evidence to support explanations or solutions. Conduct an investigation to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence that meet the goals of an investigation. Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Structure and Function: All living things are made up of cells, which is the smallest unit that can be said to be alive. An organism may consist of one single cell (unicellular) or many different numbers and types of cells (multicellular).	MS-LS1-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Conduct an investigation to provide evidence that living things are made of cells; either one cell or many different numbers and types of cells. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on developing evidence that living things are made of cells, distinguishing between living and non-living cells, and understanding that living things may be made of one cell or many and varied cells. Assessment Boundary: Assessments should provide evidence of students' abilities to identify evidence that living things are made of cells and distinguish between living and nonliving cells.

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• Phenomena that can be observed at one scale may not be observable at another scale.

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MS-LS1-2 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to developing, using, and revising models to describe, test, and predict more abstract phenomena and design systems. Develop and use a model to describe phenomena. Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Structure and Function: • Within cells, special structures are responsible for particular functions, and the cell membrane forms the boundary that controls what enters and leaves the cell.	MS-LS1-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Develop and use a model to describe the function of a cell as a whole and ways parts of cells contribute to the function. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on the cell functioning as a whole system and the primary role of identified parts of the cell, specifically the nucleus, chloroplasts, mitochondria, cell membrane, and cell wall. Other organelles should be introduced while covering this concept. Assessment Boundary: Assessment of organelle structure/function relationships is limited to the cell wall and cell membrane. Assessment of the function of the other organelles is limited to their relationship to the whole cell. Assessment does not include the biochemical function of cells or cell parts.

Crosscutting Concepts: Structure and Function

• Complex and microscopic structures and systems can be visualized, modeled, and used to describe how their function depends on the relationships among its parts, therefore complex natural structures/systems can be analyzed to determine how they function.

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MS-LS1-3 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 6–8 builds on K–5 experiences and progresses to constructing a convincing argument that supports or refutes claims for either explanations or solutions about the natural and designed world(s). Use an oral and written argument supported by evidence to support or refute an explanation or a model for a phenomenon. Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Structure and Function: In multicellular organisms, the body is a system of multiple interacting subsystems. These subsystems are groups of cells that work together to form tissues and organs that are specialized for particular body functions.	MS-LS1-3 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use argument supported by evidence for how the body is a system of interacting subsystems composed of groups of cells. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on the conceptual understanding that cells form tissues and tissues form organs specialized for particular body functions. Examples could include the interaction of subsystems within a system and the normal functioning of those systems. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include the mechanism of one body system independent of others. Assessment is limited to the circulatory, excretory, digestive, respiratory, muscular, and nervous systems.

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• Systems may interact with other systems; they may have sub-systems and be a part of larger complex systems.

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MS-LS1-6 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Asking questions (for science) and

Science & Engineering Practices

- defining problems (for engineering)
 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- Using mathematics and computational thinking
- ② Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
 Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 6–8 builds on K–5 experiences and progresses to include constructing explanations and designing solutions supported by multiple sources of evidence consistent with scientific knowledge, principles, and theories.
 - Construct a scientific explanation based on valid and reliable evidence obtained from sources (including the students' own experiments) and the assumption that theories and laws that describe the natural world operate today as they did in the past and will continue to do so in the future.
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Organization for Matter and Energy Flow in Organisms:

 Plants, algae (including phytoplankton), and many microorganisms use the energy from light to make sugars (food) from carbon dioxide from the atmosphere and water through the process of photosynthesis, which also releases oxygen. These sugars can be used immediately or stored for growth or later use.

Energy in Chemical Processes and Everyday Life:(secondary to MS-LS1-6):

(i.e., from sunlight) to occur.

 The chemical reaction by which plants produce complex food molecules (sugars) requires an energy input

 In this reaction, carbon dioxide and water combine to form carbon-based organic molecules and release oxygen.

Performance Expectations

MS-LS1-6

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Construct a scientific
explanation based on
evidence for the role of
photosynthesis in the cycling
of matter and flow of energy
into and out of organisms.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on tracing movement of matter and flow of energy.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include the biochemical mechanisms of photosynthesis.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Within a natural system, the transfer of energy drives the motion and/or cycling of matter.

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MS-LS2-1 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

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Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to extending quantitative analysis to investigations, distinguishing between correlation and causation, and basic statistical techniques of data and error analysis. Analyze and interpret data to provide evidence for phenomena. Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Interdependent Relationships in Ecosystems: Organisms, and populations of organisms, are dependent on their environmental interactions both with other living things and with nonliving factors. In any ecosystem, organisms and populations with similar requirements for food, water, oxygen, or other resources may compete with each other for limited resources, access to which consequently constrains their growth and reproduction. Growth of organisms and population increases are limited by access to resources.	MS-LS2-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Analyze and interpret data to provide evidence for the effects of resource availability on organisms and populations of organisms in an ecosystem. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on cause and effect relationships between resources and growth of individual organisms and the numbers of organisms in ecosystems during periods of abundant and scarce resources. Assessment Boundary: The model should focus on organisms' needs and how resources in the ecosystem meet those needs. Determining the carrying capacity of ecosystems is beyond the intent.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships may be used to predict phenomena in natural or designed systems.

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MS-LS2-2 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)

Science & Engineering Practices

- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- Using mathematics and computational thinking
- ② Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 6–8 builds on K–5 experiences and progresses to include constructing explanations and designing solutions supported by multiple sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and theories.
 - Construct an explanation that includes qualitative or quantitative relationships between variables that predict phenomena.
- Tengaging in argument from evidence
- 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Interdependent Relationships in Ecosystems:

 Predatory interactions may reduce the number of organisms or eliminate whole populations of organisms.
 Mutually beneficial interactions, in contrast, may become so interdependent that each organism requires the other for survival. Although the species involved in these competitive, predatory, and mutually beneficial interactions vary across ecosystems, the patterns of interactions of organisms with their environments, both living and nonliving, are shared.

Performance Expectations

MS-LS2-2

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Construct an explanation that predicts patterns of interactions among organisms across multiple ecosystems.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on predicting consistent patterns of interactions in different ecosystems in terms of the relationships among and between organisms and abiotic components of ecosystems. Examples of types of interactions could include competitive, predatory, and mutually beneficial (e.g., competition, predation, parasitism, commensalism, mutualism).

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment should provide evidence that students can explain the consistency for the interactions of organisms with other organisms and/or the environment across different ecosystems (e.g., ocean, forests, wetlands, deserts, terrariums, cities).

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns can be used to identify cause and effect relationships.

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MS-LS2-3 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices 1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)

- 2 Developing and using models Modeling in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to developing, using, and revising models to describe, test, and predict more abstract phenomena and design systems.
 - Develop a model to describe phenomena.
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational
- 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- (8) Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Cycle of Matter and Energy **Transfer in Ecosystems:**

- Food webs are models that demonstrate how matter and energy is transferred between producers, consumers, and decomposers as the three groups interact within an ecosystem.
- Transfers of matter into and out of the physical environment occur at every
- Decomposers recycle nutrients from dead plant or animal matter back to the soil in terrestrial environments or to the water in aquatic environments.
- The atoms that make up the organisms in an ecosystem are cycled repeatedly between the living and nonliving parts of the ecosystem.

Performance Expectations

MS-LS2-3

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Develop a model to describe the cycling of matter and flow of energy among living and nonliving parts of an ecosystem.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on describing the conservation of matter and flow of energy into and out of various ecosystems, and on defining the boundaries of the system.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include the use of chemical reactions to describe the processes.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• The transfer of energy can be tracked as energy flows through a natural system.

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MS-LS2-4 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 6–8 builds on K–5 experiences and progresses to constructing a convincing argument that supports or refutes claims for either explanations or solutions about the natural and designed world(s). Construct an oral and written argument supported by empirical evidence and scientific reasoning to support or refute an explanation or a model for a phenomenon or a solution to a problem. Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Ecosystem Dynamics, Functioning, and Resilience: • Ecosystems are dynamic in nature; their characteristics can vary over time. • Disruptions to any physical or biological component of an ecosystem can lead to shifts in all its populations.	MS-LS2-4 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Construct an argument supported by empirical evidence that changes to physical or biological components of an ecosystem affect populations. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on recognizing patterns in data and making warranted inferences about changes in populations, and on evaluating empirical evidence supporting arguments about changes to ecosystems. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Small changes in one part of a system might cause large changes in another part.

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Performance Expectations

MS-LS2-5 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics **Disciplinary Core Ideas**

1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)

Science & Engineering Practices

- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- Engaging in argument from evidence **Engaging in argument from** evidence in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to constructing a convincing argument that supports or refutes claims for either explanations or solutions about the natural and designed world(s).
 - Evaluate competing design solutions based on jointly developed and agreed-upon design criteria.
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Ecosystem Dynamics, Functioning, and Resilience:

- Biodiversity describes the variety of species found in Earth's terrestrial and oceanic ecosystems.
- The completeness or integrity of an ecosystem's biodiversity is often used as a measure of its health.

Biodiversity and Humans:

(secondary to MS-LS2-5)

• Changes in biodiversity can influence humans' resources, such as food, energy, and medicines, as well as ecosystem services that humans rely on—for example, water purification and recycling.

Developing Possible Solutions:

(secondary to MS-LS2-5)

- There are systematic processes for evaluating solutions with respect to how well they meet the criteria and constraints of a problem.
- * Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science

Influence of Engineering, Technology, and Science on Society and the Natural World:

• The use of technologies and any limitations on their use are driven by individual or societal needs, desires, and values; by the findings of scientific research; and by differences in such factors as climate, natural resources, and economic conditions. Thus technology use varies from region to region and

MS-LS2-5

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Evaluate competing design solutions for maintaining biodiversity and ecosystem services.*

Clarification Statement:

Examples of ecosystem services could include water purification, nutrient recycling, and prevention of soil erosion. Examples of design solution constraints could include scientific, economic, and social considerations.

Assessment Boundary:

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Small changes in one part of a system might cause large changes in another part.

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MS-ESS2-4 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to developing, using, and revising models to describe, test, and predict more abstract phenomena and design systems. Develop a model to describe 	The Roles of Water in Earth's Surface Processes: • Water continually cycles among land, ocean, and atmosphere via transpiration, evaporation, condensation and crystallization, and precipitation, as well as downhill flows on land. • Global movements of water and its changes in form are propelled by sunlight and gravity.	MS-ESS2-4 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Develop a model to describe the cycling of water through Earth's systems driven by energy from the sun and the force of gravity.
 unobservable mechanisms. Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 		Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on the ways water changes its state as it moves through the multiple pathways of the hydrologic cycle. Examples of models can be conceptual or physical. Assessment Boundary: A quantitative understanding of the latent heats of vaporization and fusion is not assessed.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Within a natural or designed system, the transfer of energy drives the motion and/or cycling of matter.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

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MS-ESS3-3 Earth and Human Activity

Science & Engineering Practices

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- 1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Occupantion Constructing explanations (for a constructing explanation) science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to include constructing explanations and designing solutions supported by multiple sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and theories.
 - Apply scientific principles to design an object, tool, process or system.
- **7** Engaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Human Impacts on Earth Systems:

- Human activities have significantly altered the biosphere, sometimes damaging or destroying natural habitats and causing the extinction of other species. But changes to Earth's environments can have different impacts (negative and positive) for different living things.
- Typically as human populations and per-capita consumption of natural resources increase, so do the negative impacts on Earth unless the activities and technologies involved are engineered otherwise.
- * Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science

Influence of Engineering, Technology, and Science on Society and the Natural World:

• The use of technologies and any limitations on their use are driven by individual or societal needs, desires, and differences in such factors as climate, natural resources, and economic conditions. Thus technology use varies from region to region and over time.

MS-ESS3-3

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Apply scientific principles to design a method for monitoring and minimizing human impact on the environment.*

Clarification Statement:

Examples of the design process include examining human environmental impacts, assessing the kinds of solutions that are feasible, and designing and evaluating solutions that could reduce that impact. Examples of human impacts can include water usage (such as the withdrawal of water from streams and aguifers or the construction of dams and levees), land usage (such as urban development, agriculture, or the removal of wetlands), and pollution (such as of the air, water, or land).

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

Relationships can be classified as causal or correlational, and correlation does not necessarily imply causation.

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MS-PS1-1 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in 6–8 builds on K–5 and progresses to developing, using and revising models to describe, test, and predict more abstract phenomena and design systems. Develop a model to predict and/or describe phenomena. Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information	Structure and Properties of Matter: Substances are made from different types of atoms, which combine with one another in various ways. Atoms form molecules that range in size from two to thousands of atoms. Solids may be formed from molecules, or they may be extended structures with repeating subunits (e.g., crystals).	MS-PS1-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Develop models to describe the atomic composition of simple molecules and extended structures. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on developing models of molecules that vary in complexity. Examples of simple molecules could include ammonia and methanol. Examples of extended structures could include sodium chloride or diamonds. Examples of molecular-level models could include drawings, 3D ball and stick structures, or computer representations showing different molecules with different types of atoms. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include valence electrons and bonding energy, discussing the ionic nature of subunits of complex structures, or a complete depiction of all individual atoms in a complex molecule or extended structure.

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• Time, space, and energy phenomena can be observed at various scales using models to study systems that are too large or too small.

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solubility, flammability, and odor.

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MS-PS1-2 Matter and Its Interactions

MIS-PS1-2 Matter and Its Interactions		
Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in 6-8 builds on K-5 and progresses to extending quantitative analysis to investigations, distinguishing between correlation and causation, and basic statistical techniques of data and error analysis. Analyze and interpret data to determine similarities and differences in findings. Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Structure and Properties of Matter: Each pure substance has characteristic physical and chemical properties (for any bulk quantity under given conditions) that can be used to identify it. Chemical Reactions: Substances react chemically in characteristic ways. In a chemical process, the atoms that make up the original substances are regrouped into different molecules, and these new substances have different properties from those of the reactants.	MS-PS1-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Analyze and interpret data on the properties of substances before and after the substances interact to determine if a chemical reaction has occurred. Clarification Statement: Analyze characteristic chemical and physical properties of pure substances. Examples of reactions could include burning sugar or steel wool, fat reacting with sodium hydroxide, and mixing zinc with HCl. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to analysis of the following properties: color change, formation of a gas, temperature change

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Macroscopic patterns are related to the nature of microscopic and atomic-level structure.

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MS-PS2-4 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 6-8 builds from K-5 experiences and progresses to constructing a convincing argument that supports or refutes claims for either explanations or solutions about the natural and designed world. Construct and present oral and written arguments supported by empirical evidence and scientific reasoning to support or refute an explanation or a model for a phenomenon or a solution to a problem. Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Types of Interactions: Gravitational forces are always attractive. There is a gravitational force between any two masses, but it is very small except when one or both of the objects have large mass—e.g., Earth and the sun.	MS-PS2-4 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Construct and present arguments using evidence to support the claim that gravitational interactions are attractive and depend on the masses of interacting objects. Clarification Statement: Examples of evidence for arguments could include data generated from simulations or digital tools; and charts displaying mass, strength of interaction, distance from the Sun, and orbital periods of objects within the solar system. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include Newton's Law of Gravitation or Kepler's Laws.

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• Models can be used to represent systems and their interactions—such as inputs, processes and outputs—and energy and matter flows within systems.

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MS-PS3-6 Energy		
Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to constructing a convincing argument that supports or refutes claims for either explanations or solutions about the natural and designed worlds. Construct, use, and present oral and written arguments supported by empirical evidence and scientific reasoning to support or refute an explanation or a model for a phenomenon. Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Conservation of Energy and Energy Transfer: • When the motion energy of an object changes, there is inevitably some other change in energy at the same time.	MS-PS3-6 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Construct, use, and present arguments to support the claim that when the kinetic energy of an object changes, energy is transferred to or from the object. Clarification Statement: Examples of empirical evidence used in arguments could include an inventory or other representation of the energy before and after the transfer in the form of temperature changes or motion of object. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include calculations of energy.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Energy may take different forms (e.g. energy in fields, thermal energy, energy of motion).

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MS-LS1-4 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Growth and Development 1 Asking questions (for science) and MS-LS1-4 defining problems (for engineering) of Organisms: Students who demonstrate • Animals engage in characteristic 2 Developing and using models understanding can: behaviors that increase the odds of 3 Planning and carrying out reproduction. investigations Use arguments based on 4 Analyzing and interpreting data • Plants reproduce in a variety of ways, empirical evidence and 5 Using mathematics and computational sometimes depending on animal scientific reasoning to behavior and specialized features for support an explanation **6** Constructing explanations (for science) reproduction. for how characteristic animal and designing solutions (for engineering) behaviors and specialized **7** Engaging in argument from evidence plant structures affect the **Engaging in argument from evidence** probability of successful in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences reproduction of animals and progresses to constructing a and plants respectively. convincing argument that supports or refutes claims for either explanations **Clarification Statement:** or solutions about the natural and Examples of behaviors that affect the designed world(s). probability of animal reproduction could Use an oral and written argument include nest building to protect young supported by empirical evidence from cold, herding of animals to protect and scientific reasoning to support young from predators, and vocalization or refute an explanation or a of animals and colorful plumage to model for a phenomenon or a attract mates for breeding. Examples solution to a problem. of animal behaviors that affect the 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and probability of plant reproduction could communicating information include transferring pollen or seeds and creating conditions for seed germination and growth. Examples of plant structures could include bright flowers attracting butterflies that transfer pollen, flower nectar and odors that attract insects that transfer pollen, and hard shells on nuts that squirrels bury.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Phenomena may have more than one cause, and some cause and effect relationships in systems can only be described using probability.

Assessment Boundary: N/A

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MS-LS1-5 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 6–8 builds on K–5 experiences and progresses to include constructing explanations and designing solutions supported by multiple sources of evidence consistent with scientific knowledge, principles, and theories. Construct a scientific explanation based on valid and reliable evidence obtained from sources (including the students' own experiments) and the assumption that theories and laws that describe the natural world operate today as they did in the past and will continue to do so in the future. Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Growth and Development of Organisms: • Genetic factors as well as local conditions affect the growth of the adult plant.	MS-LS1-5 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Construct a scientific explanation based on evidence for how environmental and genetic factors influence the growth of organisms. Clarification Statement: Examples of local environmental conditions could include availability of food, light, space, and water. Examples of genetic factors could include large breed cattle and species of grass affecting growth of organisms. Examples of evidence could include drought decreasing plant growth, fertilizer increasing plant growth, different varieties of plant seeds growing at different rates in different conditions, and fish growing larger in large ponds than they do in small ponds. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include genetic mechanisms, gene regulation, or biochemical processes.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Phenomena may have more than one cause, and some cause and effect relationships in systems can only be described using probability.

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MS-LS1-8 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Information Processing: 1 Asking questions (for science) and MS-LS1-8 defining problems (for engineering) • Each sense receptor responds to Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models different inputs (electromagnetic, understanding can: mechanical, chemical), transmitting 3 Planning and carrying out them as signals that travel along nerve investigations **Gather and synthesize** 4 Analyzing and interpreting data cells to the brain. The signals are then information that sensory 5 Using mathematics and computational processed in the brain, resulting in receptors respond to stimuli immediate behaviors or memories. by sending messages to the **6** Constructing explanations (for science) brain for immediate behavior and designing solutions (for engineering) or storage as memories. 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and Clarification Statement: communicating information Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information in 6-8 **Assessment Boundary:** builds on K-5 experiences and The assessment should provide progresses to evaluating the merit evidence of students' abilities to and validity of ideas and methods. provide a basic and conceptual Gather, read, and synthesize explanation that sensory cells respond information from multiple to stimuli in the environment and send appropriate sources and assess electrical impulses to the brain where the credibility, accuracy, and they are processed as either response possible bias of each publication or memory. Assessment does not and methods used, and describe include mechanisms for the how they are supported or not transmission of this information. supported by evidence.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships may be used to predict phenomena in natural systems.

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MS-LS3-1 Heredity: Inheritance and Variation of Traits

Science & Engineering Practices

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- Developing and using models Modeling in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to developing, using, and revising models to describe, test, and predict more abstract phenomena and design systems.
 - Develop and use a model to describe phenomena.
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- **8** Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Inheritance of Traits:

- Genes are located in the chromosomes of cells, with each chromosome pair containing two variants of each of many distinct genes. Each distinct gene chiefly controls the production of specific proteins, which in turn affects the traits of the individual.
- Changes (mutations) to genes can result in changes to proteins, which can affect the structures and functions of the organism and thereby change traits.

Variation of Traits:

- In addition to variations that arise from sexual reproduction, genetic information can be altered because of mutations.
- Though rare, mutations may result in changes to the structure and function of proteins.
- Some changes are beneficial, others harmful, and some neutral to the organism.

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Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Develop and use a model to describe why structural changes to genes (mutations) located on chromosomes may affect proteins and may result in harmful, beneficial, or neutral effects to the structure and function of the organism.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on conceptual understanding that changes in genetic material may result in making different proteins.
Examples: Radiation treated plants, genetically modified organisms (e.g. roundup resistant crops, bioluminescence), mutations both harmful and beneficial.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include specific changes at the molecular level, mechanisms for protein synthesis, or specific types of mutations.

Crosscutting Concepts: Structure and Function

• Complex and microscopic structures and systems can be visualized, modeled, and used to describe how their function depends on the shapes, composition, and relationships among its parts, therefore complex natural structures/systems can be analyzed to determine how they function.

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MS-LS3-2 Heredity: Inheritance and Variation of Traits

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)

Science & Engineering Practices

Developing and using models Modeling in 6–8 builds on K–5 and progresses to developing, using and revising models to describe, test, and predict more abstract phenomena and design systems.

- Develop and use a model to describe phenomena.
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Growth and Development of Organisms:

(secondary to MS-LS3-2)

 Organisms reproduce, either sexually or asexually, and transfer their genetic information to their offspring

Inheritance of Traits:

 Variations of inherited traits between parent and offspring arise from genetic differences that result from the subset of chromosomes (and therefore genes) inherited.

Variation of Traits:

 In sexually reproducing organisms, each parent contributes half of the genes acquired (at random) by the offspring. Individuals have two of each chromosome and hence two alleles of each gene, one acquired from each parent. These versions may be identical or may differ from each other.

Performance Expectations

MS-LS3-2

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Develop and use a model to describe why asexual reproduction results in offspring with identical genetic information and sexual reproduction results in offspring with genetic variation.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on using models such as Punnett squares, diagrams, and simulations to describe the cause and effect relationship of gene transmission from parent(s) to offspring and resulting genetic variation.

Assessment Boundary:

The assessment should measure the students' abilities to explain the general outcomes of sexual versus asexual reproduction in terms of variation seen in the offspring.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships may be used to predict phenomena in natural systems.

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MS-LS4-3 Biological Unity and Diversity

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in 6–8 builds on K–5 experiences and progresses to extending quantitative analysis to investigations, distinguishing between correlation and causation, and basic statistical techniques of data and error analysis. Analyze displays of data to identify linear and nonlinear relationships. Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Evidence of Common Ancestry and Diversity: • Comparison of the embryological development of different species also reveals similarities that show relationships not evident in the fully-formed anatomy.	MS-LS4-3 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Analyze displays of pictorial data to compare patterns of similarities in the embryological development across multiple species to identify relationships not evident in the fully formed anatomy. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on inferring general patterns of relatedness among embryos of different organisms by comparing the macroscopic appearance of diagrams or pictures. Assessment Boundary: Assessment of comparisons is limited to gross appearance of anatomical structures in embryological development.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Graphs, charts, and images can be used to identify patterns in data.

