

	First Semester	
Unit 0 Think Like a Scientist	Unit 1 Weather	Buffer
Lab Safety Science and Engineering Fair	Priority Standards S1E1a S1E1c S1E1d Supporting Standard S1E1b	Priority Standards S1E1a S1E1c S1E1d
10 days	6.5 weeks (32 days)	3 days
 Big Ideas Proper lab safety procedures Science and Engineering Fair 	Big Ideas • Types of weather (Forms of precipitation) • Measuring weather Science and Engineering Practices • Obtaining, evaluating and communicating information • Construct explanations and designing solutions • Planning and carrying out investigations • Asking questions and defining problems • Developing and using models Crosscutting Concepts • Patterns • Cause and Effect • System and systems model	Assessment Remediation Enrichment



	First Semester	
Pre-Unit 2 Review Buffer	Unit 2 Needs of Living Things (Plants and Animals)	Buffer
Prerequisite Standards SKL1a SKL2a SKL2b	Priority Standards S1L1b S1L1c Supporting Standard S1L1a	Priority Standards S1L1b S1L1c
3 days	7.5 weeks (39 days)	3 days
Big Ideas • Organisms vs non-living objects • Similarities and differences in groups of organisms	Big Ideas • Parts of a plant • Basic needs of plants and animals Science and Engineering Practices • Obtaining, evaluating and communicating information • Construct explanations and designing solutions • Asking questions and defining problems • Developing and using models Crosscutting Concepts • Patterns • Cause and Effect • System and systems model	Assessment Remediation Enrichment



Second Semester		
Pre-Unit 3 Review Buffer	Unit 3 Light and Sound	Buffer
Spiral Review	Priority Standards S1P1c S1P1d Supporting Standards S1P1a S1P1b S1P1e	Priority Standards S1P1c S1P1d
3 days	7.5 weeks (39 days)	3 days
Big Ideas • Weather • Needs of plants and animals	Big Ideas • Light • Sound Science and Engineering Practices • Obtaining, evaluating and communicating information • Planning and carrying out investigations • Asking questions and defining problems • Developing and using models Crosscutting Concepts • Patterns • Cause and Effect • Energy and Matter	Assessment Remediation Enrichment



Second Semester		
Pre-Unit 4 Review Buffer	Unit 4 Magnets	Buffer
Prerequisite Standards SKP2a SKP2b	Priority Standard S1P2b Supporting Standard S1P2a	Priority Standard S1P2b
3 days	7.5 weeks (39 days)	3 days
<u>Big Idea</u> • Compare and describe different types of motion	Big Idea • Magnets Science and Engineering Practices • Obtaining, evaluating and communicating information • Construct explanations and designing solutions • Planning and carrying out investigations • Asking questions and defining problems • Developing and using models Crosscutting Concepts • Patterns • Cause and Effect • Energy and Matter	Assessment Remediation Enrichment

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