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ABSTRACT

The science curriculum for the Fort Benton school system was developed with funds under Title III of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act to give students the background of a modern and forward-looking program in science taught in an imaginative, investigative, and inquiry-oriented fashion. The science curriculum guide outlines a planned scope and sequence for grades K-12 with material divided into conceptual topics that are arranged by appropriate learning level. The sequence consists of general science, life science, physical science, earth science, biology, chemistry, physics, and advanced biology. Ten basic goals are presented relating to the student's ability to utilize observational techniques, develop classification schemes, communicate using scientific technology, and understand and apply scientific concepts. Goals and resource materials for each grade level are specified. (JH)

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## PREFACE

The means by which a small rural school system might provide a continuing curriculum development process are limited fiscally in most areas of Montana. Through the acquisition of a federal grant under ESEA Title III, we in the Fort Benton System have been able to overcome this limitation to some degree. Found in the pages of this curriculum outline are the efforts of Fort Benton teachers and administrators as well as the efforts of personnel from seven other Montana schools.

In today's paper world we often measure success by the volume of the printed word. The efforts put forth by the people involved in this project in no way can be acknowledged simply through an observance of volume. The real success of the program appears in the regeneration of teaching philosophy, methodology and enthusiasm. These in most part will show in the benefits rendered the students in the years to come.

I am not only proud to have been a part of this project, but also thank all the people involved for their cooperation. Any success or benefits of the project are theirs.

Members of this project from the Fort Benton School System will be available for consultant service to any organization or school district with regard to the outline contained herein or any other part of the project.

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## STATEMENT OF PHILOSOPHY

We believe we live in an age of science and it is essential that students of today, who will occupy positions in tomorrow's society in the twenty-first century, have the background of a modern and forward-looking program in science. Therefore, we want to teach modern science in an imaginative, investigative and inquiry-oriented fashion.

We believe in order to develop such a meaningful science curriculum, a planned scope and sequence must be used. Therefore, we have divided the material into conceptual topics which are arranged into appropriate learning levels. These conceptual topics are in the three major areas of science: Life, Earth, and Physical.

We hope the student, through inquiry and experimentation, will become actively involved in the learning process, thereby developing an appreciation of what science has done and can do for everyone in everyday life.

## INTRODUCTION

This Science Curriculum was developed primarily for the Fort Benton School System by a committee representing several Montana School Districts. The project was funded through an ESEA Title III grant to the Fort Benton Public Schools.

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## TERMINOLOGY

1. ACQUAINT - to make familiar.
2. APPLY - use appropriately.
3. ASCERTAIN - to find out.
4. ASSUME - to take it for granted.
5. BEHAVIORAL INSTRUCTIONAL OBJECTIVE - refers to those objectives used to measure the terminal behavior of the student which are intended to help develop the behavioral concept and in turn the grade level theme.
6. BEHAVIORAL CONCEPT - refers to those concepts written in behavioral terms which are intended to further develop the grade level theme.
7. CALCULATE - to find out beforehand by any process of reasoning; to estimate.
8. CATEGORIZE - to put into a class according to some system.
9. CHARACTERIZING - describe the special qualities or features of.
10. CLASSIFY - group according to some system.
11. COLLECT - gather together.
12. COMMUNICATION - the exchange of thought between persons by speech or letter.
13. COMPARE - to point out likenesses.
14. COMPILE - to bring together in one list or account.
15. COMPUTE - to find out by rhythmatical or other mathematical means.
16. CONCLUDE - to come to a decision about.
17. CONDUCT - to execute.
18. CONSTRUCT - to put together or build.
19. CONTRAST - to compare so as to show their differences.
20. DEDUCE - infer from a general rule to reach a conclusion by reasoning.
21. DEFINE - to establish or state clearly with authority.
22. DEMONSTRATE - explain by using experiments and examples.
23. DERIVE - to draw as a conclusion.
24. DESCRIBE - to tell or write about.
- DETERMINE - to find out exactly to reach a certain result.

26. DEVELOP - work out in greater detail.
27. DIFFERENTIATE - to recognize and state differences.
28. DISCOVER - see or learn of for the first time.
29. DISCUSS - to talk something over with others considering all sides of a question.
30. ENVIRONMENT - surroundings; especially the conditions or influences that affect the growth and development of a person, animal or plant.
31. ESTABLISH - show beyond dispute.
32. EVALUATE - to examine and judge concerning the worth.
33. EXPLAIN - to make plain or clear; interpret.
34. EXPRESS - to put into words.
35. GOALS - refers to those ten basic goals established by this committee as the overall concern of this curriculum.
36. IDENTIFY - to prove that a thing is the same as that which is already known.
37. INDICATE - to point out or make known.
38. INFER - find out by reasoning.
39. INTERDEPENDENCE - the act of depending on one another; a mutual dependence.
40. INTERPRET - to explain or tell the meaning of.
41. INVESTIGATE - search into, examine closely.
42. LEISURE TIME - the time which is apart from an individual's work time.
43. LIST - catalogue.
44. OBSERVE - examine for some special purpose.
45. OPERATE - perform or function.
46. PERFORM - carry out a process.
47. PREDICT - to make known beforehand as something that is to happen.
48. PROVE - to establish the validity of.
49. REALIZE - to understand clearly.
50. RECITE - to tell in detail; to relate; to answer questions about a lesson.
51. RECOGNIZE - to recall knowledge.
52. RECORD - to set down in writing.

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53. RELATE - to give an account of.
54. SELECT - to choose or pick out.
55. SUMMARIZE - give only the main points of or express briefly.
56. UNDERSTAND - to develop a knowledge of.
57. VISUALIZE - to form a mental picture.