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MS-LS4-4 Biological Unity and Diversity

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 6–8 builds on K–5 experiences and progresses to include constructing explanations and designing solutions supported by multiple sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and theories. Construct an explanation that includes qualitative or quantitative relationships between variables that describe phenomena. Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Natural Selection: • Natural selection leads to the predominance of certain traits in a population, and the suppression of others.	MS-LS4-4 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Construct an explanation based on evidence that describes how genetic variations of traits in a population increase some individuals' probability of surviving and reproducing in a specific environment. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on using simple probability statements and proportional reasoning to construct explanations. Assessment Boundary: The assessment should provide evidence of students' abilities to explain why some traits are suppressed and other traits become more prevalent for those individuals better at finding food, shelter, or avoiding predators.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Phenomena may have more than one cause, and some cause and effect relationships in systems can only be described using probability.

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both individuals and society.

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MS-LS4-5 Biological Unity and Diversity

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Natural Selection: 1 Asking questions (for science) and **MS-LS4-5** • In artificial selection, humans have defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models the capacity to influence certain understanding can: characteristics of organisms by selective 3 Planning and carrying out investigations breeding. One can choose desired **Gather and synthesize** 4 Analyzing and interpreting data parental traits determined by genes, information about the **5** Using mathematics and which are then passed on to offspring. technologies that have computational thinking changed the way humans * Connections to Engineering, 6 Constructing explanations (for science) Technology, and Application of Science influence the inheritance of and designing solutions (for engineering) desired traits in organisms.* 7 Engaging in argument from evidence Interdependence of Science, 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and **Engineering, and Technology:** Clarification Statement: • Engineering advances have led to communicating information Emphasis is on synthesizing information important discoveries in virtually Obtaining, evaluating, and from reliable sources about the influence communicating information in 6-8 every field of science, and scientific of humans on genetic outcomes in artifibuilds on K-5 experiences and discoveries have led to the cial selection (such as genetic modificadevelopment of entire industries progresses to evaluating the merit tion, animal husbandry, gene therapy); and validity of ideas and methods. and engineered systems. and, on the impacts these technologies Gather, read, and synthesize have on society as well as the technoloinformation from multiple gies leading to these scientific discoveries. appropriate sources and assess the credibility, accuracy, and Assessment Boundary: possible bias of each publication The assessment should provide evidence and methods used, and describe of students' abilities to understand and how they are supported or not communicate how technology affects

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

supported by evidence.

• Phenomena may have more than one cause, and some cause and effect relationships in systems can only be described using probability.

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MS-LS4-6 Biological Unity and Diversity

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Adaptation: 1 Asking questions (for science) and MS-LS4-6 Adaptation by natural selection acting defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models over generations is one important understanding can: 3 Planning and carrying out process by which species change investigations over time in response to changes in Use mathematical 4 Analyzing and interpreting data environmental conditions. representations to Using mathematics and Traits that support successful survival support explanations of and reproduction in the new computational thinking how natural selection may environment become more common; Mathematical and computational those that do not, become less common. thinking in 6-8 builds on K-5 lead to increases and Thus, the distribution of traits in a experiences and progresses to decreases of specific traits identifying patterns in large data population changes. in populations over time. sets and using mathematical concepts to support explanations Clarification Statement: and arguments. Emphasis is on using mathematical • Use mathematical representations models, probability statements, and to support scientific conclusions and proportional reasoning to support design solutions. explanations of trends in changes 6 Constructing explanations (for science) to populations over time. and designing solutions (for engineering) **Assessment Boundary:** 7 Engaging in argument from evidence The assessment should provide 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and evidence of students' abilities to communicating information explain trends in data for the number of individuals with specific traits changing over time. Assessment does not include Hardy Weinberg calculations.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Phenomena may have more than one cause, and some cause and effect relationships in systems can only be described using probability.

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MS-ESS1-1 Earth's Place in the Universe

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)

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- Developing and using models Modeling in 6–8 builds on K–5 experiences and progresses to developing, using, and revising models to describe, test, and predict more abstract phenomena
 - Develop and use a model to describe phenomena.
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations

and design systems.

- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Patterns of the apparent motion of the sun, the moon, and stars in the sky can be observed, described, predicted, and explained with models.

Earth and the Solar System:

The Universe and Its Stars:

- The model of the solar system can explain eclipses of the sun and the
- Earth's spin axis is fixed in direction over the short-term but tilted relative to its orbit around the sun.
- The seasons are a result of that tilt and are caused by the differential intensity of sunlight on different areas of Earth across the year.

Performance Expectations

MS-ESS1-1

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Develop and use a model of the Earth-sun-moon system to describe the cyclic patterns of lunar phases, eclipses of the sun and moon, and seasons.

Clarification Statement:

Earth's rotation relative to the positions of the moon and sun describes the occurrence of tides; the revolution of Earth around the sun explains the annual cycle of the apparent movement of the constellations in the night sky; the moon's revolution around Earth explains the cycle of spring/neap tides and the occurrence of eclipses; the moon's elliptical orbit mostly explains the occurrence of total and annular eclipses. Examples of models can be physical, graphical, or conceptual.

Assessment Boundary:

N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns can be used to identify cause- and-effect relationships.

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MS-ESS1-2 Earth's Place in the Universe

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations The Universe and Its Stars: 1 Asking questions (for science) and MS-ESS1-2 defining problems (for engineering) • Earth and its solar system are part of Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models the Milky Way galaxy, which is one of understanding can: many galaxies in the universe. Modeling in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to Develop and use a model developing, using, and revising Earth and the Solar System: to describe the role of gravity models to describe, test, and • The solar system consists of the sun in the motions within galaxies and a collection of objects, including predict more abstract phenomena and the solar system. planets, their moons, and asteroids that and design systems. are held in orbit around the sun by its • Develop and use a model to gravitational pull on them. Clarification Statement: describe phenomena. 3 Planning and carrying out • The solar system appears to have Emphasis for the model is on gravity formed from a disk of dust and gas, as the force that holds together the investigations drawn together by gravity. solar system and Milky Way galaxy 4 Analyzing and interpreting data and controls orbital motions within **5** Using mathematics and computational them. Examples of models can be 6 Constructing explanations (for science) physical (such as the analogy of distance along a football field or and designing solutions (for computer visualizations of elliptical engineering) orbits) or conceptual (such as 7 Engaging in argument from evidence mathematical proportions relative 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information to the size of familiar objects such as their school or state). Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include Kepler's Laws of orbital motion or the apparent retrograde motion of the planets as viewed from Earth.

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• Models can be used to represent systems and their interactions.

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MS-ESS1-3 Earth's Place in the Universe

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Earth and The solar

- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in 6–8 builds on K–5 experiences and progresses to e xtending quantitative analysis to investigations, distinguishing between correlation and causation, and basic statistical techniques of data and error analysis.

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- Analyze and interpret data to determine similarities and differences in findings.
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- **3** Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Earth and the Solar System:

- The solar system consists of the sun and a collection of objects, including planets, their moons, and asteroids that are held in orbit around the sun by its gravitational pull on them.
- * Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science

Interdependence of Science, Engineering, and Technology:

 Engineering advances have led to important discoveries in virtually every field of science, and scientific discoveries have led to the development of entire industries and engineered systems.

Performance Expectations

MS-ESS1-3

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Analyze and interpret data to determine scale properties of objects in the solar system.*

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on the analysis of data from Earth-based instruments, space-based telescopes, and spacecraft to determine similarities and differences among solar system objects. Examples of scale properties include the sizes of an object's layers (such as crust and atmosphere), surface features (such as volcanoes), and orbital radius. Examples of data include statistical information, drawings and photographs, and models.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include recalling facts about properties of the planets and other solar system bodies.

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• Time, space, and energy phenomena can be observed at various scales using models to study systems that are too large or too small.

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MS-ESS2-5 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Planning and carrying out investigations in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to include investigations that use multiple variables and provide evidence to support explanations or solutions. Collect data to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence to answer scientific questions or test design solutions under a range of conditions. Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Weather and Climate: • Because these patterns are so complex, weather can only be predicted probabilistically.	MS-ESS2-5 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Collect data to provide evidence for how the motions and complex interactions of air masses results in changes in weather conditions. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on how air masses flow from regions of high pressure to low pressure, causing weather (defined by temperature, pressure, humidity, precipitation, and wind) at a fixed location to change over time, and how sudden changes in weather can result when different air masses collide. Emphasis is on how weather can be predicted within probabilistic ranges. Examples of data can be provided to students (such as weather maps, diagrams, and visualizations) or obtained through laboratory experiments (such as with condensation). Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include recalling the names of cloud types or weather symbols used on weather maps or the reported diagrams from weather stations.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships may be used to predict phenomena in natural or designed systems.

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MS-ESS2-6 Earth's Systems

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Performance Expectations

- 1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models Modeling in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to developing, using, and revising models to describe, test, and predict more abstract phenomena and design systems.
 - Develop and use a model to describe phenomena.
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational
- 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- (8) Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

The Roles of Water in **Earth's Surface Processes:**

• Variations in density due to variations in temperature and salinity drive a global pattern of interconnected ocean

Weather and Climate:

- Weather and climate are influenced by interactions involving sunlight, the ocean, the atmosphere, ice, landforms, and living things. These interactions vary with latitude, altitude, and local and regional geography, all of which can affect oceanic and atmospheric flow patterns.
- The ocean exerts a major influence on weather and climate by absorbing energy from the sun, releasing it over time, and globally redistributing it through ocean currents.

MS-ESS2-6

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Develop and use a model to describe how unequal heating and rotation of the Earth causes patterns of atmospheric and oceanic circulation that determine regional climates.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on how patterns vary by latitude, altitude, and geographic land distribution. Emphasis of atmospheric circulation is on the sunlight-driven latitudinal banding, the Coriolis effect, and resulting prevailing winds; emphasis of ocean circulation (e.g. el niño/la niña) is on the transfer of heat by the global ocean convection cycle, which is constrained by the Coriolis effect and the outlines of continents. Examples of models can be diagrams, maps and globes, or digital representations.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include the dynamics of the Coriolis effect.

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• Models can be used to represent systems and their interactions—such as inputs, processes and outputs— and energy, matter, and information flows within systems.

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MS-PS1-3 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Structure and Properties of Matter: MS-PS1-3 1 Asking questions (for science) and • Each pure substance has characteristic defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate physical and chemical properties (for 2 Developing and using models understanding can: any bulk quantity under given conditions) 3 Planning and carrying out investigations that can be used to identify it. Gather and make sense of 4 Analyzing and interpreting data **Chemical Reactions:** information to describe that 5 Using mathematics and computational • Substances react chemically in synthetic materials come from thinking characteristic ways. natural resources and impact 6 Constructing explanations (for science) • In a chemical process, the atoms that society.* and designing solutions (for make up the original substances are engineering) regrouped into different molecules, 7 Engaging in argument from evidence Clarification Statement: and these new substances have 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and Emphasis is on natural resources that different properties from those of the undergo a chemical process to form communicating information reactants. Obtaining, evaluating, and the synthetic material. Examples of new communicating information in 6-8 materials could include new medicine, * Connections to Engineering, builds on K-5 and progresses to foods, and alternative fuels. Technology, and Application of Science evaluating the merit and validity of Interdependence of Science, ideas and methods. Assessment Boundary: **Engineering, and Technology:** Gather, read, and synthesize Not assessed at state level*. • Engineering advances have led to information from multiple important discoveries in virtually every appropriate sources and assess field of science, and scientific discoveries the credibility, accuracy, and have led to the development of entire possible bias of each publication industries and engineered systems. and methods used, and describe how they are supported or not Interdependence of Science, supported by evidence. **Engineering, and Technology** on Society and the Natural World: • The uses of technologies and any

Crosscutting Concepts: Structure and Function

• Structures can be designed to serve particular functions by taking into account properties of different materials, and how materials can be shaped and used.

and economic conditions.

limitations on their use are driven by individual or societal needs, desires, and values; by the findings of scientific research; and by differences in such factors as climate, natural resources,

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Science & Engineering Practices

Disciplinary Core Ideas

MS-PS1-5 Matter and Its Interactions

Performance Expectations

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- Developing and using models Modeling in 6–8 builds on K–5 and progresses to developing, using and revising models to describe, test, and predict more abstract phenomena and design systems.
 - Develop a model to describe unobservable mechanisms.
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- **7** Engaging in argument from evidence
- 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Chemical Reactions:

- Substances react chemically in characteristic ways.
- In a chemical process, the atoms that make up the original substances are regrouped into different molecules, and these new substances have different properties from those of the reactants.
- The total number of each type of atom is conserved, and thus the mass does not change.
- * Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science

Science Models, Laws, Mechanisms, and Theories Explain Natural Phenomena:

• Laws are regularities or mathematical descriptions of natural phenomena.

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Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Develop and use a model to describe how the total number of atoms does not change in a chemical reaction and thus mass is conserved.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on law of conservation of matter and on physical models or drawings, including digital forms, that represent atoms.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include the use of atomic masses or intermolecular forces.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Matter is conserved because atoms are conserved in physical and chemical processes.

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MS-PS1-6 Matter and Its Interactions

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)

Science & Engineering Practices

- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- Using mathematics and computational thinking
- ① Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to include constructing explanations and designing solutions supported by multiple sources of evidence consistent with scientific knowledge, principles, and theories.
 - Undertake a design project, engaging in the design cycle, to construct and/or implement a solution that meets specific design criteria and constraints.
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Chemical Reactions:

• Some chemical reactions release energy, others store energy.

Developing Possible Solutions:

(secondary to MS-PS1-6)

 A solution needs to be tested, and then modified on the basis of the test results, in order to improve it.

Optimizing the Design Solution:

(secondary to MS-PS1-6)

- Although one design may not perform
 the best across all tests, identifying the
 characteristics of the design that
 performed the best in each test can
 provide useful information for the
 redesign process—that is, some of the
 characteristics may be incorporated into
 the new design.
- The iterative process of testing the most promising solutions and modifying what is proposed on the basis of the test results leads to greater refinement and ultimately to an optimal solution.

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Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Undertake a design project to construct, test, and modify a device that either releases or absorbs thermal energy by chemical processes.*

Performance Expectations

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on the design, controlling the transfer of energy to the environment, and modification of a device using factors such as type and concentration of a substance. Examples of designs could involve chemical reactions such as dissolving ammonium chloride or calcium chloride.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment is limited to the criteria of amount, time, and temperature of substance in testing the device.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• The transfer of energy can be tracked as energy flows through a designed or natural system.

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MS-PS2-1 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices 1 Asking questions (for science) and

- defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to include constructing explanations and designing solutions supported by multiple sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and theories.
 - Apply scientific ideas or principles to design an object, tool, process or system.
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Forces and Motion:

- For any pair of interacting objects, the force exerted by the first object on the second object is equal in strength to the force that the second object exerts on the first, but in the opposite direction (Newton's third law).
- * Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science

Interdependence of Science, Engineering, and Technology on Society and the Natural World:

• The uses of technologies and any limitations on their use are driven by individual or societal needs, desires, and values; by the findings of scientific research; and by differences in such factors as climate, natural resources, and economic conditions.

Performance Expectations

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Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Apply Newton's Third Law to design a solution to a problem involving the motion of two colliding objects.*

Clarification Statement:

Examples of practical problems could include the impact of collisions between two cars, between a car and stationary objects, and between a meteor and a space vehicle.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment is limited to vertical or horizontal interactions in one dimension.

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• Models can be used to represent systems and their interactions—such as inputs, processes and outputs—and energy and matter flows within systems.

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MS-PS2-2 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Forces and Motion: 1 Asking questions (for science) and MS-PS2-2 • The motion of an object is determined defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate by the sum of the forces acting on it; if 2 Developing and using models understanding can: the total force on the object is not zero, 3 Planning and carrying out investigations its motion will change. Plan an investigation to Planning and carrying out • The greater the mass of the object, the provide evidence that the investigations to answer questions greater the force needed to achieve the change in an object's motion same change in motion. or test solutions to problems in 6-8 depends on the sum of the • For any given object, a larger force builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to include investigations causes a larger change in motion. forces on the object and the that use multiple variables and provide mass of the object. evidence to support explanations or design solutions. Clarification Statement: Plan an investigation individually Emphasis is on balanced (Newton's and collaboratively, and in the First Law) and unbalanced forces in design: identify independent and a system, qualitative comparisons of dependent variables and controls, forces, mass and changes in motion what tools are needed to do the (Newton's Second Law), frame of gathering, how measurements will reference, and specification of units. be recorded, and how many data are needed to support a claim. **Assessment Boundary:** 4 Analyzing and interpreting data Assessment is limited to forces and **5** Using mathematics and changes in motion in one-dimension computational thinking in an inertial reference frame and to **6** Constructing explanations (for science) change in one variable at a time. and designing solutions (for Assessment does not include the engineering) use of trigonometry. 7 Engaging in argument from evidence

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

• Explanations of stability and change in natural or designed systems can be constructed by examining the changes over time and forces at different scales.

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Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Mathematical and computational thinking at the 6–8 level builds on K–5 and progresses to identifying patterns in large data sets and using mathematical concepts to support explanations and arguments. Use mathematical representations to describe and/or support scientific conclusions and design solutions. Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Waves Properties: • A simple wave has a repeating pattern with a specific wavelength, frequency, and amplitude.	MS-PS4-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use mathematical representations to describe a simple model for waves that includes how the amplitude of a wave is related to the energy in a wave. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on describing waves with both qualitative and quantitative thinking. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include electromagnetic waves and is limited to standard repeating waves.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Graphs and charts can be used to identify patterns in data.

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MS-PS4-2 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Waves Properties: 1 Asking questions (for science) and **MS-PS4-2** • A sound wave needs a medium through defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate which it is transmitted. 2 Developing and using models understanding can: Modeling in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to **Electromagnetic Radiation:** Develop and use a model developing, using, and revising • When light shines on an object, it is to describe that waves are models to describe, test, and reflected, absorbed, or transmitted reflected, absorbed, or through the object, depending on the predict more abstract phenomena transmitted through object's material and the frequency and design systems. (color) of the light. various materials. • Develop and use a model to The path that light travels can be describe phenomena. 3 Planning and carrying out traced as straight lines, except at **Clarification Statement:** surfaces between different transparent investigations Emphasis is on both light and materials (e.g., air and water, air and 4 Analyzing and interpreting data mechanical waves. Examples of glass) where the light path bends. **5** Using mathematics and computational models could include drawings, • A wave model of light is useful for simulations, and written descriptions. 6 Constructing explanations (for science) explaining brightness, color, and the frequency-dependent bending of light and designing solutions (for Assessment Boundary: at a surface between media. However, engineering) Assessment is limited to qualitative because light can travel through space, 7 Engaging in argument from evidence applications pertaining to light and (8) Obtaining, evaluating, and it cannot be a matter wave, like sound mechanical waves. communicating information or water waves.

Crosscutting Concepts: Structure and Function

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• Structures can be designed to serve particular functions by taking into account properties of different materials, and how materials can be shaped and used.

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Crosscutting Concepts: Structure and Function

• Structures can be designed to serve particular functions.

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MS-LS1-7 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices • Asking questions (for science) and

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)

- ② Developing and using models Modeling in 6–8 builds on K–5 experiences and progresses to developing, using, and revising models to describe, test, and predict more abstract phenomena and design systems.
 - Develop a model to describe unobservable mechanisms.
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
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Disciplinary Core Ideas

Organization for Matter and Energy Flow in Organisms:

 Within individual organisms, food moves through a series of chemical reactions in which it is broken down and rearranged to form new molecules, to support growth, or to release energy.

Energy in Chemical Processes and Everyday Life:(secondary to MS-LS1-7)

 Cellular respiration in plants and animals involve chemical reactions with oxygen that release stored energy. In these processes, complex molecules containing carbon react with oxygen to produce carbon dioxide and other materials.

Performance Expectations

MS-LS1-7

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Develop a model to describe how food is rearranged through chemical reactions forming new molecules that support growth and/or release energy as this matter moves through an organism.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on describing that molecules are broken apart and put back together and that in this process, energy is released.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include details of the chemical reactions for photosynthesis or respiration.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Matter is conserved because atoms are conserved in physical and chemical processes.

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MS-LS4-1 Biological Unity and Diversity

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in 6–8 builds on K–5 experiences and progresses to extending quantitative analysis to investigations, distinguishing between correlation and causation, and basic statistical techniques of data and error analysis. Analyze and interpret data to determine similarities and differences in findings. Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information	Evidence of Common Ancestry and Diversity: • The collection of fossils and their placement in chronological order (e.g., through the location of the sedimentary layers in which they are found) is known as the fossil record. It documents the existence, diversity, extinction, and change of many life forms throughout the history of life on Earth.	MS-LS4-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Analyze and interpret data for patterns in the fossil record that document the existence, diversity, extinction, and change of life forms throughout the history of life on Earth under the assumption that natural laws operate today as in the past. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on finding patterns of changes in the level of complexity of anatomical structures in organisms and the chronological order of fossil appearance in the rock layers. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include the names of individual species or geological eras in the fossil record.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Graphs, charts, and images can be used to identify patterns in data.

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MS-LS4-2 Biological Unity and Diversity

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Evidence of Common 1 Asking questions (for science) and MS-LS4-2 Ancestry and Diversity: defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate • The collection of fossils and their 2 Developing and using models understanding can: placement in chronological order (e.g., 3 Planning and carrying out investigations through the location of the sedimentary Apply scientific ideas 4 Analyzing and interpreting data layers in which they are found) is known to construct an explanation **5** Using mathematics and as the fossil record. It documents the for the anatomical similarities existence, diversity, extinction, and computational thinking and differences among change of many life forms throughout 6 Constructing explanations the history of life on Earth. modern organisms and (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) between modern and fossil Constructing explanations and organisms to infer ancestral designing solutions in 6-8 builds relationships. on K-5 experiences and progresses to include constructing explanations **Clarification Statement:** and designing solutions supported Emphasis is on explanations of by multiple sources of evidence the ancestral relationships among consistent with scientific ideas, organisms in terms of similarity or principles, and theories. differences of the gross appearance Apply scientific ideas to construct of anatomical structures. an explanation for real-world phenomena, examples, or events. Assessment Boundary: 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns can be used to identify cause and effect relationships.

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MS-ESS1-4 Earth's Place in the Universe

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations The History of Planet Earth: 1 Asking questions (for science) and MS-ESS1-4 defining problems (for engineering) • The geologic time scale interpreted Students who demonstrate from rock strata provides a way to 2 Developing and using models understanding can: organize Earth's history. 3 Planning and carrying out • Analyses of rock strata and the fossil investigations Construct a scientific 4 Analyzing and interpreting data record provide only relative dates, explanation based on **5** Using mathematics and computational not an absolute scale. evidence from rock strata thinking for how the geologic time 6 Constructing explanations scale is used to organize (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Earth's geologic history. Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 6-8 builds Clarification Statement: on K-5 experiences and progresses Emphasis is on analyses of rock formato include constructing explanations tions and fossils they contain to establish and designing solutions supported relative ages of major events in Earth's by multiple sources of evidence history. Major events could include consistent with scientific ideas, the formation of mountain chains and principles, and theories. ocean basins, adaptation and extinction Construct a scientific explanation of particular living organisms, volcanic based on valid and reliable eruptions, periods of massive glaciation, evidence obtained from sources and the development of watersheds (including the students' own and rivers through glaciation and water experiments) and the assumption erosion. The events in Earth's history that theories and laws that happened in the past continue today. describe the natural world operate Scientific explanations can include today as they did in the past and models. will continue to do so in the future. Assessment Boundary: Tengaging in argument from evidence Assessment does not include recalling 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and the names of specific periods or epochs communicating information and events within them.

