Power Indicators

Grade 3 Science

Earth and Space Sciences

- 3.1.1 Compare distinct properties of rocks (e.g., color, layering and texture).
- 3.1.4 Observe and describe the composition of soil (e.g., small pieces of rock and decomposed pieces of plants and animals, and products of plants and animals).

Life Sciences

- 3.2.1 Compare the life cycles of different animals including birth to adulthood, reproduction and death (e.g., egg-tadpole-frog-caterpillar-chrysalis-butterfly)
- 3.2.3 Classify animals according to their characteristics (e.g., body coverings and body structure).

Physical Sciences

3.3.2 Describe an objects motion by tracing and measuring its position over time.

Science and Technology

3.4.4 Use a simple design process to solve a problem (e.g., identify a problem, identify possible solutions and design a solution).

Scientific Inquiry

- 3.5.1 Select the appropriate tools and use relevant safety procedures to measure and record length and weight in metric and English units.
- 3.5.3 Read and interpret simple tables and graphs produced by self/others.
- 3.5.5 Record and organize observations (e.g., journals, charts, and tables).
- 3.5.6 Communicate scientific findings to others through a variety of methods (e.g., pictures, written, oral and recorded observations).

Scientific Ways of Knowing

3.6.3 Explore through stories how men and women have contributed to the development of science.