## BASIC GOALS

Ten basic goals have been identified in the field of science K-12; these are as follows:

1. Each student should be able to utilize observational techniques in the natural and physical science areas using all his senses.
2. Each student should be able to develop classification schemes according to similarities and differences.
3. Each student should be able to communicate orally and in writing the general terminology required in the scientific areas.
4. Each student should be able to make useful application of scientific concepts in everyday life.
5. Each student should be able to use known facts to explain natural and physical phenomena.
6. Each student should be able to utilize the skills of scientific investigation.
7. Each student should be able to infer both deductively and inductively from evidence at hand.
8. Each student should be able to manipulate scientific apparatus.
9. Each student should be able to develop an understanding and appreciation of himself and his interdependence to the total environment.
10. Each student should be able to develop an appreciation of the contribution of science to everyday life.

## THEMES AND THEIR RATIONALE

At each grade level a theme is identified and a rationale is indicated for that theme.

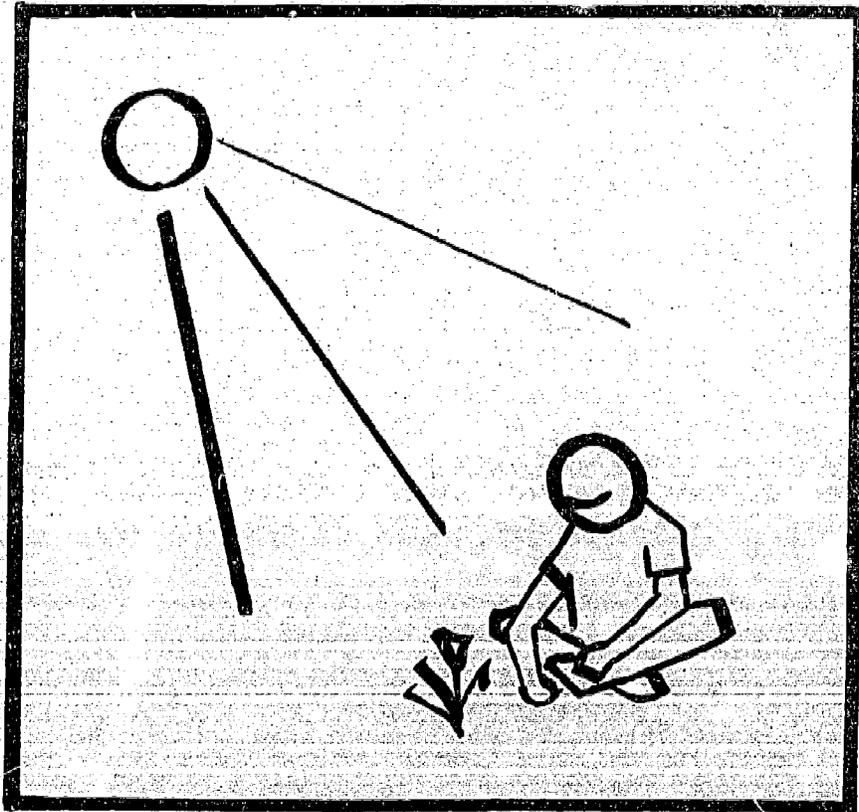
<u>Grade Level</u>	<u>Theme</u>	<u>Rationale</u>
K-3	General Science	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Because science is interwoven with the primary child's daily activity, the following rationale for teaching science in the primary grades, we feel, has to be of a general and exploratory nature.</li> <li>2. Because a primary child has a natural curiosity, his interest in science can be developed and expanded.</li> <li>3. Because of his eagerness to use all of his senses, the primary child can be made aware of scientific method.</li> <li>4. Because of his need for active involvement, the primary child will develop an appreciation and enjoyment of science.</li> <li>5. We believe that in order to maintain and preserve life on earth, a primary child learns to recognize the importance of his relationship to his environment.</li> <li>6. Because of the complex nature of science, we feel that a sequential development in primary grades is necessary.</li> <li>7. The primary child can be motivated to develop hobbies in science.</li> </ol>
4-6	General Science	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Plants and animals are of a major interest to the intermediate age child and the child can be motivated through his natural curiosity.</li> <li>2. Psychologically, an intermediate child should be able to understand the logical order of the earth's formation.</li> <li>3. The child's natural interest in the stars and associated phenomena is ideally suited to developing an understanding of our ever-changing universe.</li> <li>4. The child has an increasing need to know the physical and chemical make-up of the universe; therefore, a sequential development of the topic of matter should create an interest in atoms and molecules which make up matter.</li> <li>5. Our technology is based on energy and the child needs to understand the historical development and the increasing importance of energy in today's world.</li> <li>6. Because of the intermediate child's awareness of the maturation of his body, we feel that basic body structure and function should be taught at this level.</li> </ol>

<u>Grade Level</u>	<u>Theme</u>	<u>Rationale</u>
7	Life Science	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7. Because of his ability to record, measure and calculate, we can extend the development of the scientific method.</li> <li>8. Because science is interwoven with other subject matter, it should be correlated with all related curriculum areas.</li> <li>9. Because of his involvement in science, a student can be motivated to adopt appropriate hobbies.</li> <li>10. Since learning is approached in a spiral hierarchy, the child is led step-by-step from the simple to the complex.</li> </ol>
8	Physical Science	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Due to the transition of the student from elementary to junior high, we feel that the familiarity of the student with living things and his surroundings will help make an easier adjustment for him at this level.</li> <li>2. At this impressionable and inquiring age, we feel that living things best excite the child in the area of science and thus build an enthusiasm that will carry through-out junior high science.</li> <li>3. We feel that the best sequence in science is to start with the area that the student has familiarity with and then move to areas of less familiarity.</li> <li>4. Because of the social implication and body maturation at this level, life science should be taught to develop an understanding of functioning of the body within his environment.</li> </ol>
9	Earth Science	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The sequence we have adopted from the familiar to the less familiar fits physical science at this level.</li> <li>2. Because science is required at the 7th and 8th grades, we feel that students should have an overall understanding of the major areas; therefore, physical science is taught at this level.</li> <li>3. Because of the necessity of certain math skills in physical science, we feel a student is better prepared to cope with physical science at this level with his additional background in mathematics.</li> <li>1. Because earth science requires an understanding of some basic ideas in both physical and life science, we feel a student needs this background before he enters this course.</li> </ol>