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• Time, space, and energy phenomena can be observed at various scales using models to study systems that are too large or too small.

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MS-ESS2-1 Earth's Systems

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Explanations of stability and change in natural or designed systems can be constructed by examining the changes over time and processes at different scales, including the atomic scale.

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MS-ESS2-2 Earth's Systems

Performance Expectations

Science & Engineering Practices

- 1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to include constructing explanations and designing solutions supported by multiple sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and theories.
 - Construct a scientific explanation based on valid and reliable evidence obtained from sources (including the students' own experiments) and the assumption that theories and laws that describe the natural world operate today as they did in the past and will continue to do so in the future.
- Tengaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Earth's Materials and Systems:

• The planet's systems interact over scales that range from microscopic to global in size. These interactions have shaped Earth's history and will determine its

Disciplinary Core Ideas

The Roles of Water in Earth's Surface Processes:

• Water's movements—both on the land and underground—cause weathering and erosion, which change the land's surface features and create underground formations.

MS-ESS2-2

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Construct an explanation based on evidence for how geoscience processes have changed Earth's surface at varying time and spatial scales.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on how processes change Earth's surface at time and spatial scales that can be large (such as slow plate motions or the uplift of a large mountain ranges) or small (such as rapid landslides on microscopic geochemical reactions), and how many geoscience processes usually behave gradually but are punctuated by catastrophic events (such as earthquakes, volcanoes, and meteor impacts). Examples of geoscience processes include surface weathering and deposition by the movements of water, ice, and wind. Emphasis is on geoscience processes that shape local geographic features, where appropriate.

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• Time, space, and energy phenomena can be observed at various scales using models to study systems that are too large or too small.

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MS-ESS2-3 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations The History of Planet Earth: 1 Asking questions (for science) and MS-ESS2-3 (Secondary to 8-ESS2-3) defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate • Tectonic processes continually generate 2 Developing and using models understanding can: new ocean sea floor at ridges and 3 Planning and carrying out investigations destroy old sea floor at trenches. Analyze and interpret data Analyzing and interpreting data on the distribution of fossils Analyzing data in 6-8 builds on K-5 Plate Tectonics and Largeand rocks, continental shapes, Scale System Interactions: experiences and progresses to and seafloor structures to • Maps of ancient land and water extending quantitative analysis to patterns, based on investigations provide evidence of the past investigations, distinguishing of rocks and fossils, make clear how between correlation and causation, plate motions. and basic statistical techniques of Earth's plates have moved great distances, collided, and spread apart. data and error analysis. Clarification Statement: Analyze and interpret data to Examples of data include similarities provide evidence for phenomena. of rock and fossil types on different **5** Using mathematics and computational continents, the shapes of the continents thinking (including continental shelves), and the 6 Constructing explanations (for science) locations of ocean structures (such as and designing solutions (for ridges, fracture zones, and trenches). engineering) 7 Engaging in argument from evidence Assessment Boundary: 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and Paleomagnetic anomalies in oceanic communicating information and continental crust are not assessed.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Patterns in rates of change and other numerical relationships can provide information about natural systems.

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MS-ESS3-1 Earth and Human Activity

Science & Engineering Practices

- 1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to include constructing explanations and designing solutions supported by multiple sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and theories.
 - Construct a scientific explanation based on valid and reliable evidence obtained from sources (including the students' own experiments) and the assumption that theories and laws that describe the natural world operate today as they did in the past and will continue to do so in the future.
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Natural Resources:

- Humans depend on Earth's land, ocean, atmosphere, and biosphere for many different resources.
- Minerals, fresh water, and biosphere resources are limited, and many are not renewable or replaceable over human
- These resources are distributed unevenly around the planet as a result of past geologic processes.

MS-ESS3-1

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Performance Expectations

Construct a scientific explanation based on evidence for how the uneven distributions of Earth's mineral, energy, and groundwater resources are the result of past and current geoscience processes.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on how these resources are limited and typically non-renewable, and how their distributions are significantly changing as a result of removal by humans. Examples of uneven distributions of resources as a result of past processes include but are not limited to petroleum (locations of the burial of organic marine sediments and subsequent geologic traps), metal ores (locations of past volcanic and hydrothermal activity associated with subduction zones), and soil (locations of active weathering and/or deposition of rock).

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships may be used to predict phenomena in natural or designed systems.

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MS-ESS3-2 Earth and Human Activity

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Natural Hazards: 1 Asking questions (for science) and MS-ESS3-2 defining problems (for engineering) • Mapping the history of natural Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models hazards in a region, combined with understanding can: an understanding of related geologic 3 Planning and carrying out forces can help forecast the locations investigations Analyze and interpret data Analyzing and interpreting data and likelihoods of future events. on natural hazards to forecast Analyzing data in 6-8 builds on K-5 future catastrophic events and experiences and progresses to inform the development of extending quantitative analysis to technologies to mitigate their investigations, distinguishing between correlation and causation, effects. and basic statistical techniques of data and error analysis. Clarification Statement: Analyze and interpret data to Emphasis is on how some natural provide evidence for phenomena. hazards, such as volcanic eruptions **5** Using mathematics and computational and severe weather, are preceded thinking by phenomena that allow for reliable 6 Constructing explanations (for science) predictions, but others, such as earthand designing solutions (for quakes, occur suddenly and with no engineering) notice, and thus are not yet predictable. 7 Engaging in argument from evidence Examples of natural hazards can be (8) Obtaining, evaluating, and taken from interior processes (such as communicating information earthquakes and volcanic eruptions), surface processes (such as mass wasting and tsunamis), or severe weather events (such as hurricanes, tornadoes, and floods). Examples of data can include the locations, magnitudes, and frequencies of the natural hazards. Examples of technologies can be global (such as satellite systems to monitor hurricanes or forest fires) or local (such as building basements in tornado-prone regions or reservoirs to mitigate droughts).

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Graphs, charts, and images can be used to identify patterns in data.

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MS-ESS3-4 Earth and Human Activity

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 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument form evidence in 6-8 builds on K-5 experiences and progresses to constructing a convincing argument that supports or refutes claims for either explanations or solutions about the natural and designed world(s). Construct an oral and written argument supported by empirical evidence and scientific reasoning to support or refute an explanation or a model for a phenomenon or solution to a problem. Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Human Impacts on Earth Systems: • Typically as human populations and per-capita consumption of natural resources increase, so do the negative impacts on Earth unless the activities and technologies involved are engineered otherwise.	MS-ESS3-4 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Construct an argument supported by evidence for how increases in human population and per-capita consumption of natural resources impact Earth's systems. Clarification Statement: Examples of evidence include grade-appropriate databases on human populations and the rates of consumption of food and natural resources (such as freshwater, mineral, and energy). Examples of impacts can include changes to the appearance, composition, and structure of Earth's systems as well as the rates at which they change. The consequences of increases in human populations and consumption of natural resources are described by science, but science does not make the decisions for the actions society takes.	

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships may be used to predict phenomena in natural or designed systems.

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HS-PS1-1 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Structure and Properties of Matter: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-PS1-1 • Each atom has a charged substructure defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models consisting of a nucleus, which is made understanding can: Modeling in 9-12 builds on K-8 of protons and neutrons, surrounded by and progresses to using, synthesizing, Use the periodic table as a and developing models to predict • The periodic table orders elements model to predict the relative and show relationships among horizontally by the number of protons properties of elements based in the atom's nucleus and places those variables between systems and on the patterns of electrons with similar chemical properties in their components in the natural and columns. The repeating patterns of in the outermost energy designed worlds. this table reflect patterns of outer Use a model to predict the level of atoms. relationships between systems electron states. or between components of a Clarification Statement: system. Examples of properties that could 3 Planning and carrying out be predicted from patterns could investigations include reactivity of metals, types 4 Analyzing and interpreting data of bonds formed, numbers of bonds **5** Using mathematics and computational formed, and reactions with oxygen. **6** Constructing explanations (for science) Assessment Boundary: and designing solutions (for Assessment is limited to main engineering) group elements. Assessment does 7 Engaging in argument from evidence not include quantitative understanding 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and of ionization energy beyond relative communicating information trends.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Different patterns may be observed at each of the scales at which a system is studied and can provide evidence for causality in explanations of phenomena.

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HS-PS1-2 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- 1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- **6** Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses to explanations and designs that are supported by multiple and independent student- generated sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and theories.
 - Construct and revise an explanation based on valid and reliable evidence obtained from a variety of sources (including students' own investigations, models, theories, simulations, peer review) and the assumption that theories and laws that describe the natural world operate today as they did in the past and will continue to do so in the future.
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Structure and Properties of Matter:

• The periodic table orders elements horizontally by the number of protons in the atom's nucleus and places those with similar chemical properties in columns. The repeating patterns of this table reflect patterns of outer electron states.

Chemical Reactions:

• The fact that atoms are conserved, together with knowledge of the chemical properties of the elements involved, can be used to describe and predict chemical reactions.

HS-PS1-2

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Construct and revise an explanation for the outcome of a simple chemical reaction based on the outermost electron states of atoms. trends in the periodic table, knowledge of the patterns of chemical properties, and formation of compounds.

Clarification Statement:

Examples of chemical reactions could include the reaction of sodium and chlorine, of carbon and oxygen, or of carbon and hydrogen. Reaction classification aids in the prediction of products (e.g. synthesis/combustion, decomposition, single displacement, double displacement).

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment is limited to chemical reactions involving main group elements and combustion reactions.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Different patterns may be observed at each of the scales at which a system is studied and can provide evidence for causality in explanations of phenomena.

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HS-PS1-5 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Chemical Reactions: 1 Asking questions (for science) and **HS-PS1-5** defining problems (for engineering) • Chemical processes, their rates, and Students who demonstrate whether or not energy is stored or 2 Developing and using models understanding can: released can be understood in terms 3 Planning and carrying out of the collisions of molecules and investigations Apply scientific principles 4 Analyzing and interpreting data the rearrangements of atoms into new and evidence to provide an 5 Using mathematics and computational molecules, with consequent changes in explanation about the effects the sum of all bond energies in the thinking of changing the temperature set of molecules that are matched by **6** Constructing explanations changes in kinetic energy. or concentration of the (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) reacting particles on the Constructing explanations and rate at which a reaction designing solutions in 9-12 builds occurs. on K-8 experiences and progresses to explanations and designs that **Clarification Statement:** are supported by multiple and Emphasis is on student reasoning independent student- generated that focuses on the number and sources of evidence consistent with energy of collisions between scientific ideas, principles, and molecules. theories. Apply scientific principles and **Assessment Boundary:** evidence to provide an explanation Assessment is limited to simple of phenomena and solve design reactions in which there are only problems, taking into account two reactants; evidence from possible unanticipated effects. temperature and concentration. 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Different patterns may be observed at each of the scales at which a system is studied and can provide evidence for causality in explanations of phenomena.

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HS-PS1-7 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Chemical Reactions: 1 Asking questions (for science) and **HS-PS1-7** defining problems (for engineering) • The fact that atoms are conserved, Students who demonstrate together with knowledge of the 2 Developing and using models understanding can: chemical properties of the elements 3 Planning and carrying out investigations involved, can be used to describe and Use mathematical 4 Analyzing and interpreting data predict chemical reactions. representations to support Using mathematics and the claim that atoms, and computational thinking therefore mass, are conserved Mathematical and computational during a chemical reaction. thinking at the 9-12 level builds on K-8 and progresses to using algebraic thinking and analysis, a Clarification Statement: range of linear and nonlinear Emphasis is on using mathematical functions including trigonometric ideas to communicate the proportional functions, exponentials and relationships between masses of atoms in the reactants and the products, and logarithms, and computational tools for statistical analysis to analyze, the translation of these relationships to represent, and model data. Simple the macroscopic scale using the mole computational simulations are as the conversion from the atomic to created and used based on the macroscopic scale (e.g. Law of mathematical models of basic Conservation of Mass). Emphasis is on assumptions. assessing students' use of mathematical Use mathematical representations thinking and not on memorization and of phenomena to support claims. rote application of problem-solving 6 Constructing explanations (for science) techniques. and designing solutions (for engineering) Assessment Boundary: 7 Engaging in argument from evidence Assessment does not include complex 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and chemical reactions. communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• The total amount of energy and matter in closed systems is conserved.

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ELA/Literacy Mathematics

HS-PS2-1 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Science & Engineering Practices Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in 9-12 builds on K-8 and progresses to introducing more detailed statistical analysis, the comparison of data sets for consistency, and the use of models to generate and analyze data. Analyze data using tools, technologies, and/or models (e.g., computational, 	Forces and Motion: Newton's second law accurately predicts changes in the motion of macroscopic objects.	Performance Expectations HS-PS2-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Analyze data and use it to support the claim that Newton's second law of motion describes the mathematical relationship among the net force on a macroscopic object, its mass, and its acceleration. Clarification Statement:
mathematical) in order to make valid and reliable scientific claims or determine an optimal design solution. 3 Using mathematics and computational thinking 3 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information		Examples of data could include tables or graphs of position or velocity as a function of time for objects subject to a net unbalanced force, such as a falling object, an object rolling down a ramp, or a moving object being pulled by a constant force. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to one-dimensional motion and to macroscopic objects moving at non-relativistic speeds.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

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HS-PS2-2 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Mathematical and computational thinking at the 9–12 level builds on K–8 and progresses to using algebraic thinking and analysis, a range of linear and nonlinear functions including trigonometric functions, exponentials and logarithms, and computational tools for statistical analysis to analyze, represent, and model data. Simple computational simulations are created and used based on mathematical models of basic assumptions. Use mathematical representations of phenomena to describe explanations. Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Forces and Motion: • Momentum is defined for a particular frame of reference; it is the mass times the velocity of the object. • If a system interacts with objects outside itself, the total momentum of the system can change; however, any such change is balanced by changes in the momentum of objects outside the system.	HS-PS2-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use mathematical representations to support the claim that the total momentum of a system of objects is conserved when there is no net force on the system. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on the quantitative conservation of momentum in interactions and the qualitative meaning of this principle. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to systems of two macroscopic bodies moving in one dimension.

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• When investigating or describing a system, the boundaries and initial conditions of the system need to be defined.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections ELA/Literacy Mathematics

HS-PS2-3 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices • Asking questions (for science) and

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- Using mathematics and computational thinking
- © Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses to explanations and designs that are supported by multiple and independent student- generated sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and
 - Apply scientific ideas to solve a design problem, taking into account possible unanticipated effects.
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Forces and Motion:

 If a system interacts with objects outside itself, the total momentum of the system can change; however, any such change is balanced by changes in the momentum of objects outside the system.

Defining and Delimiting Engineering Problems:

(secondary to HS-PS2-3)

 Criteria and constraints also include satisfying any requirements set by society, such as taking issues of risk mitigation into account, and they should be quantified to the extent possible and stated in such a way that one can tell if a given design meets them.

Performance Expectations

HS-PS2-3

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Apply scientific and engineering ideas to design, evaluate, and refine a device that minimizes the force on a macroscopic object during a collision.*

Clarification Statement:

Examples of evaluation and refinement could include determining the success of the device at protecting an object from damage and modifying the design to improve it. Examples of a device could include a football helmet or a parachute.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment is limited to qualitative evaluations and/or algebraic manipulations.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Systems can be designed to cause a desired effect.

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HS-PS2-5 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Types of Interactions: Forces at a distance a

- 2 Developing and using models
- Planning and carrying out investigations Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses to include investigations that provide evidence for and test conceptual, mathematical, physical and empirical models.

Science & Engineering Practices

- Plan and conduct an investigation individually and collaboratively to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence, and in the design: decide on types, how much, and accuracy of data needed to produce reliable measurements and consider limitations on the precision of the data (e.g., number of trials, cost, risk, time), and refine the design accordingly.
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- **3** Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

- Forces at a distance are explained by fields (gravitational, electric, and magnetic) permeating space that can transfer energy through space.
- Magnets or electric currents cause magnetic fields; electric charges or changing magnetic fields cause electric fields.

Definitions of Energy:

(secondary to HS-PS2-4)

 "Electrical energy" may mean energy stored in a battery or energy transmitted by electric currents.

Performance Expectations

HS-PS2-5

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Plan and conduct an investigation to provide evidence that an electric current can produce a magnetic field and that a changing magnetic field can produce an electric current.

Clarification Statement: N/A

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment is limited to designing and conducting investigations with provided materials and tools.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Systems can be designed to cause a desired effect.

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Science & Engineering Practices

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- G Using mathematics and computational thinking Mathematical and computational thinking at the 9–12 level builds on K–8 and progresses to using algebraic thinking and analysis, a range of linear and nonlinear functions including trigonometric functions, exponentials and logarithms, and computational tools for statistical analysis to analyze, represent, and model data. Simple computational simulations are created and used based on mathematical models of basic assumptions.
 - Create a computational model or simulation of a phenomenon, designed device, process, or system.
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- Tengaging in argument from evidence
- **3** Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Definitions of Energy:

• Energy is a quantitative property of a system that depends on the motion and interactions of matter and radiation within that system. That there is a single quantity called energy is due to the fact that a system's total energy is conserved, even as, within the system, energy is continually transferred from one object to another and between its various possible forms.

Conservation of Energy and Energy Transfer:

- Conservation of energy means that the total change of energy in any system is always equal to the total energy transferred into or out of the system.
- Energy cannot be created or destroyed, but it can be transported from one place to another and transferred between systems.
- Mathematical expressions, which quantify how the stored energy in a system depends on its configuration (e.g. relative positions of charged particles, compression of a spring) and how kinetic energy depends on mass and speed, allow the concept of conservation of energy to be used to predict and describe system behavior.
- The availability of energy limits what can occur in any system.

HS-PS3-1

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Create a computational model to calculate the change in the energy of one component in a system when the change in energy of the other component(s) and energy flows in and out of the system are known.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on explaining the meaning of mathematical expressions used in the model.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment is limited to basic algebraic expressions or computations; to systems of two or three components; and to thermal energy, kinetic energy, and potential energy.

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• Models can be used to predict the behavior of a system, but these predictions have limited precision and reliability due to the assumptions and approximations inherent in models.

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Performance Expectations

1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)

Science & Engineering Practices

- 2 Developing and using models Modeling in 9-12 builds on K-8 and progresses to using, synthesizing, and developing models to predict and show relationships among variables between systems and their components in the natural and designed worlds.
 - Develop and use a model based on evidence to illustrate the relationships between systems or between components of a system.
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational
- 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

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HS-PS3-2 Energy

Disciplinary Core Ideas

- At the macroscopic scale, energy manifests itself in multiple ways, such as in motion, sound, light, and thermal
- These relationships are better understood at the microscopic scale, at which all of the different manifestations of energy can be modeled as a combination of energy associated with the motion of particles and energy associated with the configuration (relative position of the particles). In some cases the relative position energy can be thought of as stored in fields (which mediate interactions between particles). This last concept includes radiation, a phenomenon in which energy stored in fields moves across space.

HS-PS3-2

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Develop and use models to illustrate that energy at the macroscopic scale can be accounted for as either motions of particles or energy stored in fields.

Clarification Statement:

Examples of phenomena at the macroscopic scale could include the conversion of kinetic energy to thermal energy, the energy stored due to position of an object above the earth, and the energy stored between two electrically-charged plates. Examples of models could include diagrams, drawings, descriptions, and computer simulations.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include quantitative calculations.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Energy cannot be created or destroyed—only moves between one place and another place, between objects and/or fields, or between systems.

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HS-PS3-3 Energy

Science & Engineering Practices

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- Using mathematics and computational thinking
- © Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 9–12 builds on K–8 experiences and progresses to explanations and designs that are supported by multiple and independent student- generated sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and theories.
 - Design, evaluate, and/or refine a solution to a complex real-world problem, based on scientific knowledge, student-generated sources of evidence, prioritized criteria, and tradeoff considerations.
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- **8** Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Definitions of Energy:

 At the macroscopic scale, energy manifests itself in multiple ways, such as in motion, sound, light, and thermal energy.

Defining and Delimiting Engineering Problems:

- Criteria and constraints also include satisfying any requirements set by society, such as taking issues of risk mitigation into account, and they should be quantified to the extent possible and stated in such a way that one can tell if a given design meets them.
- * Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science

Interdependence of Science, Engineering, and Technology:

 Modern civilization depends on major technological systems. Engineers continuously modify these technological systems by applying scientific knowledge and engineering design practices to increase benefits while decreasing costs and risks.

HS-PS3-3

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Design, build, and refine a device that works within given constraints to convert one form of energy into another form of energy.*

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on both qualitative and quantitative evaluations of devices. Examples of devices could include Rube Goldberg devices, wind turbines, solar cells, solar ovens, and generators. Examples of constraints could include use of renewable energy forms and efficiency.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment for quantitative evaluations is limited to total output for a given input. Assessment is limited to devices constructed with materials provided to students.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Changes of energy and matter in a system can be described in terms of energy and matter flows into, out of, and within that system.

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at different temperatures to water.

Assessment is limited to investigations

based on materials and tools provided

Assessment Boundary:

to students.

HS-PS3-4 Energy

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Conservation of Energy Asking questions (for science) and HS-PS3-4 defining problems (for engineering) and Energy Transfer: Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models • Energy cannot be created or destroyed, understanding can: **3** Planning and carrying out but it can be transported from one investigations place to another and transferred Plan and conduct an Planning and carrying out between systems. investigation to provide investigations to answer questions • Uncontrolled systems always evolve evidence that the transfer or test solutions to problems in toward more stable states—that is, of thermal energy when 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and toward more uniform energy distribution progresses to include investigations two components of different (e.g., water flows downhill, objects that provide evidence for and test temperature are combined hotter than their surrounding environment conceptual, mathematical, physical within a closed system results and empirical models. cool down). in a more uniform energy • Plan and conduct an investigation distribution among the comindividually and collaboratively to ponents in the system (second produce data to serve as the basis law of thermodynamics). for evidence, and in the design: decide on types, how much, and Clarification Statement: accuracy of data needed to produce reliable measurements Emphasis is on analyzing data from and consider limitations on the student investigations and using precision of the data (e.g., number mathematical thinking to describe the of trials, cost, risk, time), and energy changes both quantitatively and refine the design accordingly. conceptually. Examples of investigations 4 Analyzing and interpreting data could include mixing liquids at different **5** Using mathematics and initial temperatures or adding objects computational thinking

Crosscutting Concepts: System and System Models

6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for

Tengaging in argument from evidence

8 Obtaining, evaluating, and

communicating information

engineering)

• When investigating or describing a system, the boundaries and initial conditions of the system need to be defined and their inputs and outputs analyzed and described using models.

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HS-PS4-1 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Wave Properties: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-PS4-1 • The wavelength and frequency of defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate a wave are related to one another by 2 Developing and using models understanding can: the speed of travel of the wave, which 3 Planning and carrying out investigations depends on the type of wave and the Use mathematical 4 Analyzing and interpreting data medium through which it is passing. representations to Using mathematics and support a claim regarding computational thinking relationships among the Mathematical and computational thinking at the 9-12 level builds on K-8 frequency, wavelength, and progresses to using algebraic and speed of waves thinking and analysis, a range of traveling in various media. linear and nonlinear functions including trigonometric functions, exponentials Clarification Statement: and logarithms, and computational Examples of data could include tools for statistical analysis to analyze, electromagnetic radiation traveling represent, and model data. Simple in a vacuum and glass, sound waves computational simulations are traveling through air and water, and created and used based on mathseismic waves traveling through ematical models of basic assumptions. the Earth. Use mathematical representations of phenomena or design solutions **Assessment Boundary:** to describe and/or support claims Assessment is limited to algebraic and/or explanations. relationships and describing those 6 Constructing explanations (for science) relationships qualitatively. and designing solutions (for engineering) 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

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HS-PS4-2 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Asking questions and defining problems in grades 9–12 builds from grades K–8 experiences and progresses to formulating, refining, and evaluating empirically testable questions and design problems using models and simulations.

