

Main Criteria: Next Generation Science Standards (NGSS)
Secondary Criteria: California Content Standards, Pennsylvania Core and Academic Standards
Subject: Science
Grade: 4

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Main Criteria Standards	California Content Standards	Pennsylvania Core and Academic Standards
Science		
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PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 4-PS3-1. - Use evidence to construct an explanation relating the speed of an object to the energy of that object.	4-PS3-1. - Use evidence to construct an explanation relating the speed of an object to the energy of that object.	3.2.4.B1. - Explain how an object's change in motion can be observed and measured.
PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 4-PS3-2. - Make observations to provide evidence that energy can be transferred from place to place by sound, light, heat, and electric currents.	4-PS3-2. - Make observations to provide evidence that energy can be transferred from place to place by sound, light, heat, and electric currents.	3.2.4.B2. - Identify types of energy and their ability to be stored and changed from one form to another.
PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 4-PS3-3. - Ask questions and predict outcomes about the changes in energy that occur when objects collide.	4-PS3-3. - Ask questions and predict outcomes about the changes in energy that occur when objects collide.	
PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 4-PS3-4. - Apply scientific ideas to design, test, and refine a device that converts energy from one form to another.	4-PS3-4. - Apply scientific ideas to design, test, and refine a device that converts energy from one form to another.	3.2.4.B2. - Identify types of energy and their ability to be stored and changed from one form to another. 3.2.4.B6. - (ENERGY) Give examples of how energy can be transformed from one form to another. 4.2.4.A.2. - Identify water systems and their components as either lotic or lentic. 4.4.4.B.1. - Identify Pennsylvania's important agricultural products.
PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 4-PS4-1. - Develop a model of waves to describe patterns in terms of amplitude and wavelength and that waves can cause objects to move.	4-PS4-1. - Develop a model of waves to describe patterns in terms of amplitude and wavelength and that waves can cause objects to move.	

PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 4-PS4-2. - Develop a model to describe that light reflecting from objects and entering the eye allows objects to be seen.	4-LS1-2. - 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. 4-PS4-2. - Develop a model to describe that light reflecting from objects and entering the eye allows objects to be seen.	
PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 4-PS4-3. - Generate and compare multiple solutions that use patterns to transfer information.	4-PS4-3. - Generate and compare multiple solutions that use patterns to transfer information.	
PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 4-LS1-1. - Construct an argument that plants and animals have internal and external structures that function to support survival, growth, behavior, and reproduction.	4-LS1-1. - Construct an argument that plants and animals have internal and external structures that function to support survival, growth, behavior, and reproduction.	
PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 4-LS1-2. - 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.	4-LS1-2. - 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. 4-PS4-2. - Develop a model to describe that light reflecting from objects and entering the eye allows objects to be seen.	
PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 4-ESS1-1. - Identify evidence from patterns in rock formations and fossils in rock layers to support an explanation for changes in a landscape over time.	4-ESS1-1. - Identify evidence from patterns in rock formations and fossils in rock layers to support an explanation for changes in a landscape over time.	
PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 4-ESS2-1. - Make observations and/or measurements to provide evidence of the effects of weathering or the rate of erosion by water, ice, wind, or vegetation.	4-ESS2-1. - Make observations and/or measurements to provide evidence of the effects of weathering or the rate of erosion by water, ice, wind, or vegetation.	3.3.4.A1c. - Recognize that the surface of the earth changes due to slow processes and rapid processes. 3.3.4.A6b. - (CONSTANCY/CHANGE) Identify simple changes in the earth system as air, water, soil and rock interact.
PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 4-ESS2-2. - Analyze and interpret data from maps to describe patterns of Earth's features.	4-ESS2-2. - Analyze and interpret data from maps to describe patterns of Earth's features.	
PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 4-ESS3-1. - Obtain and combine information to describe how Earth's features have changed over time.	4-ESS3-1. - Obtain and combine information to describe how Earth's features have changed over time.	3.4.4.E3. - Identify types of energy and the ways in which energy is transferred between systems.

<p>Obtain and combine information to describe that energy and fuels are derived from natural resources and their uses affect the environment.</p>	<p>describe that energy and fuels are derived from natural resources and their uses affect the environment.</p>	<p>4.5.4.A. - Identify how people use natural resources in sustainable and non-sustainable ways.</p>
<p>PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 4-ESS3-2. - Generate and compare multiple solutions to reduce the impacts of natural Earth processes on humans.</p>	<p>4-ESS3-2. - Generate and compare multiple solutions to reduce the impacts of natural Earth processes on humans.</p>	<p>3.3.4.A5b. - Identify weather patterns over time.</p>
<p>PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 3-5-ETS1-1. Define a simple design problem reflecting a need or a want that includes specified criteria for success and constraints on materials, time, or cost.</p>	<p>3-5-ETS1-1. - Define a simple design problem reflecting a need or a want that includes specified criteria for success and constraints on materials, time, or cost. 3-5-ETS1-2. - Generate and compare multiple possible solutions to a problem based on how well each is likely to meet the criteria and constraints of the problem.</p>	<p>3.4.4.A2. - Understand that systems have parts and components that work together. 3.4.4.C2.2. - Generate ideas. 3.4.4.C2.6 - Communicate the solution with others. 3.4.4.C2.7. - Present the results. 3.4.4.D1. - Investigate how things are made and how they can be improved.</p>
<p>PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 3-5-ETS1-2. Generate and compare multiple possible solutions to a problem based on how well each is likely to meet the criteria and constraints of the problem.</p>	<p>3-5-ETS1-1. - Define a simple design problem reflecting a need or a want that includes specified criteria for success and constraints on materials, time, or cost. 3-5-ETS1-2. - Generate and compare multiple possible solutions to a problem based on how well each is likely to meet the criteria and constraints of the problem. 3-5-ETS1-3. - Plan and carry out fair tests in which variables are controlled and failure points are considered to identify aspects of a model or prototype that can be improved.</p>	<p>3.4.4.A2. - Understand that systems have parts and components that work together. 3.4.4.C2.2. - Generate ideas. 3.4.4.C2.3. - Select a solution and test it. 3.4.4.C2.5. - Evaluate the item. 3.4.4.C2.6 - Communicate the solution with others. 3.4.4.C2.7. - Present the results.</p>

		<p>3.4.4.D1. - Investigate how things are made and how they can be improved.</p>
<p>PERFORMANCE EXPECTATION: 3-5-ETS1-3. Plan and carry out fair tests in which variables are controlled and failure points are considered to identify aspects of a model or prototype that can be improved.</p>	<p>3-5-ETS1-2. - Generate and compare multiple possible solutions to a problem based on how well each is likely to meet the criteria and constraints of the problem.</p> <p>3-5-ETS1-3. - Plan and carry out fair tests in which variables are controlled and failure points are considered to identify aspects of a model or prototype that can be improved.</p>	<p>3.4.4.C2.3. - Select a solution and test it.</p> <p>3.4.4.C2.5. - Evaluate the item.</p> <p>SI.4. - Plan and conduct a simple investigation and understand that different questions require different kinds of investigations.</p>