<u>Grade Level</u>	<u>Theme</u>	<u>Rationale</u>
10	Biology	<p>2. Because earth science is an extension combining the physical and living worlds in a more in-depth study of phenomena of our earth, we feel that this should be an elective subject and is placed at this level.</p> <p>1. Because one laboratory science at the high school level is required by the State Department, we feel that the exposure to oneself and his environment is of most value to the terminal student in science.</p> <p>2. Because of our belief that we should progress from the familiar to the less familiar, we feel that biology should be taught at the tenth grade level.</p> <p>3. A student should be familiar with his body and how it functions as well as how man controls and effects the environment in order to maintain and preserve life on the earth.</p>
11	Chemistry	<p>1. We feel in the normal progression of science that chemistry is best taught at this level because it forms a basis in which to build a foundation and basic knowledge for physics.</p> <p>2. Because of the need of most college-bound students and because most tend to diversify at the twelfth grade level into man-related areas, we feel chemistry is best taught at this level.</p>
11 or 12	Physics	<p>1. Because of the need for the mathematical theory and skills, we feel that physics is best taught at this level after advanced math I course is completed.</p> <p>2. Because physics utilizes material and knowledge from many other science areas plus the use of material of other courses, we feel physics should be taught at the highest level.</p> <p>3. Because of the necessity to be able to perceive and to make judgments in the theory of physics, we feel that it should be taught at the final year in secondary school.</p> <p>4. Because physics scientifically explains much of the application of all science, we feel that the student must first be exposed to the many examples before an understanding can be developed in the theory and workings of these scientific laws.</p>
11 Or 12	Advanced Biology	<p>1. Since many of the students in science at this level will be going on to college, it is felt a course of this nature is of great importance.</p>

GENERAL NOTES

1. The concepts to be developed in the elementary have been divided into two major groupings - Primary and Intermediate. Levels of presentation of each concept and sub-concept have been indicated.
2. Reference materials for the Primary levels (K-3) are to be found at the end of the third grade concepts. Reference materials for the Intermediate levels (4-6) are to be found at the end of the sixth grade concepts.



**PLANTS & ANIMALS**  
**SOLAR SYSTEM**  
**MATTER**  
**ENERGY**

KINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE THREE

## GENERAL SCIENCE

## I. Develop an understanding of plants and animals.

Objective: Each student should be able to understand and appreciate the interdependence and the changes that occur among things with their environment.

## LEVEL A. Classification

- K 1. Each student will be able to identify and group living things:
- a. Plants vs animals.
  - b. Plants (e.g., trees vs flowers).
  - c. Animals (e.g., wild and domestic).
- 1 2. Each student will be able to categorize plants and animals according to general characteristics (e.g., color, texture, shape, movements).
- 2 3. Each student will be able to classify plants and animals according to their environment.
- 3 4. Each student will be able to classify according to class characteristics (e.g., birds, mammals, reptiles, amphibians).
5. Each student will be able to group plants by structural characteristics (e.g., green and non-green, reproductive, with or without tubes (vascular)).

## B. Growth

- K 1. Each student will be able to observe simple stages in animal growth and development (e.g., birth to adult size).
- 1 2. Each student will be able to observe relationships of growth and development of living things to their environment and food supply (e.g., grow seeds in soil, fish in aquarium).
3. See Food I-D-2.
- 2 4. Each student will be able to state the needs from the environment of a growing plant.
5. Each student will be able to explain that the sun is the source of all energy for growth in living things.
6. See V-A-4.

## C. Reproduction

- K 1. Each student will be able to match young with the parent.
- 1 2. Each student will be able to observe that as animals reproduce their own kind, they have various forms of reproduction (e.g., eggs, bear young alive, cyclic changes (metamorphosis)).
3. Each student will be able to observe that seeds and spores are a means of reproduction and that they produce the kind of plant from which they come.
- 3 4. Each student will be able to differentiate the specific ways of reproduction within the various classes of plants and animals.

## D. Food

- K 1. See Growth I-B-1.
- 1 2. Each student will be able to observe that living things need food for energy and growth.

- 2 3. Each student will be able to select nutritious foods for good health (e.g., basic four).
4. Each student will be able to conclude that green plants are directly or indirectly the source of all foods for animals (e.g., cross reference to growth).
5. Each student will be able to describe how food is the source of energy for growth, repair and movement.
- 3 6. Each student will be able to explain that within the classes of living things, the sources and kinds of food they use will vary with the environment (e.g., meat-eater, vegetarian - cross reference to ecology).

#### E. Sensory Experiences

- K 1. Each student will be able to discover that his senses help him learn about the world in which he lives.
- 2 2. Each student will be able to identify the structure and function of the eye and ear.
- 3 3. Each student will be able to investigate that the movement of some molecules can be detected by smell (e.g., perfume, mothballs).

#### F. Ecology

- K 1. Each student will be able to observe the effects that pollution has on the surrounding environment (e.g., litter, sounds, smoke, exhaust).
- 1 2. Each student will be able to observe the interchange of matter and energy between living things and their environment (e.g., growing plants and animals in a good and poor environment).
3. See Growth I-B-2.
- 2 4. Each student will be able to observe that the ever-changing environment causes continued adaptation in living things (e.g., seasonal coat, color of animals, deciduous trees).
5. See Growth I-B-4.
6. See Growth I-B-5.
- 3 7. Each student will be able to explain that living things are dependent upon soil, water and air from their environment.
8. Each student will be able to identify that structural changes in living things are a product of their changing environment (e.g., fish have fins and gills, pine trees have needles).