Science & Engineering Practices

Evaluate questions that challenge the premise(s) of an argument, the interpretation of a data set, or the suitability of a design.

- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- Tengaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Wave Properties:

- Information can be digitized (e.g., a picture stored as the values of an array of pixels); in this form, it can be stored reliably in computer memory and sent over long distances as a series of wave pulses.
- * Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science

Interdependence of Science, Engineering, and Technology:

- Modern civilization depends on major technological systems.
- Engineers continuously modify these technological systems by applying scientific knowledge and engineering design practices to increase benefits while decreasing costs and risks.

Performance Expectations

HS-PS4-2

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Evaluate questions about the advantages and disadvantages of using a digital transmission and storage of information.*

Clarification Statement:

Examples of advantages could include that digital information is stable because it can be stored reliably in computer memory, transferred easily, and copied and shared rapidly. Disadvantages could include issues of easy deletion, security, and theft.

Assessment Boundary:

N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Changes

• Systems can be designed for greater or lesser stability.

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HS-PS4-4 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information in 9–12 builds on K –8 and progresses to evaluating the validity and reliability of the claims, methods, and designs. Evaluate the validity and reliability of multiple claims that appear in 	Electromagnetic Radiation: When light or longer wavelength electromagnetic radiation is absorbed in matter, it is generally converted into thermal energy (heat). Shorter wavelength electromagnetic radiation (ultraviolet, X-ray s, gamma rays) can ionize atoms and cause damage to living cells. Photoelectric materials emit electrons when they absorb light of a highenough frequency.	HS-PS4-4 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Evaluate the validity and reliability of claims in published materials of the effects that different frequencies of elec- tromagnetic radiation have when absorbed by matter. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on the idea that different frequencies of light have different energies, and the damage to living tissue from electromagnetic radiation depends on the energy of the radiation. Examples of published materials could include trade books, magazines, web resources, videos, and other passages that may reflect bias.
scientific and technical texts or media reports, verifying the data when possible.		Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to qualitative descriptions.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships can be suggested and predicted for complex natural and human designed systems by examining what is known about smaller scale mechanisms within the system.

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HS-PS1-1 Matter and Its Interactions

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in 9-12 builds on K-8

Science & Engineering Practices

- Developing and using models Modeling in 9–12 builds on K–8 and progresses to using, synthesizing, and developing models to predict and show relationships among variables between systems and their components in the natural and designed worlds.
 - Use a model to predict the relationships between systems or between components of a system.
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- **3** Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Structure and Properties of Matter:

- Each atom has a charged substructure consisting of a nucleus, which is made of protons and neutrons, surrounded by electrons.
- The periodic table orders elements horizontally by the number of protons in the atom's nucleus and places those with similar chemical properties in columns. The repeating patterns of this table reflect patterns of outer electron states.

Performance Expectations

HS-PS1-1

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Use the periodic table as a model to predict the relative properties of elements based on the patterns of electrons in the outermost energy level of atoms.

Clarification Statement:

Examples of properties that could be predicted from patterns could include reactivity of metals, types of bonds formed, numbers of bonds formed, and reactions with oxygen.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment is limited to main group elements. Assessment does not include quantitative understanding of ionization energy beyond relative trends.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Different patterns may be observed at each of the scales at which a system is studied and can provide evidence for causality in explanations of phenomena.

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HS-PS1-2 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Structure and Properties of Matter: 1 Asking questions (for science) and **HS-PS1-2** defining problems (for engineering) • The periodic table orders elements Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models horizontally by the number of protons understanding can: in the atom's nucleus and places those 3 Planning and carrying out with similar chemical properties in investigations Construct and revise an 4 Analyzing and interpreting data columns. The repeating patterns of explanation for the outcome 5 Using mathematics and computational this table reflect patterns of outer of a simple chemical reaction electron states. thinking based on the outermost **6** Constructing explanations **Chemical Reactions:** electron states of atoms. (for science) and designing solutions • The fact that atoms are conserved, (for engineering) trends in the periodic table, Constructing explanations and together with knowledge of the knowledge of the chemical properties of the elements designing solutions in 9-12 builds patterns of chemical involved, can be used to describe and on K-8 experiences and progresses properties, and formation of to explanations and designs that predict chemical reactions. compounds. are supported by multiple and independent student- generated **Clarification Statement:** sources of evidence consistent with Examples of chemical reactions scientific ideas, principles, and could include the reaction of sodium theories. and chlorine, of carbon and oxygen, Construct and revise an explanation or of carbon and hydrogen. Reaction based on valid and reliable classification aids in the prediction of evidence obtained from a variety products (e.g. synthesis/combination of sources (including students' decomposition, single displacement, own investigations, models, theories, double displacement, oxidation/ simulations, peer review) and the reduction, acid/base). assumption that theories and laws that describe the natural world **Assessment Boundary:** operate today as they did in the Assessment is limited to chemical past and will continue to do so in

- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

the future.

Assessment is limited to chemical reactions involving main group elements and combustion reactions.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Different patterns may be observed at each of the scales at which a system is studied and can provide evidence for causality in explanations of phenomena.

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HS-PS1-3 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 9–12 builds on K–8 experiences and progresses to include investigations that provide evidence for and test conceptual, mathematical, physical and empirical models. 	Structure and Properties of Matter: • The structure and interactions of matter at the bulk scale are determined by electrical forces within and between atoms.	HS-PS1-3 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Plan and conduct an investigation to gather evidence to compare the structure of substances at the bulk scale to infer the strength of electrical forces between particles.
 Plan and conduct an investigation individually and collaboratively to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence, and in the design: decide on types, how much, and accuracy of data needed to produce reliable measurements and consider limitations on the precision of the data (e.g., number of trials, cost, risk, time), and refine the design accordingly. Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for 		Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on understanding the strengths of forces between particles, not on naming specific intermolecular forces (such as dipole-dipole). Examples of particles could include ions, atoms, molecules, and networked materials (such as graphite). Examples of bulk properties of substances could include the melting point and boiling point, vapor pressure, and surface tension. The intent of the performance expectation is limited to evaluation of bulk scale properties and not micro scale properties.
engineering) 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information		Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include Raoult's law calculations of vapor pressure.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Different patterns may be observed at each of the scales at which a system is studied and can provide evidence for causality in explanations of phenomena.

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Mathematics

HS-PS1-4 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Structure and Properties of Matter: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-PS1-4 defining problems (for engineering) • A stable molecule has less energy than Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models the same set of atoms separated; one understanding can: must provide at least this energy in Modeling in 9-12 builds on K-8 and progresses to using, synthesizing, order to take the molecule apart. Develop a model to and developing models to predict illustrate that the release and show relationships among **Chemical Reactions:** or absorption of energy • Chemical processes, their rates, and variables between systems and from a chemical reaction whether or not energy is stored or their components in the natural and released can be understood in terms system depends upon designed worlds. of the collisions of molecules and Develop a model based on the changes in total evidence to illustrate the the rearrangements of atoms into new bond energy. molecules, with consequent changes in relationships between systems the sum of all bond energies in the or between components of a Clarification Statement: set of molecules that are matched by system. Emphasis is on the idea that a changes in kinetic energy. 3 Planning and carrying out chemical reaction is a system that investigations affects the energy change. Examples 4 Analyzing and interpreting data of models could include molecular-**5** Using mathematics and computational level drawings and diagrams of reactions, graphs showing the relative **6** Constructing explanations (for science) energies of reactants and products, and designing solutions (for and representations showing energy engineering) is conserved. 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and **Assessment Boundary:** communicating information N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Changes of energy and matter in a system can be described in terms of energy and matter flows into, out of, and within that system.

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HS-PS1-5 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Chemical Reactions: HS-PS1-5 1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) • Chemical processes, their rates, and Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models whether or not energy is stored or understanding can: released can be understood in terms 3 Planning and carrying out of the collisions of molecules and investigations **Apply scientific principles** 4 Analyzing and interpreting data the rearrangements of atoms into new and evidence to provide **5** Using mathematics and computational molecules, with consequent changes in an explanation about the the sum of all bond energies in the thinking effects of changing the set of molecules that are matched by **6** Constructing explanations changes in kinetic energy. (for science) and designing solutions temperature or concentration (for engineering) of the reacting particles on Constructing explanations and the rate at which a reaction designing solutions in 9-12 builds occurs. on K-8 experiences and progresses to explanations and designs that **Clarification Statement:** are supported by multiple and Emphasis is on student reasoning that independent student- generated focuses on the number and energy of sources of evidence consistent with collisions between molecules. scientific ideas, principles, and theories. **Assessment Boundary:** Apply scientific principles and Assessment is limited to simple evidence to provide an explanation reactions in which there are only two of phenomena and solve design reactants; evidence from temperature, problems, taking into account concentration, and rate data; and possible unanticipated effects. qualitative relationships between 7 Engaging in argument from evidence rate and temperature. 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Different patterns may be observed at each of the scales at which a system is studied and can provide evidence for causality in explanations of phenomena.

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ELA/Literacy Mathematics

HS-PS1-6 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices • Asking questions (for science) and

- defining problems (for engineering)
 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- Using mathematics and computational thinking
- ① Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses to explanations and designs that are supported by multiple and independent student- generated sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and theories.
 - Refine a solution to a complex real-world problem, based on scientific knowledge, studentgenerated sources of evidence, prioritized criteria, and tradeoff considerations.
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Chemical Reactions:

 In many situations, a dynamic and condition-dependent balance between a reaction and the reverse reaction determines the numbers of all types of molecules present.

Optimizing the Design Solution:

 Criteria may need to be broken down into simpler ones that can be approached systematically, and decisions about the priority of certain over others (trade-offs) may be needed.

Performance Expectations

HS-PS1-6

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Refine the design of a chemical system by specifying a change in conditions that would produce increased amounts of products at equilibrium.*

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on the application of Le Chatlier's Principle and on refining designs of chemical reaction systems, including descriptions of the connection between changes made at the macroscopic level and what happens at the molecular level. Examples of designs could include different ways to increase product formation including adding reactants or removing products.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment is limited to specifying the change in only one variable at a time. Assessment does not include calculating equilibrium constants and concentrations.

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Much of science deals with constructing explanations of how things change and how they remain stable.

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HS-PS1-7 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Chemical Reactions: 1 Asking questions (for science) and **HS-PS1-7** defining problems (for engineering) • The fact that atoms are conserved, Students who demonstrate together with knowledge of the 2 Developing and using models understanding can: chemical properties of the elements 3 Planning and carrying out investigations involved, can be used to describe and Use mathematical 4 Analyzing and interpreting data predict chemical reactions. representations to Using mathematics and support the claim that computational thinking atoms, and therefore Mathematical and computational thinking at the 9-12 level builds on K-8 mass, are conserved and progresses to using algebraic during a chemical thinking and analysis, a range of reaction. linear and nonlinear functions including trigonometric functions, exponentials **Clarification Statement:** and logarithms, and computational Emphasis is on using mathematical tools for statistical analysis to analyze, ideas to communicate the proportional represent, and model data. Simple relationships between masses of atoms computational simulations are in the reactants and the products, and created and used based on maththe translation of these relationships to ematical models of basic assumptions. the macroscopic scale using the mole • Use mathematical representations of as the conversion from the atomic to the phenomena to support claims. macroscopic scale (i.e., Conservation of 6 Constructing explanations (for science) Mass and Stoichiometry). Emphasis is on and designing solutions (for assessing students' use of mathematical engineering) thinking and not on memorization and 7 Engaging in argument from evidence rote application of problem-solving 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and techniques. communicating information **Assessment Boundary:** Assessment does not include complex chemical reactions.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• The total amount of energy and matter in closed systems is conserved.

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HS-PS1-8 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in 9–12 builds on K–8 and progresses to using, synthesizing, and developing models to predict and show relationships among variables between systems and their components in the natural and designed worlds. Develop a model based on evidence to illustrate the relationships between systems or between components of a system. Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information	Nuclear Processes: Nuclear processes, including fusion, fission, and radioactive decays of unstable nuclei, involve release or absorption of energy.	HS-PS1-8 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Develop models to illustrate the changes in the composition of the nucleus of the atom and the energy released during the processes of fission, fusion, and radioactive decay. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on simple qualitative models, such as pictures or diagrams, and on the scale of energy released in nuclear processes relative to other kinds of transformations. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include quantitative calculation of energy released. Assessment is limited to alpha, beta, and gamma radioactive decays.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• In nuclear processes, atoms are not conserved, but the total number of protons plus neutrons is conserved.

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HS-PS2-6 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information in 9–12 builds on K –8 and progresses to evaluating the validity and reliability of the claims, methods, and designs. Communicate scientific and technical information (e.g. about the process of development and the design and performance of a proposed process or system) in multiple formats (including orally, graphically, textually, and mathematically). 	Types of Interactions: • Attraction and repulsion between electric charges at the atomic scale explain the structure, properties, and transformations of matter, as well as the contact forces between material objects.	HS-PS2-6 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Communicate scientific and technical information about why the molecular-level structure is important in the functioning of designed materials.* Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on the attractive and repulsive forces that determine the functioning of the material. Examples could include why electrically conductive materials are often made of metal, flexible but durable materials are made up of long chained molecules, and pharmaceuticals are designed to interact with specific receptors. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to provided molecular structures of specific designed materials.

Crosscutting Concepts: Structure and Function

• Investigating or designing new systems or structures requires a detailed examination of the properties of different materials, the structures of different components, and connections of components to reveal its function and/or solve a problem.

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HS-PS3-3 Energy

Science & Engineering Practices

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- ② Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 9–12 builds on K–8 experiences and progresses to explanations and designs that are supported by multiple and independent student- generated sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and theories.
 - Design, evaluate, and/or refine a solution to a complex real-world problem, based on scientific knowledge, student-generated sources of evidence, prioritized criteria, and tradeoff considerations.
- Engaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Definitions of Energy:

 At the macroscopic scale, energy manifests itself in multiple ways, such as in motion, sound, light, and thermal energy.

Defining and Delimiting Engineering Problems:

(secondary to HS-PS3-3)

- Criteria and constraints also include satisfying any requirements set by society, such as taking issues of risk mitigation into account, and they should be quantified to the extent possible and stated in such a way that one can tell if a given design meets them.
- * Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science

Interdependence of Science, Engineering, and Technology:

 Modern civilization depends on major technological systems. Engineers continuously modify these technological systems by applying scientific knowledge and engineering design practices to increase benefits while decreasing costs and risks.

HS-PS3-3

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Design, build, and refine a device that works within given constraints to convert one form of energy into another form of energy.*

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on both qualitative and quantitative evaluations of devices. Examples of devices could include Rube Goldberg devices, wind turbines, solar cells, solar ovens, and generators. Examples of constraints could include use of renewable energy forms and efficiency.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment for quantitative evaluations is limited to total output for a given input. Assessment is limited to devices constructed with materials provided to students.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Changes of energy and matter in a system can be described in terms of energy and matter flows into, out of, and within that system.

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HS-PS3-4 Energy

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Conservation of Energy Asking questions (for science) and HS-PS3-4 defining problems (for engineering) and Energy Transfer: Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models • Energy cannot be created or destroyed, understanding can: 19 Planning and carrying out but it can be transported from one investigations Plan and conduct an place to another and transferred Planning and carrying out investigation to provide between systems. investigations to answer questions evidence that the transfer • Uncontrolled systems always evolve or test solutions to problems in toward more stable states—that is, of thermal energy when two 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses to include investigations toward more uniform energy distribution components of different temthat provide evidence for and test (e.g., water flows downhill, objects perature are combined within conceptual, mathematical, physical hotter than their surrounding a closed system results in a and empirical models. environment cool down). • Plan and conduct an investigation tion among the components individually and collaboratively to produce data to serve as the basis in the system (second law of for evidence, and in the design: thermodynamics). decide on types, how much, and accuracy of data needed to Clarification Statement: produce reliable measurements Emphasis is on analyzing data from and consider limitations on the student investigations and using precision of the data (e.g., number mathematical thinking to describe the of trials, cost, risk, time), and refine the design accordingly.

- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

more uniform energy distribu-

energy changes both quantitatively and conceptually. Examples of investigations could include mixing liquids at different initial temperatures or adding objects at different temperatures to water.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment is limited to investigations based on materials and tools provided to students.

Crosscutting Concepts: System and System Models

· When investigating or describing a system, the boundaries and initial conditions of the system need to be defined and their inputs and outputs analyzed and described using models.

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Mathematics

HS-PS4-1 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Mathematical and computational thinking Mathematical and computational thinking at the 9–12 level builds on K–8 and progresses to using algebraic thinking and analysis, a range of linear and nonlinear functions including trigonometric functions, exponentials and logarithms, and computational tools for statistical analysis to analyze, represent, and model data. Simple computational simulations are created and used based on mathematical models of basic assumptions. Use mathematical representations of phenomena or design solutions to describe and/or support claims and/or explanations. Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Wave Properties: • The wavelength and frequency of a wave are related to one another by the speed of travel of the wave, which depends on the type of wave and the medium through which it is passing.	HS-PS4-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use mathematical representations to describe relationships among the frequency, wavelength, and speed of waves. Clarification Statement: Examples of data could include relationship to the electromagnetic spectrum. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to algebraic relationships and describing those relationships qualitatively.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

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HS-PS4-3 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Science & Engineering Practices 1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) 2 Developing and using models 3 Planning and carrying out investigations

- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational
- 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- **7** Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses to using appropriate and sufficient evidence and scientific reasoning to defend and critique claims and explanations about natural and designed worlds. Arguments may also come from current scientific or historical episodes in science.
 - Evaluate the claims, evidence, and reasoning behind currently accepted explanations or solutions to determine the merits of arguments.
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Wave Properties:

- Waves can add or cancel one another as they cross, depending on their relative phase (i.e., relative position of peaks and troughs of the waves), but they emerge unaffected by each other.
- Boundary: The discussion at this grade level is qualitative only; it can be based on the fact that two different sounds can pass a location in different directions without getting mixed up.

Electromagnetic Radiation:

• Electromagnetic radiation (e.g., radio, microwaves, light) can be modeled as a wave of changing electric and magnetic fields or as particles called photons. The wave model is useful for explaining many features of electromagnetic radiation, and the particle model explains other features.

Performance Expectations

HS-PS4-3

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Evaluate the claims, evidence, and reasoning behind the idea that electromagnetic radiation can be described either by a wave model or a particle model, and that for some situations one model is more useful than the other.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on how the experimental evidence supports the claim and how a theory is generally modified in light of new evidence. Examples of a phenomenon could include resonance, interference, diffraction, and photoelectric effect.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include using quantum theory.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

 Models (e.g., physical, mathematical, computer models) can be used to simulate systems and interactions—including energy, matter, and information flows—within and between systems at different scales.

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Mathematics

HS-PS1-8 Matter and Its Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Nuclear Processes: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-PS1-8 defining problems (for engineering) • Nuclear processes, including fusion, Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models fission, and radioactive decays of understanding can: Modeling in 9-12 builds on K-8 unstable nuclei, involve release or and progresses to using, synthesizing, absorption of energy. The total number **Develop models to** and developing models to predict of neutrons plus protons does not illustrate the changes and show relationships among change in any nuclear process. in the composition of the variables between systems and nucleus of the atom and the their components in the natural and energy released during the designed worlds. Develop a model based on processes of fission, fusion, evidence to illustrate the and radioactive decay. relationships between systems or between components of a **Clarification Statement:** system. Emphasis is on simple qualitative 3 Planning and carrying out models, such as pictures or diagrams, investigations and on the scale of energy released 4 Analyzing and interpreting data in nuclear processes relative to other **5** Using mathematics and computational kinds of transformations. **6** Constructing explanations (for science) **Assessment Boundary:** and designing solutions (for Assessment does not include engineering) quantitative calculation of energy 7 Engaging in argument from evidence released. Assessment is limited to 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and alpha, beta, and gamma radioactive communicating information decays.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• In nuclear processes, atoms are not conserved, but the total number of protons plus neutrons is conserved.

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HS-PS2-1 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in 9–12 builds on K-8 and progresses to introducing more detailed statistical analysis, the comparison of data sets for consistency, and the use of models to generate and analyze data. Analyze data using tools, technologies, and/or models (e.g., computational, mathematical) in order to make valid and reliable scientific claims or determine an optimal design solution. Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Forces and Motion: Newton's second law accurately predicts changes in the motion of macroscopic objects.	HS-PS2-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Analyze data to support the claim that Newton's second law of motion describes the mathematical relationship among the net force on a macroscopic object, its mass, and its acceleration. Clarification Statement: Examples of data could include tables or graphs of position or velocity as a function of time for objects subject to a net unbalanced force, such as a falling object, an object rolling down a ramp, or a moving object being pulled by a constant force. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to one-dimensional motion and to macroscopic objects moving at non-relativistic speeds.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

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HS-PS2-2 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Mathematical and computational thinking at the 9–12 level builds on K–8 and progresses to using algebraic thinking and analysis, a range of linear and nonlinear functions including trigonometric functions, exponentials and logarithms, and computational tools for statistical analysis to analyze, represent, and model data. Simple computational simulations are created and used based on mathematical models of basic assumptions. Use mathematical representations of phenomena to describe explanations. Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Forces and Motion: • Momentum is defined for a particular frame of reference; it is the mass times the velocity of the object. • If a system interacts with objects outside itself, the total momentum of the system can change; however, any such change is balanced by changes in the momentum of objects outside the system.	HS-PS2-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use mathematical representations to support the claim that the total momentum of a system of objects is conserved when there is no net force on the system. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on the quantitative conservation of momentum in interactions and the qualitative meaning of this principle. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to systems of two macroscopic bodies moving in one dimension.

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• When investigating or describing a system, the boundaries and initial conditions of the system need to be defined.

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HS-PS2-3 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices • Asking questions (for science) and

- defining problems (for engineering)
 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- © Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses to explanations and designs that are supported by multiple and independent student- generated sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and
 - Apply scientific ideas to solve a design problem, taking into account possible unanticipated effects.
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Forces and Motion:

• If a system interacts with objects outside itself, the total momentum of the system can change; however, any such change is balanced by changes in the momentum of objects outside the system.

Defining and Delimiting Engineering Problems:

 Criteria and constraints also include satisfying any requirements set by society, such as taking issues of risk mitigation into account, and they should be quantified to the extent possible and stated in such a way that one can tell if a given design meets them.

Performance Expectations

HS-PS2-3

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Apply scientific and engineering ideas to design, evaluate, and refine a device that minimizes the force on a macroscopic object during a collision.*

Clarification Statement:

Examples of evaluation and refinement could include determining the success of the device at protecting an object from damage and modifying the design to improve it. Examples of a device could include a football helmet or a parachute.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment is limited to qualitative evaluations and/or algebraic manipulations.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Systems can be designed to cause a desired effect.

