# **Grade 1 Stemscopes Required Units and Standards**

# **Physical Sciences**

# 1. Behavior of Light

## NGSS.1.PS.PS4.2 (1-PS4-2)

*Performance Expectation* Make observations to construct an evidence-based account that objects can be seen only when illuminated.

### NGSS.1.PS.PS4.3 (1-PS4-3)

*Performance Expectation* Plan and conduct an investigation to determine the effect of placing objects made with different materials in the path of a beam of light.

# 2. Sound

#### NGSS.1.PS.PS4.1 (1-PS4-1)

*Performance Expectation* Plan and conduct investigations to provide evidence that vibrating materials can make sound and that sound can make materials vibrate.

# **Life Sciences**

# 1. Parts of Animals

## NGSS.1.LS.LS1.1 (1-IS1-1)

*Performance Expectation* 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.

# 2. Parts of Plants

### NGSS.1.LS.LS1.1 (1-IS1-1)

*Performance Expectation* 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.

## 3. Animal Trait, Inheritances and Variation

#### NGSS.1.LS.LS3.1 (1-IS3-1)

*Performance Expectation* Make observations to construct an evidence-based account that young plants and animals are alike, but not exactly like their parents

# Earth and Space Sciences

## 1. Patterns in Space

## NGSS.1.ESS.ESS1.1 (1-ESS1-1)

*Performance Expectation* Use observations of the sun, moon, and stars to describe patterns that can be predicted.