### II. Develop an understanding of the solar system.

Objective: Each student should be able to recognize the earth's place in the ever-changing solar system.

#### A. Day and Night (rotation)

- K 1. Each student will be able to observe the characteristics of day and night.
- 1 2. Each student will be able to observe the causes of day and night (e.g., using flashlight and globe, shadows).
- 2 3. Each student will be able to observe and demonstrate rotation of the earth.
- 3 4. Each student will be able to relate time to the rotation of the earth (e.g., position of sun).

## B. Seasons and Weather (revolution)

- K 1. Each student will be able to observe weather and seasonal changes.
- 1 2. Each student will be able to contrast weather with seasons.
- 2 3. Each student will be able to relate revolution of earth to seasons.
- 2 4. Each student will be able to observe and record weather.
- 3 5. Each student will be able to compare our climate and weather with other areas.

## C. Earth's Neighbors (planets, moon sun)

- K 1. Each student will be able to observe and discuss sun, moon and stars.
- 1 2. Each student will be able to realize that the moon shines by reflected sunlight.
- 1 3. Each student will realize that the sun is a star.
- 2 4. Each student will be able to relate that the moon is the earth's satellite (e.g., revolution).
- 2 5. Each student will be able to identify the earth as a planet in the sun's family.
- 3 6. Each student will be able to identify the relative size of the planets.
- 3 7. Each student will be able to relate that each planet receives energy in proportion to its distance from the sun.
- 3 8. Each student will be able to discover interesting facts about earth's neighbors.
- K-3 9. Each student will be able to observe and discuss man in space.

## III. Develop an understanding of geology as a science.

Objective: Each student should be able to comprehend the formation of the earth and history of living things.

## A. Soil

- K 1. Each student will be able to acquaint himself with his physical environment through his senses.
- 1 2. Each student will be able to collect, observe and classify soil and rocks (e.g., color, taste, texture).
- 2 3. Each student will be able to discover the different materials in soil.
- 3 4. Each student will be able to relate the origin and properties of soil (e.g., size of particles, air space, mineral content).

## B. Long, Long Ago

- K 1. Each student will be able to observe and discuss fossils.
- 1-3 2. Each student will be able to observe and discuss plants and animals have changed over the years (e.g., fossils: (1) adaptation; (2) classification of meat-eaters and plant-eaters).
- 3 3. Each student will be able to demonstrate and explain how fossils were formed.

## C. Changing Face of the Land

- K 1. Each student will be able to observe that water and wind can wear away the soil.
- 1 2. Each student will be able to observe and relate the effects of erosion (e.g., wearing away of rocks).

- 2 3. Each student will be able to observe the conservation of soil.  
 3 4. Each student will be able to investigate and explain the conservation of soil.

IV. Develop a knowledge of matter and its role in science.

Objective: Each student will be able to recognize the different state of matter and understand that matter can be changed from one form to another and the total amount remains the same.

A. The Three States of Matter

- K 1. Each student will be able to observe the three states of matter (i.e. solid, liquid and gas).  
 1 2. Each student will be able to observe and investigate that matter exists in three forms and can be changed from one state to another (e.g., ice, water, and steam).  
 2-3 3. Each student will be able to investigate through his senses that all matter is made up of molecules and the state is determined by molecules in motion (e.g., boiling water, perfume in air, solution of sugar and water).  
 3 4. Each student will be able to investigate and record that solids can be dissolved or mixed with another substance and solids in solution can be changed back to a solid (e.g., sugar and water, sand and water).

B. Properties of Matter

- K 1. Each student will be able to observe that matter occupies space (e.g., water in a glass).  
 1 2. Each student will be able to observe and investigate that matter occupies space, a solid has a shape, the shapes of liquid and gases can be changed (e.g., rock, water and air in separate bags).  
 2 3. Each student will be able to acquaint himself with the fact that a molecule is the smallest part of a substance which retains the chemical properties of that substance.  
 3 4. Each student will be able to determine that when matter changes from one form to another the total amount of matter remains the same (e.g., weight of melting ice).  
 3 5. Each student will be able to investigate and record that matter has weight and occupies space.  
 3 6. Each student will be able to demonstrate that elements may be combined to form compounds (e.g., burning sugar).

V. Develop a basic understanding of energy.

Objective: Each student should be able to recognize different forms of energy and understand that forms can be changed from one to another.

A) Sun

- K 1. Each student will be able to observe that the sun is our source of heat and light.  
 1 2. Each student will be able to observe that the sun causes changes in the state of matter (e.g., ice melting).  
 1-2 3. Each student will be able to observe that the sun is the source of our light energy (e.g., day vs night, sun's burning gases).

- 2-3 4. Each student will be able to conclude that the sun gives energy that is stored in green plants (e.g., growing trees, green leaves in sunlight vs dark).
- 3 5. Each student will be able to explain that light energy can be changed to heat energy (e.g., burn paper with magnifying glass).
6. Each student will be able to explain that the earth gets most of its light energy and heat energy from the sun.

## B. Movement

- 1 1. Each student will be able to observe what causes motion (e.g., wind, electric motor, muscles, etc.).
2. Each student will be able to observe that the speed of doing work is determined by the rate at which energy is used (e.g., tractor vs. horses, walking vs. running).

## C. Energy at Work

- 1 1. See Ecology I-F-2.
- 2 2. Each student will be able to observe that fuels contain energy that was stored by green plants (e.g., coal).
3. Each student will be able to observe as fuels burn energy is released (e.g., wood burning).
4. See Food I-D-2.
5. See Food I-D-5.
- 3 6. Each student will be able to categorize energy into two main forms: stored energy and energy of motion (e.g., still air/moving air, still water/moving water, fuel, food, electricity, electromagnet).
7. Each student will be able to demonstrate that stored energy can be changed into energy of motion (e.g., burning a candle, water wheel).