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Mathematics

HS-PS2-4 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Types of Interactions: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-PS2-4 • Newton's law of universal gravitation defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate and Coulomb's law provide the 2 Developing and using models understanding can: 3 Planning and carrying out mathematical models to describe and investigations predict the effects of gravitational and Use mathematical 4 Analyzing and interpreting data electrostatic forces between distant representations of Newton's Using mathematics and computational thinking Law of Gravitation and Forces at a distance are explained Mathematical and computational Coulomb's Law to describe by fields (gravitational, electric, and thinking at the 9-12 level builds on K-8 magnetic) permeating space that can and predict the gravitational and progresses to using algebraic transfer energy through space. and electrostatic forces thinking and analysis, a range of Magnets or electric currents cause between objects. linear and nonlinear functions including magnetic fields; electric charges or trigonometric functions, exponentials changing magnetic fields cause Clarification Statement: and logarithms, and computational electric fields. Emphasis is on both quantitative and tools for statistical analysis to analyze, represent, and model data. Simple conceptual descriptions of gravitational computational simulations are and electric fields. created and used based on mathematical models of basic assumptions. Assessment Boundary: • Use mathematical representations of Assessment is limited to systems with phenomena to describe explanations. two objects. **6** Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Different patterns may be observed at each of the scales at which a system is studied and can provide evidence for causality in explanations of phenomena.

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HS-PS2-5 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Types of Interactions: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-PS2-5 defining problems (for engineering) • Forces at a distance are explained Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models by fields (gravitational, electric, and understanding can: Planning and carrying out magnetic) permeating space that can investigations transfer energy through space. Plan and conduct an Planning and carrying out • Magnets or electric currents cause investigation to provide investigations to answer questions magnetic fields; electric charges or or test solutions to problems in evidence that an electric changing magnetic fields cause 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and current can produce a electric fields. progresses to include investigations magnetic field and that a that provide evidence for and test **Definitions of Energy:** changing magnetic field can conceptual, mathematical, physical (secondary to HS-PS2-5). produce an electric current. and empirical models. • "Electrical energy" may mean • Plan and conduct an investigation energy stored in a battery or energy individually and collaboratively to Clarification Statement: transmitted by electric currents. produce data to serve as the basis N/A for evidence, and in the design: decide on types, how much, and Assessment Boundary: accuracy of data needed to Assessment is limited to designing produce reliable measurements and conducting investigations with and consider limitations on the provided materials and tools. precision of the data (e.g., number of trials, cost, risk, time), and refine the design accordingly. 4 Analyzing and interpreting data **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

communicating information

• Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

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HS-PS3-1 Energy

Science & Engineering Practices

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- O Using mathematics and computational thinking Mathematical and computational thinking at the 9–12 level builds on K–8 and progresses to using algebraic thinking and analysis, a range of linear and nonlinear functions including trigonometric functions, exponentials and logarithms, and computational tools for statistical analysis to analyze, represent, and model data. Simple computational simulations are created and used based on mathematical models of basic assumptions.
 - Create a computational model or simulation of a phenomenon, designed device, process, or system.
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Definitions of Energy:

• Energy is a quantitative property of a system that depends on the motion and interactions of matter and radiation within that system. That there is a single quantity called energy is due to the fact that a system's total energy is conserved, even as, within the system, energy is continually transferred from one object to another and between its various possible forms.

Conservation of Energy and Energy Transfer:

- Conservation of energy means that the total change of energy in any system is always equal to the total energy transferred into or out of the system.
- Energy cannot be created or destroyed, but it can be transported from one place to another and transferred between systems.
- Mathematical expressions, which quantify how the stored energy in a system depends on its configuration (e.g. relative positions of charged particles, compression of a spring) and how kinetic energy depends on mass and speed, allow the concept of conservation of energy to be used to predict and describe system behavior.
- The availability of energy limits what can occur in any system.

HS-PS3-1

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Create a computational model to calculate the change in the energy of one component in a system when the change in energy of the other component(s) and energy flows in and out of the system are known.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on explaining the meaning of mathematical expressions used in the model.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment is limited to basic algebraic expressions or computations; to systems of two or three components; and to thermal energy, kinetic energy, potential energy and/or the energies in gravitational, magnetic, or electric fields.

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• Models can be used to predict the behavior of a system, but these predictions have limited precision and reliability due to the assumptions and approximations inherent in models.

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Mathematics

HS-PS3-2 Energy

Science & Engineering Practices

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- Developing and using models Modeling in 9–12 builds on K–8 and progresses to using, synthesizing, and developing models to predict and show relationships among variables between systems and their components in the natural and designed worlds.
 - Develop a model based on evidence to illustrate the relationships between systems or between components of a system.
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Definitions of Energy:

- Energy is a quantitative property of a system that depends on the motion and interactions of matter and radiation within that system. That there is a single quantity called energy is due to the fact that a system's total energy is conserved, even as, within the system, energy is continually transferred from one object to another and between its various possible forms.
- At the macroscopic scale, energy manifests itself in multiple ways, such as in motion, sound, light, and thermal energy.
- These relationships are better understood at the microscopic scale, at which all of the different manifestations of energy can be modeled as a combination of energy associated with the motion of particles and energy associated with the configuration (relative position of the particles). In some cases the relative position energy can be thought of as stored in fields (which mediate interactions between particles). This last concept includes radiation, a phenomenon in which energy stored in fields moves across space.

HS-PS3-2

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Develop and use models to illustrate that energy at the macroscopic scale can be accounted for as either motions of particles or energy stored in fields.

Clarification Statement:

Examples of phenomena at the macroscopic scale could include the conversion of kinetic energy to thermal energy, the energy stored due to position of an object above the earth, and the energy stored between two electrically-charged plates. Examples of models could include diagrams, drawings, descriptions, and computer simulations.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include quantitative calculations.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Energy cannot be created or destroyed—only moves between one place and another place, between objects and/or fields, or between systems.

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Mathematics

HS-PS3-3 Energy

Science & Engineering Practices

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
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 - Design, evaluate, and/or refine a solution to a complex real-world problem, based on scientific knowledge, student-generated sources of evidence, prioritized criteria, and tradeoff considerations.
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Definitions of Energy:

 At the macroscopic scale, energy manifests itself in multiple ways, such as in motion, sound, light, and thermal energy.

Defining and Delimiting Engineering Problems:

- Criteria and constraints also include satisfying any requirements set by society, such as taking issues of risk mitigation into account, and they should be quantified to the extent possible and stated in such a way that one can tell if a given design meets them.
- * Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science

Interdependence of Science, Engineering, and Technology:

 Modern civilization depends on major technological systems. Engineers continuously modify these technological systems by applying scientific knowledge and engineering design practices to increase benefits while decreasing costs and risks.

HS-PS3-3

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Design, build, and refine a device that works within given constraints to convert one form of energy into another form of energy.*

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on both qualitative and quantitative evaluations of devices. Examples of devices could include Rube Goldberg devices, wind turbines, solar cells, solar ovens, and generators. Examples of constraints could include use of renewable energy forms and efficiency.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment for quantitative evaluations is limited to total output for a given input. Assessment is limited to devices constructed with materials provided to students.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Changes of energy and matter in a system can be described in terms of energy and matter flows into, out of, and within that system.

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HS-PS3-4 Energy **Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations** Conservation of Energy 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-PS3-4 defining problems (for engineering) and Energy Transfer: Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models • Energy cannot be created or destroyed, understanding can: **3** Planning and carrying out but it can be transported from one investigations place to another and transferred Plan and conduct an Planning and carrying out between systems. investigation to provide investigations to answer questions • Uncontrolled systems always evolve evidence that the transfer or test solutions to problems in toward more stable states—that is, of thermal energy when two 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and toward more uniform energy distribution progresses to include investigations components of different (e.g., water flows downhill, objects that provide evidence for and test temperature are combined hotter than their surrounding conceptual, mathematical, physical within a closed system results environment cool down). and empirical models. in a more uniform energy Plan and conduct an investigation individually and collaboratively to distribution among the produce data to serve as the basis components in the system for evidence, and in the design: (second law of thermodynamics). decide on types, how much, and accuracy of data needed to Clarification Statement: produce reliable measurements Emphasis is on analyzing data from and consider limitations on the student investigations and using precision of the data (e.g., number mathematical thinking to describe the of trials, cost, risk, time), and energy changes both quantitatively and refine the design accordingly. conceptually. Examples of investigations 4 Analyzing and interpreting data could include mixing liquids at different **5** Using mathematics and initial temperatures or adding objects at computational thinking different temperatures to water. **6** Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for Assessment Boundary: engineering) Assessment is limited to investigations 7 Engaging in argument from evidence based on materials and tools provided

Crosscutting Concepts: System and System Models

8 Obtaining, evaluating, and

communicating information

• When investigating or describing a system, the boundaries and initial conditions of the system need to be defined and their inputs and outputs analyzed and described using models.

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to students.

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in 9–12 builds on K–8 and progresses to using, synthesizing, and developing models to predict and show relationships among variables between systems and their components in the natural and designed worlds. Develop a model based on evidence to illustrate the relationships between systems or between components of a system. Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Relationship Between Energy and Forces: • When two objects interacting through a field change relative position, the energy stored in the field is changed.	HS-PS3-5 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Develop and use a model of two objects interacting through electric or magnetic fields to illustrate the forces between objects and the changes in energy of the objects due to the interaction. Clarification Statement: Examples of models could include drawings, diagrams, and texts, such as drawings of what happens when two charges of opposite polarity are near each other, including an explanation of how the change in energy of the objects is related to the change in energy of the field. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to systems containing two objects.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Cause and effect relationships can be suggested and predicted for complex natural and human designed systems by examining what is known about smaller scale mechanisms within the system..

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HS-PS4-1 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Mathematical and computational thinking at the 9–12 level builds on K-8 and progresses to using algebraic thinking and analysis, a range of linear and nonlinear functions including trigonometric functions, exponentials and logarithms, and computational tools for statistical analysis to analyze, represent, and model data. Simple computational simulations are created and used based on mathematical models of basic assumptions. Use mathematical representations of phenomena or design solutions to describe and/or support claims and/or explanations. Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Wave Properties: • The wavelength and frequency of a wave are related to one another by the speed of travel of the wave, which depends on the type of wave and the medium through which it is passing.	HS-PS4-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use mathematical representations to support a claim regarding relationships among the frequency, wavelength, and speed of waves traveling in various media. Clarification Statement: Examples of data could include electromagnetic radiation traveling in a vacuum and glass, sound waves traveling through air and water, and seismic waves traveling through the Earth. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to algebraic relationships and describing those relationships qualitatively.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

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HS-PS4-2 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Asking questions and defining problems in grades 9–12 builds from grades K–8 experiences and progresses to formulating, refining, and evaluating empirically testable questions and design problems using models and simulations. • Evaluate questions that challenge the premise(s) of an argument, the interpretation of a data set, or the suitability of a design.

- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Wave Properties:

- Information can be digitized (e.g., a picture stored as the values of an array of pixels); in this form, it can be stored reliably in computer memory and sent over long distances as a series of wave pulses.
- * Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science

Interdependence of Science, Engineering, and Technology:

- Modern civilization depends on major technological systems.
- Engineers continuously modify these technological systems by applying scientific knowledge and engineering design practices to increase benefits while decreasing costs and risks.

Performance Expectations

HS-PS4-2

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Evaluate questions
about the advantages
and disadvantages of using
a digital transmission and
storage of information.*

Clarification Statement:

Examples of advantages could include that digital information is stable because it can be stored reliably in computer memory, transferred easily, and copied and shared rapidly. Disadvantages could include issues of easy deletion, security, and theft.

Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Changes

• Systems can be designed for greater or lesser stability.

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HS-PS4-3 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Wave Properties: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-PS4-3 defining problems (for engineering) • Waves can add or cancel one another Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models as they cross, depending on their understanding can: 3 Planning and carrying out relative phase (i.e., relative position of investigations peaks and troughs of the waves), but Evaluate the claims, 4 Analyzing and interpreting data they emerge unaffected by each other. evidence, and reasoning **5** Using mathematics and computational • Boundary: The discussion at this behind the idea that electrograde level is qualitative only; it can magnetic radiation can be be based on the fact that two different 6 Engaging in argument from evidence sounds can pass a location in different described either by a wave Engaging in argument from evidence directions without getting mixed up. in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences model or a particle model, and progresses to using appropriate and that for some situations **Electromagnetic Radiation:** and sufficient evidence and scientific one model is more useful • Electromagnetic radiation (e.g., radio, reasoning to defend and critique than the other. microwaves, light) can be modeled as a claims and explanations about natural wave of changing electric and magnetic and designed worlds. Arguments Clarification Statement: fields or as particles called photons. may also come from current scientific Emphasis is on how the experimental or historical episodes in science. The wave model is useful for explaining evidence supports the claim and how many features of electromagnetic • Evaluate the claims, evidence, a theory is generally modified in light radiation, and the particle model and reasoning behind currently of new evidence. Examples of a explains other features. accepted explanations or solutions phenomenon could include resonance, to determine the merits of interference, diffraction, and photoarguments. electric effect. Tengaging in argument from evidence 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and Assessment Boundary: communicating information Assessment does not include using quantum theory.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Models (e.g., physical, mathematical, computer models) can be used to simulate systems and interactions—including energy, matter, and information flows—within and between system at different scales.

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HS-PS4-4 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Electromagnetic Radiation: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-PS4-4 defining problems (for engineering) • When light or longer wavelength Students who demonstrate electromagnetic radiation is absorbed 2 Developing and using models understanding can: in matter, it is generally converted into 3 Planning and carrying out thermal energy (heat). investigations **Evaluate the validity** 4 Analyzing and interpreting data • Shorter wavelength electromagnetic and reliability of claims 5 Using mathematics and computational radiation (ultraviolet, X-ray s, gamma in published materials of rays) can ionize atoms and cause the effects that different 6 Constructing explanations (for science) damage to living cells. • Photoelectric materials emit electrons frequencies of electroand designing solutions (for when they absorb light of a highengineering) magnetic radiation have 7 Engaging in argument from evidence enough frequency when absorbed by matter. 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information Clarification Statement: Obtaining, evaluating, and Emphasis is on the idea that different communicating information in 9-12 frequencies of light have different builds on K-8 and progresses to energies, and the damage to living evaluating the validity and reliability tissue from electromagnetic radiation of the claims, methods, and designs. depends on the energy of the radiation. Evaluate the validity and reliability Examples of published materials could of multiple claims that appear in include trade books, magazines, web scientific and technical texts or resources, videos, and other passages media reports, verifying the data that may reflect bias. when possible. Assessment Boundary: Assessment is limited to qualitative descriptions.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Cause and effect relationships can be suggested and predicted for complex natural and human designed systems by examining what is known about smaller scale mechanisms within the system.

Oklahoma Academic Standards Connections

ELA/Literacy Mathematics

HS-PS4-5 Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Energy in Chemical Processes: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-PS4-5 (secondary to HS-PS4-5) defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate • Solar cells are human-made devices 2 Developing and using models understanding can: that likewise capture the sun's energy 3 Planning and carrying out and produce electrical energy. investigations Communicate technical 4 Analyzing and interpreting data information about how **Wave Properties: 5** Using mathematics and computational • Information can be digitized (e.g., a some technological devices picture stored as the values of an array use the principles of wave 6 Constructing explanations (for science) of pixels); in this form, it can be stored behavior and wave interacand designing solutions (for reliably in computer memory and sent engineering) tions with matter to transmit over long distances as a series of wave 7 Engaging in argument from evidence and capture information and pulses. 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and energy.* communicating information **Electromagnetic Radiation:** Obtaining, evaluating, and Clarification Statement: • Photoelectric materials emit electrons communicating information in 9-12 when they absorb light of a high-Examples could include solar cells builds on K -8 and progresses to enough frequency. capturing light and converting it to evaluating the validity and reliability electricity; medical imaging; and of the claims, methods, and designs. Information Technologies communications technology. Communicate technical information and Instrumentation: or ideas (e.g. about phenomena • Multiple technologies based on the Assessment Boundary: and/or the process of development understanding of waves and their Assessments are limited to and the design and performance interactions with matter are part of qualitative information. Assessments of a proposed process or system) every day experiences in the modern do not include band theory in multiple formats (including world (e.g., medical imaging, orally, graphically, textually, and communications, scanners) and in mathematically). scientific research. They are essential tools for producing, transmitting, and capturing signals and for storing and interpreting the information contained in them. * Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Systems can be designed to cause a desired effect.

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Interdependence of Science,
Engineering, and Technology:

• Modern civilization depends on major

technological systems.

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HS-LS1-1 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Structure and Function: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-LS1-1 • Systems of specialized cells within defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate organisms help them perform the 2 Developing and using models understanding can: essential functions of life. 3 Planning and carrying out investigations • All cells contain genetic information in Construct an explanation 4 Analyzing and interpreting data the form of DNA molecules. based on evidence for how the **5** Using mathematics and computational • Genes are regions in the DNA that structure of DNA determines thinking contain the instructions that code for the structure of proteins, **6** Constructing explanations the formation of proteins, which carry (for science) and designing solutions out most of the work of cells. which carry out the essential (for engineering) functions of life through Constructing explanations and systems of specialized cells. designing solutions in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses Clarification Statement: to explanations and designs that Emphasis is on the conceptual are supported by multiple and understanding that DNA sequences independent student- generated determine the amino acid sequence, sources of evidence consistent with and thus, protein structure. Students scientific ideas, principles, and can produce scientific writings, oral theories. presentations and or physical models Construct an explanation based on that communicate constructed valid and reliable evidence explanations. obtained from a variety of sources (including students' own investiga-**Assessment Boundary:** tions, models, theories, simulations, Assessment does not include peer review) and the assumption identification of specific cell or that theories and laws that describe tissue types, whole body systems, the natural world operate today specific protein structures and as they did in the past and will functions, or the biochemistry of continue to do so in the future. protein synthesis. 7 Engaging in argument from evidence

Crosscutting Concepts: Structure and Function

8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

• Investigating or designing new systems or structures requires a detailed examination of the properties of different materials, the structures of different components, and connections of components to reveal its function and/or solve a problem.

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HS-LS1-2 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in 9–12 builds on K–8 and progresses to using, synthesizing, and developing models to predict and show relationships among variables between systems and their components in the natural and designed worlds. Develop and use a model based on evidence to illustrate the relationships between systems or between components of a system. Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Structure and Function: • Multicellular organisms have a hierarchical structural organization, in which any one system is made up of numerous parts and is itself a component of the next level.	HS-LS1-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Develop and use a model to illustrate the hierarchical organization of interacting systems that provide specific functions within multicellular organisms. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on the levels of organization including cells, tissues, organs, and systems of an organism. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include interactions and functions at the molecular or chemical level.

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

• Models (e.g., physical, mathematical, computer models) can be used to simulate systems and interactions—including energy, matter, and information flows—within and between systems at different scales.

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HS-LS1-3 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)

Science & Engineering Practices

- 2 Developing and using models
- Planning and carrying out investigations Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses to include investigations that provide evidence for and test conceptual, mathematical, physical and empirical models.
 - Plan and conduct an investigation individually and collaboratively to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence, and in the design: decide on types, how much, and accuracy of data needed to produce reliable measurements and consider limitations on the precision of the data (e.g., number of trials, cost, risk, time), and refine the design accordingly.
- Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- Tengaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Structure and Function:

• Feedback mechanisms maintain a living system's internal conditions within certain limits and mediate behaviors, allowing it to remain alive and functional even as external conditions change within some range. Outside that range (e.g., at a too high or tool low external temperature, with too little food or water available) the organism cannot survive.

Performance Expectations

HS-LS1-3

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Plan and conduct an investigation to provide evidence of the importance of maintaining homeostasis in living organisms.

Clarification Statement:

A state of homeostasis must be maintained for organisms to remain alive and functional even as external conditions change within some range. Examples of investigations could include heart rate response to exercise, stomate response to moisture and temperature, root development in response to water levels, and cell response to hyper and hypotonic environments.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include the cellular processes involved in the feedback mechanism.

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Feedback (negative or positive) can stabilize or destabilize a system.

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HS-LS1-4 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- 1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models Modeling in 9-12 builds on K-8 and progresses to using, synthesizing, and developing models to predict and show relationships among variables between systems and their components in the natural and designed worlds.
 - Use a model based on evidence to illustrate the relationships between systems or between components of a system.
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational
- 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- **7** Engaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Growth and Development of Organisms:

- In multicellular organisms individual cells grow and then divide via a process called mitosis, thereby allowing the organism to grow.
- The organism begins as a single cell (fertilized egg) that divides successively to produce many cells, with each parent cell passing identical genetic material (two variants of each chromosome pair) to both daughter cells.
- Cellular division and differentiation produce and maintain a complex organism, composed of systems of tissues and organs that work together to meet the needs of the whole organism.

HS-LS1-4

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Use a model to illustrate the role of cellular division (mitosis) and differentiation in producing and maintaining complex organisms.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on conceptual understanding that mitosis passes on genetically identical materials via replication, not on the details of each phase in mitosis.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include specific gene control mechanisms or rote memorization of the steps of mitosis.

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and System Models

· Models (e.g., physical, mathematical, computer models) can be used to simulate systems and interactions—including energy, matter, and information flows—within and between systems at different scales.

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HS-LS1-5 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in 9-12 builds on K-8 and progresses to using, synthesizing, and developing models to predict and show relationships among variables between systems and their components in the natural and designed worlds. Use a model based on evidence to illustrate the relationships between systems or between components of a system. Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Organization for Matter and Energy Flow in Organisms: • The process of photosynthesis converts light energy to stored chemical energy by converting carbon dioxide plus water into sugars plus released oxygen.	HS-LS1-5 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use a model to illustrate how photosynthesis transforms light energy into stored chemical energy. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on illustrating inputs and outputs of matter and the transfer and transformation of energy in photosynthesis by plants and other photosynthesizing organisms. Examples of models could include diagrams, chemical equations, conceptual models, and/or laboratory investigations. Assessment Boundary: The assessment should provide evidence of students' abilities to describe the inputs and outputs of photosynthesis, not the specific biochemical steps. (e.g. photosystems, electron transport, and Calvin cycle).

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Changes of energy and matter in a system can be described in terms of energy and matter flows into, out of, and within that system.

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ELA/Literacy Mathematics

HS-LS1-6 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices

- 1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- **6** Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses to explanations and designs that are supported by multiple and independent student- generated sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and theories
 - Construct and revise an explanation based on valid and reliable evidence obtained from a variety of sources (including students' own investigations, models, theories, simulations, peer review) and the assumption that theories and laws that describe the natural world operate today as they did in the past and will continue to do so in the future.
- **7** Engaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Organization for Matter and Energy Flow:

- (Builds on HS-LS1-5) The sugar molecules thus formed contain carbon, hydrogen, and oxygen: their hydrocarbon backbones are used to make amino acids and other carbon-based molecules that can be assembled into large molecules that can be assembled into large molecules (such as proteins or DNA), used for example to form new cells.
- As matter and energy flow through different organization levels of living systems, chemical elements are recombined in different ways to form different products.

Performance Expectations

HS-LS1-6

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Construct and revise an explanation based on evidence for how carbon, hydrogen, and oxygen from sugar molecules may combine with other elements to form amino acids and/or other large carbon-based molecules.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on students constructing explanations for how sugar molecules are formed through photosynthesis and the components of the reaction (i.e., carbon, hydrogen, oxygen). This hydrocarbon backbone is used to make amino acids and other carbon-based molecules that can be assembled (anabolism) into larger molecules (such as proteins or DNA).

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include the details of the specific chemical reactions or identification of macromolecules.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Changes of energy and matter in a system can be described in terms of energy and matter flows into, out of, and within that system.

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HS-LS1-7 From Molecules to Organisms: Structure and Processes

Science & Engineering Practices

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- 1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models Modeling in 9-12 builds on K-8 and progresses to using, synthesizing, and developing models to predict and show relationships among variables between systems and their components in the natural and designed worlds.
 - Use a model based on evidence to illustrate the relationships between systems or between components of a system.
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational
- 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- **7** Engaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Organization for Matter and **Energy Flow in Organisms:**

(Builds on HS-LS1-6)

- As matter and energy flow through different organizational levels of living systems, chemical elements are recombined in different ways to form different products.
- As a result of these chemical reactions, energy is transferred from one system of interacting molecules to another.
- Cellular respiration is a chemical process in which the bonds of food molecules and oxygen molecules are broken and new compounds are formed that can transport energy to muscles.
- Cellular respiration also releases the energy needed to maintain body temperature despite ongoing energy transfer to the surrounding environment.

HS-LS1-7

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Use a model to illustrate that cellular respiration is a chemical process whereby the bonds of food molecules and oxygen molecules are broken and the bonds in new compounds are formed resulting in a net transfer of energy.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on the conceptual understanding of the inputs and outputs of the process of cellular respiration. Examples of models could include diagrams, chemical equations, conceptual models, and/or laboratory investigations.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment should not include identification of the steps or specific processes involved in cellular respiration (e.g. glycolysis and Kreb's Cycle).

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Energy cannot be created or destroyed—it only moves between one place and another place, between objects and/or fields, or between systems.

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HS-LS2-1 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Mathematical and computational thinking at the 9–12 level builds on K–8 and progresses to using algebraic thinking and analysis, a range of linear and nonlinear functions including trigonometric functions, exponentials and logarithms, and computational tools for statistical analysis to analyze, represent, and model data. Simple computational simulations are created and used based on mathematical models of basic assumptions. Use mathematical and/or computational representations of phenomena or design solutions to support explanations. Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Interdependent Relationships in Ecosystems: • Ecosystems have carrying capacities, which are limits to the numbers of organisms and populations they can support. These limits result from such factors as the availability of living and nonliving resources and from such challenges such as predation, competition, and disease. • Organisms would have the capacity to produce populations of great size were it not for the fact that environments and resources are finite. This fundamental tension affects the abundance (number of individuals) of species in any given ecosystem.	HS-LS2-1 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Use mathematical and/or computational representations to support explanations of factors that affect carrying capacity of ecosystems at different scales. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on quantitative analysis and comparison of the relationships among interdependent factors including boundaries, resources, climate and competition. Examples of mathematical comparisons could include graphs, charts, histograms, or population changes gathered from simulations or historical data sets. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include deriving mathematical equations to make comparisons.

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• The significance of a phenomenon is dependent on the scale, proportion, and quantity at which it occurs.

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Mathematical and computational

represent, and model data. Simple

created and used based on math-

6 Constructing explanations (for science)

7 Engaging in argument from evidence

ematical models of basic assumptions.

Use mathematical representations

of phenomena or design solutions

computational simulations are

to support and revise

and designing solutions (for

communicating information

8 Obtaining, evaluating, and

explanations.

engineering)

HS-LS2-2 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Interdependent Relationships 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-LS2-2 in Ecosystems: defining problems (for engineering) • Ecosystems have carrying capacities, 2 Developing and using models which are limits to the numbers of 3 Planning and carrying out

- organisms and populations they can investigations support. These limits result from such 4 Analyzing and interpreting data factors as the availability of living and Using mathematics and nonliving resources and from such computational thinking
 - competition, and disease. thinking at the 9-12 level builds on K-8 • Organisms would have the capacity to and progresses to using algebraic produce populations of great size were thinking and analysis, a range of it not for the fact that environments and linear and nonlinear functions including resources are finite. This fundamental trigonometric functions, exponentials tension affects the abundance (number of individuals) of species in any given and logarithms, and computational tools for statistical analysis to analyze, ecosystem.

Ecosystem Dynamics, Functioning, and Resilience:

challenges such as predation,

- A complex set of interactions within an ecosystem can keep its numbers and types of organisms relatively constant over long periods of time under stable conditions.
- If a modest biological or physical disturbance to an ecosystem occurs, it may return to its more or less original status (i.e., the ecosystem is resilient), as opposed to becoming a very different ecosystem.
- Extreme fluctuations in conditions or the size of any population, however, can challenge the functioning of ecosystems in terms of resources and habitat availability.

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Use mathematical representations to support and revise explanations based on evidence about factors affecting biodiversity and populations in ecosystems of different scales.

Clarification Statement:

Examples of mathematical representations include finding the average, determining trends, and using graphical comparisons of multiple sets of data.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment is limited to provided data.

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• Using the concept of orders of magnitude allows one to understand how a model at one scale relates to a model at another scale.

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HS-LS2-3 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 9–12 builds on K–8 experiences and progresses to explanations and designs that are supported by multiple and independent student- generated sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and theories. Construct and revise an explanation based on valid and reliable evidence obtained from a variety of sources (including students' own investigations, models, theories, simulations, peer review) and the assumption that theories and laws that describe the natural world operate today as they did in the past and will continue to do so in the future. Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Cycles of Matter and Energy Transfer in Ecosystems: • Photosynthesis and cellular respiration (including anaerobic processes) provide most of the energy for life processes.	HS-LS2-3 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Construct and revise an explanation based on evidence for the cycling of matter and flow of energy in aerobic and anaerobic conditions. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on conceptual understanding of the role of aerobic and anaerobic respiration in different environments (e.g., chemosynthetic bacteria, yeast, and muscle cells). Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include the specific chemical processes of either aerobic or anaerobic respiration.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Energy drives the cycling of matter within and between systems.

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HS-LS2-4 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)

Science & Engineering Practices

- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- G Using mathematics and computational thinking Mathematical and computational thinking at the 9–12 level builds on K–8 and progresses to using algebraic thinking and analysis, a range of linear and nonlinear functions including trigonometric functions, exponentials and logarithms, and computational tools for statistical analysis to analyze, represent, and model data. Simple computational simulations are created and used based on mathematical models of basic assumptions.
 - Use mathematical representations of phenomena or design solutions to support claims.
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- Tengaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Cycles of Matter and Energy Transfer in Ecosystems:

- Plants or algae form the lowest level of the food web.
- At each link upward in a food web, only a small fraction of the matter consumed at the lower level is transferred upward, to produce growth and release energy in cellular respiration at the higher level.
- Given this inefficiency, there are generally fewer organisms at higher levels of a food web.
- Some matter reacts to release energy for life functions, some matter is stored in newly made structures, and much is discarded.
- The chemical elements that make up the molecules of organisms pass through food webs and into and out of the atmosphere and soil, and they are combined and recombined in different ways.
- At each link in an ecosystem, matter and energy are conserved.

Performance Expectations

HS-LS2-4

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Use a mathematical representation to support claims for the cycling of matter and flow of energy among organisms in an ecosystem.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on using a mathematical model of stored energy in biomass to describe the transfer of energy from one trophic level to another and that matter and energy are conserved as matter cycles and energy flows through ecosystems. Emphasis is on atoms and molecules such as carbon, oxygen, hydrogen and nitrogen being conserved as they move through an ecosystem.

Assessment Boundary:

Mathematics

The assessment should provide evidence of students' abilities to develop and use energy pyramids, food chains, food webs, and other models from data sets.

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Energy cannot be created or destroyed- it only moves between one place and another place, between objects and/or fields, or between systems.

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photosynthesis and respiration.

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HS-LS2-5 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Cycles of Matter and Energy 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-LS2-5 defining problems (for engineering) **Transfer in Ecosystems:** Students who demonstrate • Photosynthesis and cellular respiration 2 Developing and using models understanding can: Modeling in 9-12 builds on K-8 are important components of the carbon and progresses to using, synthesizing, cycle, in which carbon is exchanged Develop a model to illustrate and developing models to predict among the biosphere, atmosphere, the role of photosynthesis and show relationships among oceans, and geosphere through and cellular respiration in the chemical, physical, geological, and variables between systems and cycling of carbon among the biological processes. their components in the natural and designed worlds. biosphere, atmosphere, **Energy in Chemical Processes:** Develop a model based on hydrosphere, and geosphere. (secondary to HS-LS2-5) evidence to illustrate the • The main way that solar energy is relationships between systems Clarification Statement: captured and stored on Earth is through or components of a system. Examples of models could include the complex chemical process known 3 Planning and carrying out simulations and mathematical as photosynthesis. investigations models (e.g., chemical equations 4 Analyzing and interpreting data that demonstrate the relationship **5** Using mathematics and computational between photosynthesis and thinking cellular respiration. 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for Assessment Boundary: engineering) Assessment does not include 7 Engaging in argument from evidence the specific chemical steps of

Crosscutting Concepts: Systems and Models

8 Obtaining, evaluating, and

communicating information

• Models (e.g., physical, mathematical, computer models) can be used to simulate systems and interactions—including energy, matter, and information flows—within and between systems at different scales.

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HS-LS2-6 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Ecosystem Dynamics, 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-LS2-6 Functioning, and Resilience: defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate • A complex set of interactions within 2 Developing and using models understanding can: an ecosystem can keep its numbers and 3 Planning and carrying out types of organisms relatively constant investigations Evaluate the claims, 4 Analyzing and interpreting data over long periods of time under stable evidence, and reasoning 5 Using mathematics and computational that the complex interactions • If a modest biological or physical in ecosystems maintain disturbance to an ecosystem occurs, 6 Constructing explanations (for science) it may return to its more or less original relatively consistent numbers and designing solutions (for status (i.e., the ecosystem is resilient), engineering) and types of organisms in **7** Engaging in argument from evidence as opposed to becoming a very stable conditions, but different ecosystem. Engaging in argument from evidence changing conditions may Extreme fluctuations in conditions or in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences result in a new ecosystem. the size of any population, however, and progresses to using appropriate can challenge the functioning of and sufficient evidence and scientific **Clarification Statement:** reasoning to defend and critique ecosystems in terms of resources Examples of changes in ecosystem claims and explanations about natural and habitat availability. conditions could include modest and designed worlds. Arguments biological or physical changes, such as may also come from current scientific moderate hunting or a seasonal flood; or historical episodes in science. and extreme changes, such as volcanic • Evaluate the claims, evidence, and eruption or sea level rise. reasoning behind currently accepted explanations or solutions to determine **Assessment Boundary:** the merits of arguments. The assessment should provide 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and evidence of students' abilities to derive communicating information trends from graphical representations of population trends. Assessments should focus on describing drivers of

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Much of science deals with constructing explanations of how things change and how they remain stable.

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ecosystem stability and change, not on the organismal mechanisms of responses and interactions.

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HS-LS2-8 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses to using appropriate and sufficient evidence and scientific reasoning to defend and critique claims and explanations about natural and designed worlds. Arguments may also come from current scientific or historical episodes in science. Evaluate the claims, evidence, and reasoning behind currently accepted explanations or solutions to determine the merits of arguments. Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Social Interactions and Group Behavior: • Group behavior has evolved because membership can increase the chances of survival for individuals and their genetic relatives.	HS-LS2-8 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Evaluate evidence for the role of group behavior on individual and species' chances to survive and reproduce. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on advantages of grouping behaviors (e.g., flocking, schooling, herding) and cooperative behaviors (e.g., hunting, migrating, swarming) on survival and reproduction. Assessment Boundary: The assessment should provide evidence of students' abilities to: (1) distinguish between group versus individual behavior, (2) identify evidence supporting the outcomes of group behavior, and (3) develop logical and reasonable arguments based on evidence.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

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HS-LS3-1 Heredity: Inheritance and Variation of Traits

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Asking questions and defining problems in grades 9–12 builds from grades K–8 experiences and progresses to formulating, refining, and evaluating empirically testable questions and design problems

Science & Engineering Practices

- using models and simulations.

 Ask question that arise from examining models or a theory to clarify relationships
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Structure and Function: (secondary to HS-LS3-1)

 All cells contain genetic information in the form of DNA molecules. Genes are regions in the DNA that contain the instructions that code for the formation of proteins.

Inheritance of Traits:

- Each chromosome consists of a single very long DNA molecule, and each gene on the chromosome is a particular segment of that DNA.
- The instructions for forming species' characteristics are carried in DNA.
- All cells in an organism have the same genetic content, but the genes used (expressed) by the cell may be regulated in different ways.
- Not all DNA codes for protein, some segments of DNA are involved in regulatory or structural functions, and some have no as-yet known functions.

Performance Expectations

HS-LS3-1

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Ask questions to clarify relationships about the role of DNA and chromosomes in coding the instructions for characteristic traits passed from parents to offspring.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis should be on asking questions and making predictions to obtain reliable information about the role of DNA and chromosomes in coding the instructions for traits (e.g., pedigrees, karyotypes, genetic disorders, Punnett squares).

Assessment Boundary:

Assessments may include codominance, incomplete dominance, and sex-linked traits, but should not include dihybrid crosses.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

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HS-LS3-2 Heredity: Inheritance and Variation of Traits

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Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses to using appropriate and sufficient evidence and scientific reasoning to defend and critique claims and explanations about natural and designed worlds. Arguments may also come from current scientific or historical episodes in science. Make and defend a claim based on evidence about the natural world that reflects scientific knowledge, and student-generated evidence. Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Variation of Traits: In sexual reproduction, chromosomes can sometimes swap sections during the process of meiosis (cell division), thereby creating new genetic combinations and thus more genetic variation. Although DNA replication is tightly regulated and remarkably accurate, errors do occur and result in mutations, which are also cause mutations in genes, and variables mutations are inherited. Environmental factors also affect expression of traits, and hence affect the probability of occurrences of traits in the population. Thus the variation and distribution of traits observe depends on both genetic and environmental factors.	HS-LS3-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Make and defend a claim based on evidence that inheritable genetic variations may result from: (1) new genetic combinations through meiosis, (2) viable errors occurring during replication, and/or (3) mutations caused by environmental factors. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on using data to support arguments for the way variation occurs. Assessment Boundary: Assessment does not include the phases of meiosis or the biochemical mechanisms of specific steps in the process.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

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HS-LS3-3 Heredity: Inheritance and Variation of Traits

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in 9–12 builds on K-8 and progresses to introducing more detailed statistical analysis, the comparison of data sets for consistency, and the use of models to generate and analyze data. Apply concepts of statistics and probability (including determining function fits to data, slope, intercept, and correlation coefficient for linear fits) to scientific and engineering questions and problems, using digital tools when feasible. Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	Variation of Traits: • Environmental factors also affect expression of traits, and hence affect the probability of occurrences of traits in the population. Thus the variation and distribution of traits observed depends on both genetic and environmental factors.	HS-LS3-3 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Apply concepts of statistics and probability to explain the variation and distribution of expressed traits in a population. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on distribution and variation of traits in a population and the use of mathematics (e.g., calculations of frequencies in Punnett squares, graphical representations) to describe the distribution. Assessment Boundary: The assessment should provide evidence of students' abilities to use mathematical reasoning to explain the variation observed in a population as a combination of genetic and environmental factors. Hardy-Weinberg calculations are beyond the intent.

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion and Quantity

• Algebraic thinking is used to examine scientific data and predict the effect of a change in one variable on another (e.g., linear growth vs. exponential growth).

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cladograms, analogous/homologous structures, and fossil records).

HS-LS4-1 Biological Unity and Diversity

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Evidence of Common 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-LS4-1 Ancestry and Diversity: defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate • Genetic information provides evidence 2 Developing and using models understanding can: of common ancestry and diversity. DNA Analyzing and interpreting data sequences vary among species, but Analyzing data in 9-12 builds on K-8 Analyze and evaluate there are many overlaps; in fact, the experiences and progress to how evidence such as ongoing branching that produces introducing more detailed statistical similarities in DNA sequences, multiple lines of descent can be inferred analysis, the comparison of data anatomical structures, and by comparing the DNA sequences of sets for consistency, and the use of different organisms. Such information order of appearance of models to generate and analyze is also derivable from the similarities structures during embryodata. and differences in amino acid Analyze and interpret data to logical development sequences and from anatomical and determine similarities and contribute to the scientific embryological evidence. differences in findings. explanation of biological 4 Analyzing and interpreting data diversity. **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking Clarification Statement: 6 Constructing explanations (for science) Emphasis is on identifying sources and designing solutions (for of scientific evidence. engineering) 7 Engaging in argument from evidence **Assessment Boundary:** 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and The assessment should provide communicating information evidence of students' abilities to evaluate and analyze evidence (e.g.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Different patterns may be observed at each of the scales at which a system is studied and can provide evidence for causality in explanations of phenomena.

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HS-LS4-2 Biological Unity and Diversity

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Natural Selection: Asking questions (for science) and HS-LS4-2 defining problems (for engineering) • Natural selection occurs only if there is Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models both (1) variation in the genetic understanding can: 3 Planning and carrying out information between organisms in a investigations population and (2) variation in the Construct an explanation 4 Analyzing and interpreting data expression of that genetic based on evidence that 5 Using mathematics and computational information—that is, trait variation biological diversity is influthinking that leads to differences in enced by (1) the potential for a 6 Constructing explanations performance among individuals. (for science) and designing solutions species to increase in number, (for engineering) (2) the heritable genetic varia-Constructing explanations and tion of individuals in a species designing solutions in 9-12 builds due to mutation and sexual on K-8 experiences and progresses reproduction, (3) competition to explanations and designs that for limited resources, and (4) are supported by multiple and the proliferation of those independent student- generated organisms that are better able sources of evidence consistent with to survive and reproduce in scientific ideas, principles, and the environment. theories. • Construct an explanation based on Clarification Statement: valid and reliable evidence Emphasis is on using evidence to explain obtained from a variety of sources the influence each of the four factors (including students' own has on number of organisms, behaviors, investigations, models, theories, morphology, or physiology in terms of simulations, peer review) and the ability to compete for limited resources assumption that theories and laws and subsequent survival of individuals that describe the natural world and adaptation of species. Examples of operate today as they did in the evidence could include mathematical past and will continue to do so in models such as simple distribution the future. graphs and proportional reasoning. Tengaging in argument from evidence Assessment Boundary: 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and Assessment does not include genetic

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

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Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

drift, gene flow through migration, and

co-evolution.

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HS-LS4-3 Biological Unity and Diversity

Science & Engineering Practices • Asking questions (for science) and

- defining problems (for engineering)
 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in 9–12 builds on K–8 and progresses to introducing more detailed statistical analysis, the comparison of data sets for consistency, and the use of models to generate and analyze data.
 - Apply concepts of statistics and probability (including determining function fits to data, slope, intercept, and correlation coefficient for linear fits) to scientific and engineering questions and problems, using digital tools when feasible.
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- **8** Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Natural Selection:

- Natural selection occurs only if there is both (1) variation in the genetic information between organisms in a population and (2) variation in the expression of that genetic information—that is, trait variation—that leads to differences in performance among individuals.
- The traits that positively affect survival are more likely to be reproduced, and thus are more common in the population.

Adaptation:

- Natural selection leads to adaptation, that is, to a population dominated by organisms that are anatomically, behaviorally, and physiologically well suited to survive and reproduce in a specific environment. That is, the differential survival and reproduction of organisms in a population that have an advantageous heritable trait leads to an increase in the proportion of individuals in future generations that have the trait and to a decrease in the proportion of individuals that do not.
- Adaptation also means that the distribution of traits in a population can change when conditions change.

Performance Expectations

HS-LS4-3

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Apply concepts of statistics and probability to support explanations that organisms with an advantageous heritable trait tend to increase in proportion to organisms lacking this trait.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on analyzing shifts in numerical distribution of traits and using these shifts as evidence to support explanations for adaptations.

Assessment Boundary:

The assessment should provide evidence of students' abilities to analyze shifts in numerical distribution of traits as evidence to support explanations. Analysis is limited to basic statistical and graphical analysis, not gene frequency calculations.

Crosscutting Concepts: Patterns

• Different patterns may be observed at each of the scales at which a system is studied and can provide evidence for causality in explanations and phenomena.

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HS-LS4-4 Biological Unity and Diversity

Asking questions (for science) and

Science & Engineering Practices

- defining problems (for engineering)

 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- © Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 9–12 builds on K–8 experiences and progresses to explanations and designs that are supported by multiple and independent student- generated sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and theories.
 - Construct an explanation based on valid and reliable evidence obtained from a variety of sources (including students' own investigations, models, theories, simulations, peer review) and the assumption that theories and laws that describe the natural world operate today as they did in the past and will continue to do so in the future.
- Engaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Adaptation:

- Natural selection leads to adaptation, that is, to a population dominated by organisms that are anatomically, behaviorally, and physiologically well suited to survive and reproduce in a specific environment.
- That is, the differential survival and reproduction of organisms in a population that have an advantageous heritable trait leads to an increase in the proportion of individuals in future generations that have the trait and to a decrease in the proportion of individuals that do not.
- Changes in the physical environment, whether naturally occurring or human induced, have thus contributed to the expansion of some species, the emergence of new distinct species as populations diverge under different conditions, and the decline—and sometimes the extinction—of some species.

Performance Expectations

HS-LS4-4

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Construct an explanation based on evidence for how natural selection leads to adaptation of populations.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on using data to provide evidence for how specific biotic and abiotic differences in ecosystems (such as ranges of seasonal temperature, long-term climate change, acidity, light, geographic barriers, or adaptation of other organisms) contribute to a change in gene frequency over time, leading to adaptation of populations. One example could be that as climate became more arid, grasses replaced forests, which led to adaptation in mammals over time (e.g. Increase tooth enamel and size of teeth in herbivores).

Assessment Boundary:

The assessment should measure students' abilities to differentiate types of evidence used in explanations.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

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Performance Expectations

- 1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- 5 Using mathematics and computational
- 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- **7** Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses to using appropriate and sufficient evidence and scientific reasoning to defend and critique claims and explanations about natural and designed worlds. Arguments may also come from current scientific or historical episodes in science.
 - Evaluate the evidence behind currently accepted explanations or solutions to determine the merits of arguments.
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Adaptation:

- Changes in the physical environment, whether naturally occurring or human induced, have thus contributed to the expansion of some species, the emergence of new distinct species as populations diverge under different conditions, and the decline-and sometimes the extinction-of some
- Species become extinct because they can no longer survive and reproduce in their altered environment. If members cannot adjust to change that is too fast or drastic, the opportunity for the species' adaptation over time is lost.

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Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Synthesize, communicate, and evaluate the information that describes how changes in environmental conditions can affect the distribution of traits in a population causing: 1) increases in the number of individuals of some species, 2) the emergence of new species over time, and 3) the extinction of other species.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on determining cause and effect relationships for how changes to the environment such as deforestation, fishing, application of fertilizers, drought, flood, and the rate of change of the environment affect distribution or disappearance of traits in species.

Assessment Boundary:

The assessment should provide evidence of students' abilities to explain the cause and effect for how changes to the environment affect distribution or disappearance of traits in species.

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

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HS-ESS1-1 Earth's Place in the Universe

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations The Universe and Its Stars: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-ESS1-1 defining problems (for engineering) • The star called the sun is changing Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models and will burn out over a lifespan of understanding can: approximately 10 billion years. Modeling in 9-12 builds on K-8 Develop a model based and progresses to using, synthesizing, and developing models to predict **Energy in Chemical Processes** on evidence to illustrate the and show relationships among and Everyday Life: life span of the sun and the (secondary to HS-ESS1-1) role of nuclear fusion in the variables between systems and • Nuclear Fusion processes in the center their components in the natural and sun's core to release energy of the sun release the energy that designed worlds. that eventually reaches Earth ultimately reaches Earth as radiation. in the form of radiation. Develop a model based on evidence to illustrate the Clarification Statement: relationships between systems Emphasis is on the energy transfer or components of a system. mechanisms that allow energy from 3 Planning and carrying out nuclear fusion in the sun's core to investigations reach Earth. Examples of evidence 4 Analyzing and interpreting data for the model include observations **5** Using mathematics and computational of the masses and lifetimes of other stars, as well as the ways that the **6** Constructing explanations (for science) sun's radiation varies due to sudden solar flares ("space weather"), the and designing solutions (for 11-year sunspot cycle, and non-cyclic engineering) variations over centuries. **7** Engaging in argument from evidence 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and Assessment Boundary: communicating information Assessment does not include details of the atomic and sub-atomic processes involved with the sun's

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• The significance of a phenomenon is dependent on the scale, proportion, and quantity at which it occurs.