## D. Force and Gravity

- K 1. Each student will be able to acquaint himself with gravitational force (e.g., drop a ball).
- 1 2. Each student will be able to observe gravitational forms (e.g., running water).
3. Each student will be able to observe the forces that overcome gravity (e.g., magnets, muscular).

## E. Dark and Light

- K 1. Each student will be able to discuss night and day.
- 1 2. Each student will be able to relate that night and day are caused by the rotation of the earth (cross reference - solar system).
- 2 3. Each student will be able to demonstrate that chemical energy can be converted to light energy (e.g., battery to light bulb).
4. See Senses I-E-2.
5. Each student will be able to observe some simple properties of light (e.g., transmission, reflection, absorption, and color).

## F. Silence and Sound

- K 1. See Senses I-E-1.
- 2 2. Each student will be able to investigate that sound is a result of vibration (energy of motion), (e.g., hit drum, ring bell).
3. Each student will be able to detect some of the simple properties of sound (e.g., pitch, speed as to media reflection).

4. See Senses I-E-2.

C. Machines and Magnets

- K 1. Each student will be able to discover that magnets attract some things and not others.  
2. Each student will be able to observe that there are many machines that help us to do work.
- 3 3. See Energy at Work 5-C-3.

PRIMARY RESOURCES K-3:

PLANTS AND ANIMALS

Classification

Books:

- Big and Little - Hinde, Cecilia, E Hin (K-3)  
True Book of Dinosaurs - Clark, Mary, 568 Cla (K-3)  
A Tree is a Plant - Bulla, 582 Bul (K-3)  
Animals Everywhere - d'Aulaire, Ingrie & Edgar, E Au1 c2 (K-3)  
Family Tree - Adamson, Jean, 407 Ada (K-3)  
What is a Cow - Darby, Gene, 636.2 Car (K-3)  
What is a Chicken - Darby, Gene, 636.5 Car (K-3)  
What is a Tree - Darby, Gene, 582 Car (K-3)  
What is a Bird - Darby, Gene, 598 Car (K-3)  
What is a Plant - Darby, Gene, 580 Car (K-3)  
The True Book of Elephants - Posell, Elsa, 599.6 Pos (K-3)  
We Like Bugs - Conklin, 595.8 Con (K-3)  
Flowers - Wilde, Irma, 582 Wil (3)  
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Filmstrips:

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Spring Adventures, 525.1e Sea (P)  
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Animal Environment (how animals live in the desert), 591c Ani (P&I)  
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Social Insects, 595.7d (P)  
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The Migration of Birds, 598.2a (P&I)  
Melvin Otter, 599 Ani (P)  
Billy Beaver, 599c Ani (P)  
Jimmy Raccoon, 599d Ani (P)  
Needles Porcupine, 599e Ani (P)  
Machines and Tools to Help Us Work, 621.9 Mach (P)  
Nothing Can Live Without Water, 628.1 Not (P&I)  
Natural Resources: Coal, Oil, Natural Gas, 665.3 Pet (P&I)  
Walt Disney's Space and the Atom, FS 629.4w (filmstrip set) (P&I)  
Man Learns to Fly  
Man and the Moon  
Flight Into Space  
Man in Space

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Man in Flight  
Flight Around the Moon  
Flight to Mars  
Man Discovers the Atom  
Our Friend the Atom  
Man Becomes an Astronomer

Plants Around Us, 580 (filmstrip set - short strip) (P&I)

- # 1 - Different Kinds of Plants
- # 2 - Where Plants Grow
- # 3 - Many Plants Are Green
- # 4 - Some Things Green Plants Need
- # 5 - Parts of a Flower Plant
- # 6 - What Are Flowers
- # 7 - What Are Fruits
- # 8 - How a Bean Seed Grows
- # 9 - How Seed Plants Start Growing
- # 10 - How to Know Trees
- # 11 - How We Use Plants
- # 12 - Food From Plants

Exploring With Science, 500 Exp (filmstrip set - whort strip) (P&I)

- # 1 - Old Mother Sun
- # 2 - Our Planet Earth
- # 3 - You and the Universe
- # 4 - Seasons Come and Go
- # 5 - What Day Is It
- # 6 - When Night Comes
- # 7 - What is Weather
- # 8 - Power Moves Things
- # 9 - Meet the Plant Family
- # 10 - Meet the Animal Family
- # 11 - Meet the Human Family
- # 12 - You Are Alive

Why of Elementary Science, 621 (filmstrip set) (P&I)

Simple Machines

- # 1 - How Wheels Help Us
- # 2 - How Levers Help Us
- # 3 - How Ramps and Screws Help Us
- # 4 - How Wedges Help Us

Fundamentals of Science, 500 fun (filmstrip set) (P&I)

- # 1 - Earth & Soil
- # 2 - Our Changing Earth
- # 3 - Gravity, Inertia and Friction
- # 4 - Electricity and Magnetism
- # 5 - Sound
- # 6 - Neighbors In Space
- # 7 - Light
- # 8 - Atoms and Atomic Energy - I
- # 9 - Matter and Molecules - I
- # 10 - Light and Color

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 # 6 - Insects
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 Part 3  
 Part 4
- Plants and Their Environment, 580 (filmstrip and records) (P&I)  
 # 1 - Flowers Transfer Pollen  
 # 2 - How Plants Use Leaves  
 # 3 - How Seeds and Fruits Travel  
 # 4 - How Plants Use Other Plants

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- Bighorn Sheep, 591 Big (P&I)  
 Fawn Deceives Mountain Lion, 591 Faw (P&I)  
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 How Spiders Capture Prey-Spiders with Webs, 595.4 How (P&I)  
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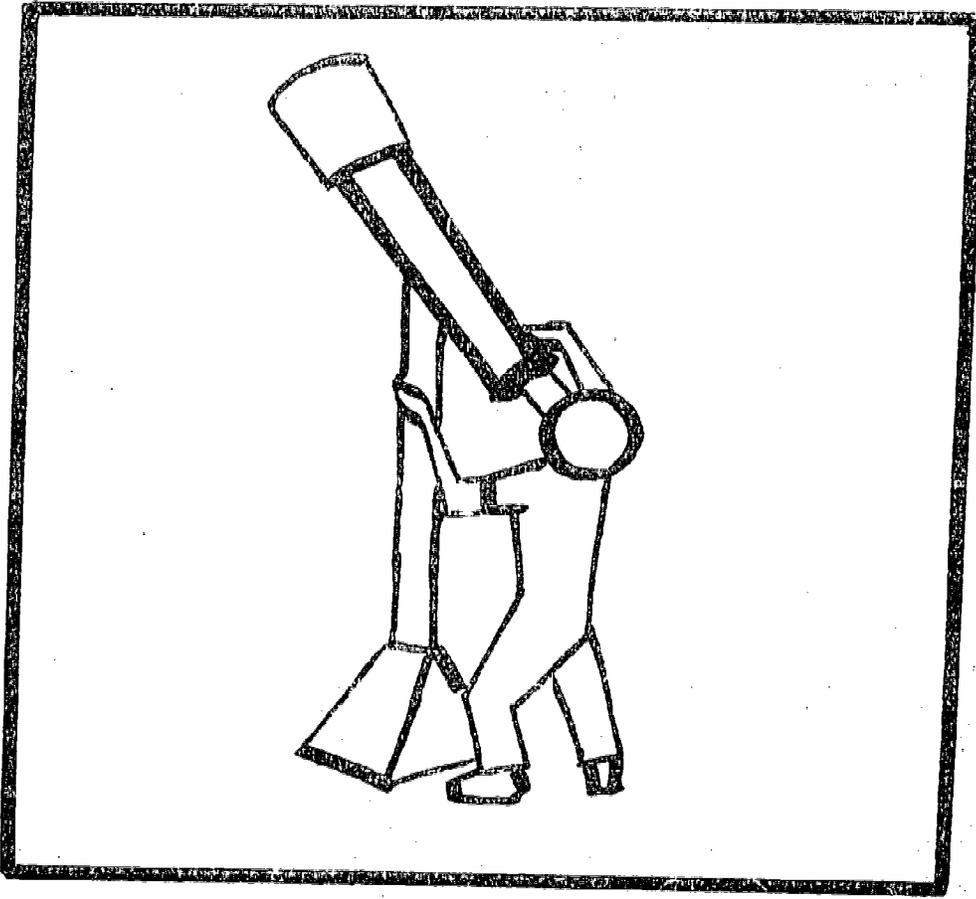
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# THE UNIVERSE

GRADES FOUR THROUGH SIX

## GENERAL SCIENCE

## I. Develop an understanding of plants and animals.

Objective: Each student should have the opportunity to be able to understand and appreciate the interdependence and the changes that occur among things with their environment.

## LEVEL

## A. Chemistry of Living Things

- 4 1. Each student will be able to explain or describe that the basic food substance for energy for living things is sugar.
- 5 2. Each student will be able to describe how an enzyme works.
- 5 3. Each student will be able to relate that energy is transferred in a living cell through a compound called ATP.
- 5 4. Each student will be able to explain chemically the process of basic respiration (e.g., food (sugar) + oxygen = energy for action and building +  $\text{CO}_2$  &  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ).
- 5 5. Each student will be able to list the three nutrient compounds that are found in food which are fats, carbohydrates and proteins, and identify their major elements that make these up (i.e., carbon, hydrogen, oxygen and nitrogen).
- 6 6. Each student will be able to investigate and explain that enzymes cause chemical changes which aid in many body processes (e.g., diastase and breakdown of starch).

## B. Functioning of the Body

- 5 1. Each student will be able to describe the organization of the body parts and how they work together to accomplish the life function (e.g., the interdependence of cells, tissues, organs and systems).
- 5 2. Each student will be able to explain the inter-relationship between structure and functions of the systems that maintain life (i.e., circularoty, respiratory, excretory, digestive, muscular and nervous).
- 5 3. Each student will be able to describe that the cell is the basic unit of structure and function of all living things.
- 5 4. Each student will be able to deduce that all cells in living things come from other cells (e.g., mitosis, cell division).
- 5 5. See Geology II-B-1.
- 6 6. Each student will be able to conclude that living organisms have structures which function in response to stimuli from the environment.
- 6 7. See Chemistry of Living Things I-A-2.
- 6 8. Each student will be able to specify through learned behavior patterns that an organism is capable to change his environment.

## C. Energy and Photosynthesis

- 4 1. Each student will be able to conclude that the sun is the source of energy for photosynthesis.
- 4 2. Each student will be able to identify that soil, air and water are the sources of raw material for photosynthesis.
- 5 3. Each student will be able to express that the green coloring matter in plants is chlorophyll and that it is necessary in the process of photosynthesis.

- 5 4. Each student will be able to explain that the energy from sunlight is transformed to stored energy as food by the process of photosynthesis.