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nuclear fusion.

HS-ESS1-2 Earth's Place in the Universe

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in 9–12 builds on K–8 and progresses to using, synthesizing, and developing models to predict and show relationships among variables between systems and their components in the natural and designed worlds. Develop a model based on evidence to illustrate the relationships between systems or components of a system. Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information	Earth and the Solar System: The solar system consists of the sun and a collection of objects of varying sizes and conditions – including planets and their moons – that are held in orbit around the sun by its gravitational pull on them.	HS-ESS1-2 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Develop models to describe the sun's place in relation to the Milky Way galaxy and the distribution of galaxies and galaxy clusters in the Universe. Clarification Statement: Mathematical models can focus on the logarithmic powers-of-ten relationship among the sun, its solar system, the Milky Way galaxy, the local cluster of galaxies, and the universe, these relationships can also be investigated graphically, using 2D or 3D scaled models, or through computer programs, either pre-made or student-written. Assessment Boundary: Details about the mapped distribution of galaxies and clusters are not assessed.

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• The significance of a phenomenon is dependent on the scale, proportion, and quantity at which it occurs.

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HS-ESS1-3 Earth's Place in the Universe

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations The Universe and Its Stars: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-ESS1-3 defining problems (for engineering) • The study of stars' light spectra Students who demonstrate and brightness is used to identify 2 Developing and using models understanding can: compositional elements of stars, 3 Planning and carrying out investigations their movements, and their distances Communicate scientific 4 Analyzing and interpreting data from Earth. ideas about the way stars, 5 Using mathematics and computational Other than the hydrogen and helium, over their life cycle, produce nuclear fusion within stars produces all elements. atomic nuclei lighter than and including **6** Constructing explanations (for science) iron, and the process releases electroand designing solutions (for Clarification Statement: magnetic energy. engineering) Emphasis is on the way nucleo-7 Engaging in argument from evidence • Heavier elements are produced synthesis, and therefore the different 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and when certain massive stars achieve elements created, depend on the a supernova stage and explode. communicating information mass of a star and the stage of its Obtaining, evaluating, and lifetime communicating information in 9-12 builds on K-8 and progresses to **Assessment Boundary:** evaluating the validity and reliability Details of the many different of the claims, methods, and designs. nucleosynthesis pathways for Communicate scientific (e.g. stars of differing masses are about phenomena and/or the not assessed. process of development and the design and performance of a proposed process of system) in multiple formats (including orally, graphically, textually, and mathematically).

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• In nuclear processes, atoms are not conserved, but the total number of protons plus neutrons is conserved.

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HS-ESS1-4 Earth's Place in the Universe

Science & Engineering Practices

- 1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- Using mathematics and computational thinking Mathematical and computational thinking at the 9-12 level builds on K-8 and progresses to using algebraic thinking and analysis, a range of linear and nonlinear functions including trigonometric functions, exponentials and logarithms, and computational tools for statistical analysis to analyze, represent, and model data. Simple computational simulations are created and used based on mathematical models of basic assumptions.
 - Use mathematical representations of phenomena or design solutions to support and revise explanations.
- **6** Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- Tengaging in argument from evidence
- 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

- Kepler's laws describe common features of the motions of orbiting objects, including their elliptical paths around the sun. Orbits may change due to the gravitational effects from, or collisions with, other objects in the solar system.
- * Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Application of Science

Interdependence of Science, **Engineering, and Technology:**

Earth and the Solar System:

• Science and engineering compliment each other in the cycle known as research and development (R&D). Many R&D projects may involve scientists, engineers, and others with wide ranges of expertise.

HS-ESS1-4

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Use mathematical or computational representations to predict the motion of orbiting objects in the solar system.

Performance Expectations

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on Newtonian gravitational laws governing orbital motions, which apply to human-made satellites as well as planets and moons. (e.g. graphical representations of orbits)

Assessment Boundary:

Mathematical representations for the gravitational attraction of bodies and Kepler's Laws of orbital motions should not deal with more than two bodies, nor involve calculus.

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

· Algebraic thinking is used to examine scientific data and predict the effect of a change in one variable on another (e.g., linear growth vs. exponential growth).

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HS-ESS1-5 Earth's Place in the Universe

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Plate Tectonics and Large-Scale 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-ESS1-5 defining problems (for engineering) System Interactions: Students who demonstrate • Plate tectonics is the unifying theory 2 Developing and using models understanding can: that explains the past and current 3 Planning and carrying out movements of the rocks at Earth's investigations **Evaluate evidence of the** 4 Analyzing and interpreting data surface and provides a framework for past and current movements 5 Using mathematics and computational understanding its geologic history. of continental and oceanic crust and the theory of plate **6** Constructing explanations (for science) tectonics to explain the ages and designing solutions (for of crustal rocks. engineering) **7** Engaging in argument from evidence Clarification Statement: Engaging in argument from evidence in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences Emphasis is on the ability of plate tectonics to explain the ages of crustal and progresses to using appropriate and sufficient evidence and scientific rocks. Examples include evidence of reasoning to defend and critique the ages of oceanic crust increasing claims and explanations about natural with distance from mid-ocean ridges and designed worlds. Arguments (a result of plate spreading) and the may also come from current scientific ages of North American continental or historical episodes in science. crust decreasing with distance away Apply scientific reasoning to link from a central ancient core (a result evidence to the claims to assess of past plate interactions). the extent to which the reasoning and data support the explanation **Assessment Boundary:** or conclusion. 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Much of science deals with constructing explanations of how things change and how they remain stable.

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HS-ESS1-6 Earth's Place in the Universe

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 9–12 builds on K–8 experiences and progresses to explanations and designs that are supported by multiple and independent student- generated sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and theories. Apply scientific reasoning to link evidence to the claims to assess the extent to which the reasoning and data support the explanation or conclusion. Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information 	History of Planet Earth: • Although active geologic processes, such as plate tectonics and erosion, have destroyed or altered most of the very early rock record on Earth, other objects in the solar system, such as lunar rocks, asteroids, and meteorites, have changed little over years. Studying these objects can provide information about Earth's formation and early history.	HS-ESS1-6 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Apply scientific reasoning and evidence from ancient Earth materials, meteorites, and other planetary surfaces to construct an account of Earth's formation and early history. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on using available evidence within the solar system to reconstruct the early history of Earth. Examples of evidence include materials obtained through space exploration, radiometric dating of meteorites and Earth's oldest minerals, the sizes and compositions of solar system objects, and the impact cratering record of planetary surfaces.

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Much of science deals with constructing explanations of how things change and how they remain stable.

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HS-ESS2-1 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Earth Materials and Systems: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-ESS2-1 defining problems (for engineering) • Earth's systems, being dynamic and Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models interacting, cause feedback effects that understanding can: Modeling in 9-12 builds on K-8 can increase or decrease the original and progresses to using, synthesizing, changes. and developing models to predict and show relationships among **Plate Tectonics and Large-Scale System Interactions:** variables between systems and • Plate tectonics is the unifying theory their components in the natural and that explains the past and current designed worlds. Develop a model based on

- or components of a system. 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data

evidence to illustrate the

5 Using mathematics and computational

relationships between systems

- 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- **7** Engaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

- movements of rocks at Earth's surface and provides a framework for understanding its geologic history.
- Plate movements are responsible for most continental and ocean-floor features and for the distribution of most rocks and minerals within Farth's crust

Develop a model to illustrate how Earth's internal and surface processes operate at different spatial and temporal scales to form continental and ocean-floor features.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on how the appearance of land features (such as mountains, valleys, and plateaus) and sea-floor features (such as trenches, ridges, and seamounts) are a result of both constructive forces (such as volcanism, tectonic uplift, and orogeny) and destructive mechanisms (such as weathering, erosion, and mass wasting).

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include memorization of the details of the formation of specific geographic features of Earth's surface.

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

 Change and rates of change can be quantified and modeled over very short or very long periods of time. Some system changes are irreversible

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HS-ESS2-2 Earth's Systems

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)

Science & Engineering Practices

- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in 9-12 builds on K-8 and progresses to introducing more detailed statistical analysis, the comparison of data sets for consistency, and the use of models to generate and analyze data.
 - Analyze data using tools, technologies, and/or models (e.g., computational, mathematical) in order to make valid and reliable scientific claims or determine an optimal design solution.
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

 Earth's systems, being dynamic and interacting, cause feedback effects that can increase or decrease the original changes.

Earth Materials and Systems:

Weather and Climate:

 The foundation for Earth's: global climate system is the electromagnetic radiation from the sun, as well as its reflection, absorption, storage, and redistribution among the atmosphere, ocean, and land systems, and this energy's re-radiation into space.

Performance Expectations

HS-ESS2-2

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Analyze geoscience data to make the claim that one change to Earth's surface can create feedbacks and interactions that cause changes to other Earth's systems.

Clarification Statement:

Examples could be taken from system interactions, such as how the loss of ground vegetation causes an increase in water runoff and soil erosion, which limits additional vegetation patterns; how dammed rivers increase groundwater recharge, decrease sediment transport, and increase coastal erosion; or how the loss of wetlands causes a decrease in local humidity that further reduces the wetland extent. Examples could also include climate feedbacks that increase surface temperatures through geologic time.

Assessment Boundary:

N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Feedback (negative or positive) can stabilize or destabilize a system.

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HS-ESS2-3 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- Developing and using models Modeling in 9–12 builds on K–8 and progresses to using, synthesizing, and developing models to predict and show relationships among variables between systems and their components in the natural and designed worlds.
 - Develop a model based on evidence to illustrate the relationships between systems or components of a system.
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Earth Materials and Systems:

- Evidence from deep probes and seismic waves, reconstructions of historical changes in Earth's surface features, its magnetic field, and an understanding of physical and chemical processes lead to a model of Earth with a hot but solid inner core, a liquid outer core, a solid mantle and crust.
- Motions of the mantle and its plates occur primarily through thermal convection, which involves the cycling of matter due to the outward flow of energy from Earth's interior and gravitational movement of denser materials toward the interior.

Plate Tectonics and Large-Scale System Interactions:

- The radioactive decay of unstable isotopes continually generates new energy within Earth's crust and mantle, providing the primary source of the heat that drives mantle convection.
- Plate tectonics can be viewed as the surface expression of mantle convection.

Waves Properties:

(secondary to HS-ESS2-3)

 Geologists use seismic waves and their reflection at interfaces between layers to probe structures deep in the planet.

HS-ESS2-3

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Develop a model based on evidence of Earth's interior to describe the cycling of matter by thermal convection.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on both a one-dimensional model of Earth, with radial layers determined by density, and a three-dimensional model, which is controlled by mantle convection and the resulting plate tectonics. Examples of evidence include maps of the Earth's surface features as well as three-dimensional structure in the subsurface, obtained from seismic waves, records of the rate of change of Earth's magnetic field (as constraints on convection in the outer core), and prediction of the composition of Earth's layers from high-pressure laboratory experiments.

Assessment Boundary:

N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Energy drives the cycling of matter within and between systems.

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HS-ESS2-4 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in 9–12 builds on K-8 and progresses to introducing more detailed statistical analysis, the comparison of data sets for consistency, and the use of models to generate and analyze data.
 - Analyze data using computational models in order to make valid and reliable scientific claims.
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- **3** Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Earth and the Solar System:

(secondary to HS-ESS2-4)

 Cyclical changes in the shape of Earth's orbit around the sun, together with changes in the tilt of the planet's axis of rotation, both occurring over hundreds of thousands of years, have altered the intensity and distribution of sunlight falling on the Earth. These phenomena cause a cycle of ice ages and other changes in climate.

Earth Materials and Systems:

• The geological record shows that changes to global and regional climate can be caused by interactions among changes in the sun's energy output or Earth's orbit, tectonic events, ocean circulation, volcanic activity, glaciers, vegetation, and human activities. These changes can occur on a variety of time scales from sudden (e.g., volcanic ash clouds) to intermediate (ice ages) to very long-term tectonic cycles.

Weather and Climate:

• The foundation for Earth's global climate system is the electromagnetic radiation from the sun, as well as its reflection, absorption, storage, and redistribution among the atmosphere, ocean, and land systems, and this energy's reradiation into space.

HS-ESS2-4

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Analyze and interpret data to explore how variations in the flow of energy into and out of Earth's systems result in changes in atmosphere and climate.

Clarification Statement:

Changes differ by timescale, from sudden (large volcanic eruption, ocean circulation); to intermediate (ocean circulation, solar output, human activity) and long-term (Earth's orbit and the orientation of its axis and changes in atmospheric composition). Examples of human activities could include fossil fuel combustion, cement production, or agricultural activity and natural processes such as changes in incoming solar radiation or volcanic activity. Examples of data can include tables, graphs, maps of global and regional temperatures, and atmospheric levels of gases.

Assessment Boundary:

N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

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HS-ESS2-5 Earth's Systems

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)

Science & Engineering Practices

- 2 Developing and using models
- Planning and carrying out investigations
 Planning and carrying out investigations in 9-12 builds on 6-8 experiences and progresses to include investigations that provide evidence for and test conceptual, mathematical, physical, and empirical models.
 - Plan and conduct an investigation individually and collaboratively to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence, and in the design: decide on types, how much, and accuracy of data needed to produce reliable measurements and consider limitations on the precision of the data (e.g., number of trials, cost, risk, time), and refine the design accordingly.
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

The Role of Water in Earth's Surface Processes:

• The abundance of liquid water on Earth's surface and its unique combination of physical and chemical properties are central to the planet's dynamics. These properties include water's exceptional capacity to absorb, store, and release large amounts of energy, transmit sunlight, expand upon freezing, dissolve and transport materials, and lower the viscosities and melting points of rocks.

Performance Expectations

HS-ESS2-5

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Plan and conduct an investigation of the properties of water and its effects on Earth materials and surface processes.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on mechanical and chemical investigations with water and a variety of solid materials to provide the evidence for connections between the hydrologic cycle and system interactions commonly known as the rock cycle. Examples of mechanical investigations include stream transportation and deposition using a stream table, erosion using variations in soil moisture content, or frost wedging by the expansion of water as it freezes. Examples of chemical investigations include chemical weathering and recrystallization (by testing the solubility of different materials) or melt generation (by examining how water lowers the melting temperature of most solids).

Assessment Boundary:

N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Structure and Function

• The functions and properties of natural and designed objects and systems can be inferred from their overall structure, the way their components are shaped and used, and the molecular substructures of its various materials.

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HS-ESS2-6 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectation
Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in 9–12 builds on K–8 and progresses to using, synthesizing, and developing models to predict and show relationships among variables between systems and their components in the natural and designed worlds. Develop a model based on evidence to illustrate the relationships between systems or components of a system. Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information	Biogeology: Organisms ranging from bacteria to human beings are a major driver of the global carbon and they influence global climate by modifying the chemical makeup of the atmosphere. The abundance of carbon in the atmosphere is reduced through the ocean floor accumulation of marine sediments and the accumulation of plant biomass.	HS-ESS2-6 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Develop a quantitative model to describe the cycling of carbon among the hydrosphere, atmosphere, geosphere, and biosphere. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on modeling biogeochemical cycles that include the cycling of carbon through the ocean, atmosphere, soil, and biosphere (including humans), providing the foundation for living organisms. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• The total amount of energy and matter in closed systems is conserved.

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HS-ESS2-7 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Weather and Climate: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-ESS2-7 • Gradual atmospheric changes were defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate due to plants and other organisms that 2 Developing and using models understanding can: captured carbon dioxide and released 3 Planning and carrying out investigations oxygen. Construct an argument 4 Analyzing and interpreting data based on evidence about 5 Using mathematics and computational Biogeology: the simultaneous co-evolution • The many dynamic and delicate of Earth's systems and life feedback mechanisms between the 6 Constructing explanations (for science) biosphere and other Earth systems on Earth. and designing solutions (for cause a continual co-evolution of Earth's engineering) surface and the life that exists on it. **7** Engaging in argument from evidence Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on the dynamic causes, Engaging in argument from evidence effects, and feedbacks between the in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences biosphere and Earth's other systems, and progresses to using appropriate and sufficient evidence and scientific whereby geoscience factors influence reasoning to defend and critique conditions for life, which in turn claims and explanations about natural continuously alters Earth's surface. and designed worlds. Arguments Examples include how photosynthetic may also come from current scientific life altered the atmosphere through or historical episodes in science. the production of oxygen, which in turn Construct an oral and written increased weathering rates and affected argument or counter- arguments animal life; how microbial life on land increased the formation of soil, which based on data and evidence. in turn allowed for the development of 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information land plant species; or how the changes in coral species created reefs that altered patterns of erosion and deposition along coastlines and provided habitats to support biodiversity. Geologic timescale should be considered with the emphases above.

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Much of science deals with constructing explanations of how things change and how they remain stable.

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Assessment Boundary:
Assessment does not include a comprehensive understanding of the mechanisms of how the biosphere interacts with all of Earth's other systems.

HS-ESS3-1 Earth and Human Activities

Science & Engineering Practices • Asking questions (for science) and

- defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- ① Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses to explanations and designs that are supported by multiple and independent student- generated sources of evidence consistent with scientific ideas, principles, and theories.
 - Construct an explanation based on valid and reliable evidence obtained from a variety of sources (including students' own investigations, models, theories, simulations, peer review) and the assumption that theories and laws that describe the natural world operate today as they did in the past and will continue to do so in the future.
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Natural Resources: Resource availability has guided the development of human society.

Natural Hazards:

 Natural hazards and other geologic events have shaped the course of human history; [they] have significantly altered the sizes of human populations and have driven human migrations.

Performance Expectations

HS-ESS3-1

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Construct an explanation based on evidence for how the availability of natural resources, occurrence of natural hazards, and changes in climate have influenced human activity.

Clarification Statement:

Examples of key natural resources include access to fresh water (such as rivers, lakes, and groundwater), regions of fertile soils such as river deltas, and high concentrations of minerals and fossil fuels. Examples of natural hazards can be from interior processes (such as volcanic eruptions and earthquakes), surface processes (such as tsunamis, mass wasting and soil erosion), and severe weather (such as hurricanes, floods, and droughts). Natural hazards and other geologic events exhibit some non-random patterns of occurrence. Examples of the results of changes in climate that can affect populations or drive mass migrations include changes to sea level, regional patterns of temperature and precipitation, and the types of crops and livestock that can be raised.

Assessment Boundary:

N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

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HS-ESS3-2 Earth and Human Activities

Science & Engineering Practices

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- 1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- 5 Using mathematics and computational
- 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- **7** Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses to using appropriate and sufficient evidence and scientific reasoning to defend and critique claims and explanations about natural and designed worlds. Arguments may also come from current scientific or historical episodes in science.
 - Evaluate competing design solutions to a real-world problem based on scientific ideas and principles, empirical evidence, and logical arguments regarding relevant factors (e.g. economic, societal, environmental, ethical considerations).
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Natural Resources:

• All forms of energy production and other resource extraction have associated economic, social, environmental, and geopolitical costs and risks as well as benefits. New technologies and social regulations can change the balance of these factors.

Developing Possible Solutions:

(secondary to HS-ESS3-2)

• When evaluating solutions, it is important to take into account a range of constraints, including cost, safety, reliability, and aesthetics, and to consider social, cultural, and environmental impacts.

HS-ESS3-2

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Evaluate competing design solutions for developing, managing, and utilizing natural resources based on cost-benefit ratios.*

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on the conservation, recycling, and reuse of resources (such as minerals and metals) where possible, and on minimizing impacts where it is not. Examples include developing best practices for agricultural, soil use, forestry, and mining.

Assessment Boundary:

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

N/A

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H3-E333-3 Earth and Human Activities						
Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations				
 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Planning and carrying out 	Natural Resources: • Most elements exist in Earth's crust at concentrations too low to be extracted, but in some locations-where geological	HS-ESS3-5 Students who demonstrate understanding can:				
 investigations 4 Analyzing and interpreting data 5 Using mathematics and computational thinking 	processes have concentrated them- extraction is economically viable.	Construct a scientific explanation from evidence for how geological processes				
Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)		lead to uneven distribution of natural resources.				
Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 9–12 builds on K–8 experiences and progresses to explanations and designs that		Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on how geological processes have led to geological sedimentary basins that provide				
are supported by multiple and independent student- generated sources of evidence consistent with		significant accumulations of crude oil and natural gas in some areas and not others and how geological				
scientific ideas, principles, and theories. • Construct an explanation based on valid and reliable evidence		processes lead to diverse soil profiles that support a diversity and range of agricultural crops and how plate- tectonics leads to concentrations				
obtained from a variety of sources (including students' own investigations, models, theories,		of mineral deposits.				
simulations, peer review) and the assumption that theories and laws		Assessment Boundary: N/A				
that describe the natural world operate today as they did in the past and will continue to do so in						
the future.						

communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

7 Engaging in argument from evidence

8 Obtaining, evaluating, and

• Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

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HS-LS2-1 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Interdependent Relationships 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-LS2-1 defining problems (for engineering) in Ecosystems: Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models • Ecosystems have carrying capacities, understanding can: which are limits to the numbers of 3 Planning and carrying out organisms and populations they investigations Use mathematical 4 Analyzing and interpreting data can support. and/or computational Using mathematics and These limits result from such factors representations to support as the availability of living and nonliving computational thinking explanations of factors that resources and from such challenges Mathematical and computational such as predation, competition, and affect carrying capacity of thinking at the 9-12 level builds on K-8 and progresses to using algebraic ecosystems at different thinking and analysis, a range of • Organisms would have the capacity to scales. produce populations of great size were linear and nonlinear functions including it not for the fact that environments and trigonometric functions, exponentials Clarification Statement: resources are finite. and logarithms, and computational Emphasis is on quantitative analysis tools for statistical analysis to analyze, • This fundamental tension affects the and comparison of the relationships represent, and model data. Simple abundance (number of individuals) of among interdependent factors computational simulations are species in any given ecosystem. including boundaries, resources, created and used based on mathclimate and competition. Examples ematical models of basic assumptions. of mathematical comparisons could • Use mathematical and/or include graphs, charts, histograms, computational representations or population changes gathered from of phenomena or design solutions simulations or historical data sets. to support explanations. **6** Constructing explanations (for science) **Assessment Boundary:** and designing solutions (for Assessment does not include engineering) deriving mathematical equations 7 Engaging in argument from evidence to make comparisons. 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• The significance of a phenomenon is dependent on the scale, proportion, and quantity at which it occurs.

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HS-LS2-2 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations

- 1 Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- Using mathematics and computational thinking Mathematical and computational thinking at the 9-12 level builds on K-8 and progresses to using algebraic thinking and analysis, a range of linear and nonlinear functions including trigonometric functions, exponentials and logarithms, and computational tools for statistical analysis to analyze, represent, and model data. Simple computational simulations are created and used based on mathematical models of basic assumptions.
 - Use mathematical representations of phenomena or design solutions to support and revise explanations.
- 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Interdependent Relationships in Ecosystems:

- Ecosystems have carrying capacities, which are limits to the numbers of organisms and populations they can support.
- These limits result from such factors as the availability of living and nonliving resources and from such challenges such as predation, competition, and disease.
- Organisms would have the capacity to produce populations of great size were it not for the fact that environments and resources are finite.
- This fundamental tension affects the abundance (number of individuals) of species in any given ecosystem.

Ecosystem Dynamics, Functioning, and Resilience:

- A complex set of interactions within an ecosystem can keep its numbers and types of organisms relatively constant over long periods of time under stable conditions.
- If a modest biological or physical disturbance to an ecosystem occurs, it may return to its more or less original status (i.e., the ecosystem is resilient), as opposed to becoming a very different ecosystem.
- Extreme fluctuations in conditions or the size of any population, however, can challenge the functioning of ecosystems in terms of resources and habitat availability.

HS-LS2-2

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Use mathematical representations to support and revise explanations based on evidence about factors affecting biodiversity and populations in ecosystems of different scales.

Clarification Statement:

Examples of mathematical representations include finding the average, determining trends, and using graphical comparisons of multiple sets of data.

Assessment Boundary:

The assessments should provide evidence of students' abilities to analyze and interpret the effect new information has on explanations (e.g., DDT effects on raptor populations, effects of water temperature below reservoirs on fish spawning, invasive species effects when spread to larger scale).

Crosscutting Concepts: Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

• Using the concept of orders of magnitude allows one to understand how a model at one scale relates to a model at another scale.

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HS-LS2-4 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Cycles of Matter and Energy 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-LS2-4 **Transfer in Ecosystems:** defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate • Plants or algae form the lowest level of 2 Developing and using models understanding can: the food web. 3 Planning and carrying out investigations • At each link upward in a food web, only Use a mathematical 4 Analyzing and interpreting data a small fraction of the matter consumed representation to support Using mathematics and at the lower level is transferred upward, claims for the cycling of to produce growth and release energy computational thinking matter and flow of energy in cellular respiration at the higher level. Mathematical and computational • Given this inefficiency, there are thinking at the 9-12 level builds on K-8 among organisms in an generally fewer organisms at higher and progresses to using algebraic ecosystem. thinking and analysis, a range of levels of a food web. • Some matter reacts to release energy linear and nonlinear functions including Clarification Statement: for life functions, some matter is stored trigonometric functions, exponentials Emphasis is on using a mathematical in newly made structures, and much is and logarithms, and computational model of stored energy in biomass to tools for statistical analysis to analyze, discarded. describe the transfer of energy from represent, and model data. Simple • The chemical elements that make up one trophic level to another and that computational simulations are the molecules of organisms pass matter and energy are conserved as created and used based on maththrough food webs and into and out ematical models of basic assumptions. of the atmosphere and soil, and they are combined and recombined in Use mathematical representations molecules such as carbon, oxygen, of phenomena or design solutions different ways. hydrogen and nitrogen being • At each link in an ecosystem, matter to support claims.

engineering) 7 Engaging in argument from evidence

6 Constructing explanations (for science)

8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

and designing solutions (for

and energy are conserved.

matter cycles and energy flows through ecosystems. Emphasis is on atoms and conserved as they move through an ecosystem.

Assessment Boundary:

The assessment should provide evidence of students' abilities to develop and use energy pyramids, food chains, food webs, and other models from data sets

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Energy cannot be created or destroyed- it only moves between one place and another place, between objects and/or fields, or between systems.

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HS-LS2-6 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Ecosystem Dynamics, 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-LS2-6 Functioning, and Resilience: defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate • A complex set of interactions within 2 Developing and using models understanding can: an ecosystem can keep its numbers and 3 Planning and carrying out Evaluate the claims, types of organisms relatively constant investigations evidence, and reasoning 4 Analyzing and interpreting data over long periods of time under stable **5** Using mathematics and computational that the complex interactions • If a modest biological or physical in ecosystems maintain disturbance to an ecosystem occurs, 6 Constructing explanations (for science) relatively consistent numbers it may return to its more or less original and designing solutions (for and types of organisms in status (i.e., the ecosystem is resilient), engineering) stable conditions, but **7** Engaging in argument from evidence as opposed to becoming a very changing conditions may different ecosystem. Engaging in argument from evidence result in a new ecosystem. Extreme fluctuations in conditions or in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences the size of any population, however, and progresses to using appropriate Clarification Statement: can challenge the functioning of and sufficient evidence and scientific Examples of changes in ecosystem ecosystems in terms of resources reasoning to defend and critique conditions could include modest claims and explanations about natural and habitat availability. biological or physical changes, such as and designed worlds. Arguments moderate hunting or a seasonal flood; may also come from current scientific and extreme changes, such as volcanic or historical episodes in science. eruption or sea level rise. • Evaluate the claims, evidence, and Assessment Boundary: reasoning behind currently accepted The assessment should provide evidence explanations or solutions to determine of students' abilities to derive trends the merits of arguments. from graphical representations of 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and population trends. Assessments should communicating information focus on describing drivers of ecosystem stability and change, not on the

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Much of science deals with constructing explanations of how things change and how they remain stable.

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organismal mechanisms of responses

and interactions.

HS-LS2-7 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Ecosystem Dynamics, 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-LS2-7 Functioning, and Resilience: defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate Anthropogenic changes (induced by 2 Developing and using models understanding can: human activity) in the environment can 3 Planning and carrying out disrupt an ecosystem and threaten the investigations Design, evaluate, and 4 Analyzing and interpreting data survival of some species. refine a solution for 5 Using mathematics and computational **Biodiversity and Humans:** reducing the impacts of thinking (secondary to HS-LS2-7) human activities on the **6** Constructing explanations • Biodiversity is increased by the formation environment biodiversity.* (for science) and designing solutions of new species (speciation) and decreased (for engineering) by the loss of species (extinction). Constructing explanations and Clarification Statement: • Humans depend on the living world designing solutions in 9-12 builds Examples of human activities can for the resources and other benefits on K-8 experiences and progresses include urbanization, building dams, provided by biodiversity. But human to explanations and designs that and dissemination of invasive species. activity is also having adverse impacts are supported by multiple and on biodiversity. independent student- generated Assessment Boundary: • Thus sustaining biodiversity so that sources of evidence consistent with ecosystem functioning and productivity scientific ideas, principles, and are maintained is essential to supporting theories. and enhancing life on Earth. Design, evaluate, and refine a • Sustaining biodiversity also aids solution to a complex real-world humanity by preserving landscapes problem, based on scientific of recreational or inspirational value. knowledge, student-generated sources of evidence, prioritized **Developing Possible Solutions:** criteria, and tradeoff considerations. • When evaluating solutions it is important 7 Engaging in argument from evidence to take into account a range of constraints 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and including cost, safety, reliability and

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

communicating information

• Much of science deals with constructing explanations of how things change and how they remain stable.

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aesthetics and to consider social, cultural and environmental impacts.

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HS-ESS2-1 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- Developing and using models Modeling in 9-12 builds on K-8 and progresses to using, synthesizing, and developing models to predict and show relationships among variables between systems and their components in the natural and designed worlds.
 - Develop a model based on evidence to illustrate the relationships between systems or components of a system.
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Earth Materials and Systems:

 Earth's systems, being dynamic and interacting, cause feedback effects that can increase or decrease the original changes.

Plate Tectonics and Large-Scale System Interactions:

- Plate tectonics is the unifying theory that explains the past and current movements of rocks at Earth's surface and provides a framework for understanding its geologic history.
- Plate movements are responsible for most continental and ocean-floor features and for the distribution of most rocks and minerals within Earth's crust.

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Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Develop a model to illustrate how Earth's internal and surface processes operate at different spatial and temporal scales to form continental and ocean-floor features.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on how the appearance of land features (such as mountains, valleys, and plateaus) and sea-floor features (such as trenches, ridges, and seamounts) are a result of both constructive forces (such as volcanism, tectonic uplift, and orogeny) and destructive mechanisms (such as weathering, mass wasting, and coastal erosion).

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include memorization of the details of the formation of specific geographic features of Earth's surface.

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Change and rates of change can be quantified and modeled over very short or very long periods of time. Some system changes are irreversible.

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HS-ESS2-2 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Earth Materials and Systems: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-ESS2-2 defining problems (for engineering) • Earth's systems, being dynamic and Students who demonstrate interacting, cause feedback effects that 2 Developing and using models understanding can: can increase or decrease the original 3 Planning and carrying out investigations changes. Analyze geoscience data Analyzing and interpreting data to make the claim that one Analyzing data in 9-12 builds on Weather and Climate: change to Earth's surface • The foundation for Earth's global K-8 and progresses to introducing can create feedbacks and more detailed statistical analysis, climate system is the electromagnetic interactions that cause radiation from the sun, as well as its the comparison of data sets for reflection, absorption, storage, and consistency, and the use of models changes to other Earth's to generate and analyze data. redistribution among the atmosphere, systems. ocean, and land systems, and this Analyze data using tools, energy's re-radiation into space. technologies, and/or models Clarification Statement: (e.g., computational, mathematical) Examples could be taken from system in order to make valid and reliable interactions, such as how the loss of scientific claims or determine an ground vegetation causes an increase optimal design solution. in water runoff and soil erosion, which 6 Using mathematics and limits additional vegetation patterns; computational thinking how dammed rivers increase ground-6 Constructing explanations (for science) water recharge, decrease sediment and designing solutions (for transport, and increase coastal erosion; engineering) or how the loss of wetlands causes a 7 Engaging in argument from evidence decrease in local humidity that further 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and reduces the wetland extent. Examples communicating information could also include climate feedbacks that increase surface temperatures through geologic time. Assessment Boundary:

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Feedback (negative or positive) can stabilize or destabilize a system.

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N/A

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HS-ESS2-3 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- Developing and using models Modeling in 9–12 builds on K–8 and progresses to using, synthesizing, and developing models to predict and show relationships among variables between systems and their components in the natural and designed worlds.
 - Develop a model based on evidence to illustrate the relationships between systems or components of a system.
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 3 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Earth Materials and Systems:

- Evidence from deep probes and seismic waves, reconstructions of historical changes in Earth's surface features, its magnetic field, and an understanding of physical and chemical processes lead to a model of Earth with a hot but solid inner core, a liquid outer core, a solid mantle and crust.
- Motions of the mantle and its plates occur primarily through thermal convection, which involves the cycling of matter due to the outward flow of energy from Earth's interior and gravitational movement of denser materials toward the interior.

Plate Tectonics and Large-Scale System Interactions:

- The radioactive decay of unstable isotopes continually generates new energy within Earth's crust and mantle, providing the primary source of the heat that drives mantle convection.
- Plate tectonics can be viewed as the surface expression of mantle convection.

Waves Properties:

(secondary to HS-ESS2-3)

 Geologists use seismic waves and their reflection at interfaces between layers to probe structures deep in the planet.

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Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Develop a model based on evidence of Earth's interior to describe the cycling of matter by thermal convection.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on both a one-dimensional model of Earth, with radial layers determined by density, and a three-dimensional model, which is controlled by mantle convection and the resulting plate tectonics. Examples of evidence include maps of the Earth's surface features as well as three-dimensional structure in the subsurface, obtained from seismic waves, records of the rate of change of Earth's magnetic field (as constraints on convection in the outer core), and identification of the composition of Earth's layers from high-pressure laboratory experiments.

Assessment Boundary:

N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• Energy drives the cycling of matter within and between systems.

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HS-ESS2-4 Earth's Systems

Asking questions (for science) and

Science & Engineering Practices

- defining problems (for engineering)
 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- Analyzing and interpreting data Analyzing data in 9-12 builds on K-8 and progresses to introducing more detailed statistical analysis, the comparison of data sets for consistency, and the use of models to generate and analyze data.
 - Analyze data using computational models in order to make valid and reliable scientific claims.
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

Earth and the Solar System: (secondary to HS-ESS2-4)

 Cyclical changes in the shape of Earth's orbit around the sun, together with changes in the tilt of the planet's axis of rotation, both occurring over hundreds of thousands of years, have altered the intensity and distribution of sunlight falling on the Earth. These phenomena cause a cycle of ice ages and other changes in climate.

Earth Materials and Systems:

• The geological record shows that changes to global and regional climate can be caused by interactions among changes in the sun's energy output or Earth's orbit, tectonic events, ocean circulation, volcanic activity, glaciers, vegetation, and human activities. These changes can occur on a variety of time scales from sudden (e.g., volcanic ash clouds) to intermediate (ice ages) to very long-term tectonic cycles.

Weather and Climate:

 The foundation for Earth's global climate system is the electromagnetic radiation from the sun, as well as its reflection, absorption, storage, and redistribution among the atmosphere, ocean, and land systems, and this energy's re-radiation into space.

Performance Expectations

HS-ESS2-4

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Analyze and interpret data to explore how variations in the flow of energy into and out of Earth's systems result in changes in atmosphere and climate.

Clarification Statement:

Changes differ by timescale, from sudden (large volcanic eruption, ocean circulation) to intermediate (ocean circulation, solar output, human activity) and long-term (Earth's orbit and the orientation of its axis and changes in atmospheric composition). Examples of human activities could include fossil fuel combustion, cement production, or agricultural activity and natural processes such as changes in incoming solar radiation or volcanic activity. Examples of data can include tables, graphs, and maps of global and regional temperatures, and atmospheric levels of gases.

Assessment Boundary:

N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

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HS-ESS2-5 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- Planning and carrying out investigations
 Planning and carrying out investigations in 9-12 builds on 6-8 experiences and progresses to include investigations that provide evidence for and test conceptual, mathematical, physical, and empirical models.
 - Plan and conduct an investigation individually and collaboratively to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence, and in the design: decide on types, how much, and accuracy of data needed to produce reliable measurements and consider limitations on the precision of the data (e.g., number of trials, cost, risk, time), and refine the design accordingly.
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

The Role of Water in Earth's Surface Processes:

• The abundance of liquid water on Earth's surface and its unique combination of physical and chemical properties are central to the planet's dynamics. These properties include water's exceptional capacity to absorb, store, and release large amounts of energy, transmit sunlight, expand upon freezing, dissolve and transport materials, and lower the viscosities and melting points of rocks.

HS-ESS2-5

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Plan and conduct an investigation of the properties of water and its effects on Earth materials and surface processes.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on mechanical and chemical investigations with water and a variety of solid materials to provide the evidence for connections between the hydrologic cycle and system interactions commonly known as the rock cycle. Examples of mechanical investigations include stream transportation and deposition using a stream table, erosion using variations in soil moisture content, or frost wedging by the expansion of water as it freezes. Examples of chemical investigations include chemical weathering and recrystallization (by testing the solubility of different materials) or melt generation (by examining how water lowers the melting temperature of most solids).

Assessment Boundary:

Crosscutting Concepts: Structure and Function

• The functions and properties of natural and designed objects and systems can be inferred from their overall structure, the way their components are shaped and used, and the molecular substructures of its various materials.

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HS-ESS2-6 Earth's Systems

Science & Engineering Practices	Disciplinary Core Ideas	Performance Expectations
Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering) Developing and using models Modeling in 9–12 builds on K–8 and progresses to using, synthesizing, and developing models to predict and show relationships among variables between systems and their components in the natural and designed worlds. Develop a model based on evidence to illustrate the relationships between systems or components of a system. Planning and carrying out investigations Analyzing and interpreting data Using mathematics and computational thinking Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Engaging in argument from evidence Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information	Biogeology: Organisms ranging from bacteria to human beings are a major driver of the global carbon and they influence global climate by modifying the chemical makeup of the atmosphere. The abundance of carbon in the atmosphere is reduced through the ocean floor accumulation of marine sediments and the accumulation of plant biomass.	HS-ESS2-6 Students who demonstrate understanding can: Develop a quantitative model to describe the cycling of carbon among the hydrosphere, atmosphere, geosphere, and biosphere. Clarification Statement: Emphasis is on modeling biogeochemical cycles that include the cycling of carbon through the ocean, atmosphere, soil, and biosphere (including humans), providing the foundation for living organisms. Assessment Boundary: N/A

Crosscutting Concepts: Energy and Matter

• The total amount of energy and matter in closed systems is conserved.

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HS-ESS2-7 Earth's Systems

Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)

Science & Engineering Practices

- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses to using appropriate and sufficient evidence and scientific reasoning to defend and critique claims and explanations about natural and designed worlds. Arguments may also come from current scientific or historical episodes in science.
 - Construct an oral and written argument or counter- arguments based on data and evidence.
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Disciplinary Core Ideas

 Gradual atmospheric changes were due to plants and other organisms that captured carbon dioxide and released oxygen.

Biogeology:

Weather and Climate:

 The many dynamic and delicate feedback mechanisms between the biosphere and other Earth systems cause a continual co-evolution of Earth's surface and the life that exists on it.

Performance Expectations

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Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Construct an argument based on evidence about the simultaneous co-evolution of Earth's systems and life on Earth.

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on the dynamic causes, effects, and feedbacks between the biosphere and Earth's other systems, whereby geoscience factors influence conditions for life, which in turn continuously alters Earth's surface. Examples include how photosynthetic life altered the atmosphere through the production of oxygen, which in turn increased weathering rates and affected animal life: how microbial life on land increased the formation of soil, which in turn allowed for the development of land plant species; or how the changes in coral species created reefs that altered patterns of erosion and deposition along coastlines and provided habitats to support biodiversity. Geologic timescale should be considered with the emphases above.

Assessment Boundary:

Assessment does not include a comprehensive understanding of the mechanisms of how the biosphere interacts with all of Earth's other systems.

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Much of science deals with constructing explanations of how things change and how they remain stable.

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HS-ESS3-1 Earth and Human Activities

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Natural Resources: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-ESS3-1 • Resource availability has guided the defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate development of human society. 2 Developing and using models understanding can: 3 Planning and carrying out Construct an explanation investigations **Natural Hazards:** based on evidence for how 4 Analyzing and interpreting data • Natural hazards and other geologic the availability of natural 5 Using mathematics and computational events have shaped the course of resources, occurrence of human history; [they] have significantly thinking natural hazards, and changes altered the sizes of human populations **6** Constructing explanations in climate have influenced and have driven human migrations. (for science) and designing solutions human activity. (for engineering) Constructing explanations and Clarification Statement: designing solutions in 9-12 builds Examples of key natural resources on K-8 experiences and progresses include access to fresh water (such as to explanations and designs that rivers, lakes, and groundwater), regions are supported by multiple and of fertile soils such as river deltas, and independent student-generated high concentrations of minerals and sources of evidence consistent with fossil fuels. Examples of natural hazards scientific ideas, principles, and can be from interior processes (such as volcanic eruptions and earthquakes), theories. surface processes (such as tsunamis, Construct an explanation based mass wasting and soil erosion), and on valid and reliable evidence severe weather (such as hurricanes, obtained from a variety of sources floods, and droughts). Natural hazards (including students' own and other geologic events exhibit some investigations, models, theories, non-random patterns of occurrence. simulations, peer review) and the Examples of the results of changes in assumption that theories and laws climate that can affect populations or that describe the natural world drive mass migrations include changes to sea level, regional patterns of operate today as they did in the temperature and precipitation, and past and will continue to do so in the types of crops and livestock that the future. can be raised.

- 7 Engaging in argument from evidence
- 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Cause and Effect

• Empirical evidence is required to differentiate between cause and correlation and make claims about specific causes and effects.

Assessment Boundary:

N/A

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HS-ESS3-2 Earth and Human Activities

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas

Performance Expectations

- Asking questions (for science) and defining problems (for engineering)
- 2 Developing and using models
- 3 Planning and carrying out investigations
- 4 Analyzing and interpreting data
- **5** Using mathematics and computational thinking
- Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering)
- Engaging in argument from evidence Engaging in argument from evidence in 9-12 builds on K-8 experiences and progresses to using appropriate and sufficient evidence and scientific reasoning to defend and critique claims and explanations about natural and designed worlds. Arguments may also come from current scientific or historical episodes in science.
 - Evaluate competing design solutions to a real-world problem based on scientific ideas and principles, empirical evidence, and logical arguments regarding relevant factors (e.g. economic, societal, environmental, ethical considerations).
- Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Natural Resources:

 All forms of energy production and other resource extraction have associated economic, social, environmental, and geopolitical costs and risks as well as benefits. New technologies and social regulations can change the balance of these factors.

Developing Possible Solutions: (secondary to HS-ESS3-2)

 When evaluating solutions, it is important to take into account a range of constraints, including cost, safety, reliability, and aesthetics, and to consider social, cultural, and environmental impacts.

HS-ESS3-2

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Evaluate competing design solutions for developing, managing, and utilizing natural resources based on cost-benefit ratios.*

Clarification Statement:

Emphasis is on the conservation, recycling, and reuse of resources (such as minerals and metals) where possible, and on minimizing impacts where it is not. Examples include developing best practices for agricultural soil use, mining (for coal, tar sands, and oil shales), and pumping (for petroleum and natural gas).

Assessment Boundary:

N/A

Crosscutting Concepts:

• N/A

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HS-ESS3-3 Earth and Human Activities

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Human Impacts on Earth Systems: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-ESS3-3 • The sustainability of human societies defining problems (for engineering) Students who demonstrate 2 Developing and using models and the biodiversity that supports them understanding can: 3 Planning and carrying out requires responsible management of investigations natural resources. Create a computational 4 Analyzing and interpreting data simulation to illustrate Using mathematics and the relationship among computational thinking management of natural Mathematical and computational resources, the sustainability thinking at the 9-12 level builds on K-8 and progresses to using algebraic of human populations, thinking and analysis, a range of and biodiversity. linear and nonlinear functions including trigonometric functions, exponentials **Clarification Statement:** and logarithms, and computational Examples of factors that affect the tools for statistical analysis to analyze, management of natural resources represent, and model data. Simple include costs of resource extraction computational simulations are and waste management, per-capita created and used based on mathconsumption, and the development ematical models of basic assumptions. of new technologies. Examples of Create a computational model factors that affect human sustainability or simulation of a phenomenon, include agricultural efficiency, levels design device, process or system. of consumption, and urban planning. 6 Constructing explanations (for science) and designing solutions (for **Assessment Boundary:** engineering) Assessment for computational 7 Engaging in argument from evidence simulations is limited to using 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and provided multi-parameter communicating information programs or constructing simplified spreadsheet calculations.

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Change and rates of change can be quantified and modeled over very short or very long periods of time. Some system changes are irreversible.

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HS-ESS3-4 Earth and Human Activities

Science & Engineering Practices Disciplinary Core Ideas Performance Expectations Human Impacts on Earth Systems: 1 Asking questions (for science) and HS-ESS3-4 defining problems (for engineering) • Scientists and engineers can make Students who demonstrate major contributions by developing 2 Developing and using models understanding can: technologies that produce less 3 Planning and carrying out pollution and waste and that preclude investigations Evaluate or refine a 4 Analyzing and interpreting data ecosystem degradation. technological solution **5** Using mathematics and computational that reduces the impacts thinking of human activities on **6** Constructing explanations natural systems.* (for science) and designing solutions (for engineering) Constructing explanations and Clarification Statement: designing solutions in 9-12 builds Examples of data on the impacts of on K-8 experiences and progresses human activities could include the to explanations and designs that quantities and types of pollutants are supported by multiple and released, changes to biomass and independent student-generated species diversity, or areal changes in sources of evidence consistent land surface use. Examples for limiting with scientific ideas, principles, future impacts could range from local and theories. efforts (such as reducing, reusing, and • Design or refine a solution to recycling resources) to large-scale a complex real-world problem, geoengineering design solutions. based on scientific knowledge, student generated sources of Assessment Boundary: evidence, prioritized criteria, and tradeoff considerations. 7 Engaging in argument from evidence 8 Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information

Crosscutting Concepts: Stability and Change

• Feedback (negative or positive) can stabilize or destabilize a system.

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