#### D. Ecology

- 4 1. Each student will be able to explain that there is an interchange of matter between living things and their environment (e.g., plants, converting to  $\text{CO}_2$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  to food and then these two substances being returned when food is used).
- 4 2. Each student will be able to determine how living things are dependent upon the environment they live in (e.g., growing plants leaving out one of the factors such as air, light, water, etc.).
- 4 3. Each student will be able to explain that microorganisms return matter to the environment (e.g., growth of bacteria, mushrooms, and other fungi).
- 4 4. Each student will be able to conclude that there are special structures that enable organisms to survive within their particular environment (e.g., tubes, gills, roots).
- 4 5. See Matter IV-A-6.
- 5 6. Each student will be able to explain that the cell is the basic unit of all living things and interchanges matter and energy with the environment.
- 5 7. Each student will be able to compare single-celled organisms with multicellular organisms seeing the great similarities with the interrelationship to the environment.
- 5 8. Each student will be able to explain that non-green plants are not capable of producing their own food and therefore are dependent upon their environment.
- 5 9. See Geology II-B-2.
- 6 10. Each student will be able to deduce that man through his development of culture and technology is able to change and control his environment.
- 6 11. See Geology and Matter.
- 6 12. Each student will be able to demonstrate by simple experimentation that behavior patterns are both simple and complex as well as voluntary and involuntary through changes in the environment.
- 6 13. See Hereditary I-E-5.

#### E. Heredity and Development

- 4 1. Each student will be able to deduce that the formation of the embryo in plants and animals is similar.
- 5 2. Each student will be able to explain that cells, in reproducing themselves, pass along the hereditary patterns through chromosomes with their DNA content.
- 5 3. Each student will discover growth occurs in many-celled organisms by the multiplication and differentiation of cells.
- 5 4. See Functioning I-B-4.
- 6 5. Each student will be able to conclude that the animal's life cycle is adapted to its environment.
- 6 6. Each student will be able to explain that DNA is a large molecule that carries in its structure the code that determines the inherited traits.
- 6 7. Each student will be able to describe the simple structure of DNA.
- 6 8. Each student will be able to observe and describe the ways genes interact to cause pure, hybrid, or blended traits.
- 9 9. Each student will be able to describe how plants and animals can be improved upon by selective breeding.

- 6 10. Each student will acquaint himself with the idea that the characteristics of living things are laid down in a genetic code.
- 6 11. Each student will be able to explain that when the genetic code is changed this causes changes in living things.

II. Develop an understanding of geology as a science.

Objective: Each student should have the opportunity to understand and appreciate the changing environment of the earth, as evidenced by the fossil records and geological forces.

A. Geological Forces

- 4 1. Each student will be able to observe the breaking down of the earth's surface by erosion (e.g., water, wind, freezing, heat).
- 4 2. Each student will discover the relationship of sedimentation and mountain building.
- 5 3. Each student will be able to investigate the formation of sedimentary, igneous and metamorphic rock (Cross reference water).
- 5 4. Each student will be able to identify the forces that cause uplift on the earth.

B. Fossil Records

- 5 1. Each student will be able to relate the structure and function of fossil bones with those of today's living animals.
- 5 2. Each student will acquaint himself with the idea that through environment adaptations, our present-day mammals have evolved from ancient one-celled sea animals.

III. Develop a knowledge of astronomy and meteorology.

Objective: Each student should be able to recognize that the universe is in constant change.

A. Solar System

- 4 1. Each student will be able to observe that the moon and comets have definite and predictable orbits caused by gravity.
2. Each student will be able to observe that meteors, which are fragments of larger bodies, do not have definite and predictable orbits.

B. Universe

- 5 1. Each student will be able to explain the use and the theory of an astronomer's tools (e.g., telescopes).
- 5 2. Each student will be able to explain the theory of light.
- 5 3. Each student will be able to discover that distances in space are measured in light years.
- 6 4. Each student will be able to explain that a star's energy is due to a nuclear reaction.
- 6 5. Each student will be able to relate how size and temperature of a star is determined.
- 6 6. Each student will be able to relate some methods of determining the size of the universe.
- 6 7. Each student will be able to explain the life cycle of a star.
- 6 8. Each student will be able to determine that stars have motion (e.g., Doppler Effect).

## C. Weather

- 4 1. Each student will be able to investigate and relate the causes of weather.
- 5 2. Each student will be able to explain and use the tools of the meteorologists.
- 5 3. Each student will be able to observe and describe the various cloud formations.
- 6 4. Each student will be able to relate that atmosphere influences weather.
- 6 5. Each student will be able to conclude and explain that climate is the average weather for a region over a long period of time.

## IV. Develop the role that matter has in science.

Objective: Each student should have the opportunity to realize that matter is made up of tiny particles having different arrangements and matter can undergo both physical and chemical changes. When these changes occur, the total amount of matter remains unchanged.

## A. Water

- 4 1. Each student will be able to observe that water vapor enters the air when heat energy is added (e.g., cloud formation).
- 4 2. Each student will be able to observe that water vapor leaves the air when there is a loss of heat energy (e.g., rain).
- 4 3. Each student will be able to explain that in a mixture of warm and cold water, the warm water will rise and the cold water will sink due to contraction and expansion.
- 4 4. Each student will be able to explain that ocean currents are the result of unequal heating of water and air.
- 4 5. Each student will be able to explain that the water cycle is the result of evaporation and condensation.
- 4 6. Each student will be able to derive that the water cycle provides the water necessary to maintain and change the physical and living environment.
- 4 7. See Energy V-D-1.

## B. Air

- 4 1. Each student will be able to observe that air as matter is made up of various gases.
- 4 2. Each student will be able to investigate that air occupies space and exerts pressure.
- 4 3. Each student will be able to relate some of the useful purposes of the gases in air.
- 4 4. Each student will be able to explain the oxygen cycle and its relationship to living things and the environment.
- 5 5. Each student will be able to identify various sources of CO<sub>2</sub> and test for its pressure.
- 5 6. See V-D-1.

## C. Molecules

- 4 1. Each student will be able to observe that elements have recognizable properties.
- 4 2. Each student will be able to investigate an element that is made up of one kind of atom and a compound that is made of more than one element.

- 4 3. Each student will be able to investigate that when molecules interact, compounds are formed.
- 5 4. Each student will be able to conclude that when physical and chemical changes occur, the total amount of matter remains unchanged.
- 5 5. Each student will be able to conclude that the basic unit of a compound is the element; the compound can be broken down or built up from elements chemically.
- 5 6. Each student will be able to observe that compounds may be grouped by their chemical properties (e.g., testing acids and bases with litmus paper).
- 5 7. Each student will be able to explain that elements, compounds and mixtures are made up of atoms combined in different ways.
- 5 8. Each student will be able to explain that atoms make up molecules.
- 6 9. Each student will be able to explain that atoms consist of various particles arranged in their own characteristic structure.

V. Develop a basic understanding of energy.

Objective: Each student should be given the opportunity to be able to recognize different forms of energy and understand that though forms can be changed from one to another the amount of energy remains unchanged.

A. Sound

- 4 1. Each student will be able to investigate that the pitch of sound depends on the rate of vibration.
- 4 2. Each student will be able to investigate sound traveling in waves by molecular motion.
- 4 3. Each student will be able to investigate how sound travels in two states of matter (e.g., solid and gas).
- 4 4. Each student will be able to investigate that sound can bounce off or be absorbed by material.
- 4-5 5. Each student will be able to investigate that sound is caused by vibrating objects (e.g., drum strings (4th) and telephones (5th)).

B. Light

- 4 1. Each student will be able to investigate that other forms of energy may be changed to light energy (e.g., burning candle).
- 4 2. See Photosynthesis I-C-1.
- 4 3. See Photosynthesis I-C-4.
- 4 4. Each student will be able to investigate that light can be absorbed (e.g., black paper).
- 4-5 5. Each student will be able to investigate that light can be reflected (e.g., mirror (4th) and telescope (5th)).
- 4-5 6. Each student will be able to investigate and explain that light can travel through space in a straight line (e.g., bent tube (4th) and periscope (5th)).
- 4-5 7. Each student will be able to investigate and explain that light may be bent as it passes through certain material (e.g., convex lens, water (4th) and prism (5th)).
- 4-5 8. Each student will be able to investigate that light energy behaves sometimes as waves (e.g., polarized discs (4th) and wave lengths vs color (5th)).
- 5 9. Each student will be able to investigate that light energy behaves sometimes as particles (e.g., light meter).
10. Each student will be able to observe light can be broken into a spectrum of colors as it passes through a prism. 41

- 5 11. See Ecology I-D-5.  
5 12. See Astronomy III-B-3.

## C. Machines

- 5 1. See Chemistry of Living Things I-A-3.  
6 2. Each student will be able to investigate and describe how machines may multiply force, increase speed, or change direction (e.g., fixed pulley, lever, wheel and axle, inclined plane).  
6 3. Each student will be able to measure and compute mechanical advantage of a simple lever and system of pulleys.  
6 4. Each student will be able to investigate and describe that compound machines are a make up of simple machines.  
6 5. Each student will be able to investigate that friction is a force that resists motion.  
6 6. Each student will be able to investigate relationships and derive an equation for work (e.g.,  $\text{work} = \text{force} \times \text{distance}$ ).  
6 7. Each student will be able to investigate and explain that the amount of energy obtained from a machine does not exceed the energy put into it.

## D. Motion

- 5-6 1. Each student will be able to relate Newton's 3rd Law as applying to rockets.  
6 2. Each student will be able to explain that the energy of moving molecules of air and water provide a force that can be harnessed to do work (e.g., steam engine).  
6 3. Each student will be able to investigate and explain that molecules may be given kinetic energy in a chemical change (e.g., combustion).  
6 4. Each student will be able to describe that difference in pressure causes a force to act in the direction of the lower pressure (e.g., lift on an airplane wing).  
6 5. Each student will be able to infer from examples that potential energy and kinetic energy are inter-changeable (e.g., burning fuel, steam engine and auto engine).

## E. Gravity

- 5 1. Each student will be able to demonstrate the force of gravity (e.g., toss a ball).  
5 2. Each student will be able to explain the difference between weight and mass.  
5 3. Each student will be able to investigate and explain the law of inertia.  
5 4. See Solar System III-A-1.

## F. Electricity

- 6 1. Each student will be able to explain how electricity can be used to extract metal from ore.  
6 2. Each student will be able to build a simple electrical device and explain how it functions (e.g., electric bell, electric motor, telegraph, telephone or electroscope).  
6 3. Each student will be able to demonstrate that static electricity is stored energy and current electricity is kinetic energy).  
6 4. Each student will be able to explain how an electric current can be generated (e.g., hand generator, hydroelectric generator).

- 6 5. Each student will be able to explain how electric energy can be changed to electromagnetic waves that can carry signals through space (e.g., radio, TV).
- G. Heat
- 6 1. Each student will be able to investigate and explain that heat is the kinetic energy of molecules.
- 6 2. Each student will be able to investigate and describe the nature of heat (e.g., how heat is transmitted and how heat changes the state of matter).
- H. Nuclear
- 6 1. Each student will be able to relate that nuclear energy is released when the nucleus of an atom is split or changed.
- 6 2. Each student will be able to describe some methods that can bring about fission (e.g., nuclear reaction, cyclotron).
- 6 3. Each student will be able to list some useful applications of nuclear energy (e.g., power plants, radiation treatment).
- 6 4. See Solar System III-B-4.
- 6 5. Each student will be able to relate that nuclear energy can be obtained from atom fission or fusion (e.g., H-bomb, energy from the sun).

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- # 1 - Different Kinds of Plants
- # 2 - Where Plants Grow
- # 3 - Many Plants Are Green
- # 4 - Somethings Green Plants Need
- # 5 - Parts of a Flower Plant
- # 6 - What Are Flowers
- # 7 - What Are Fruits
- # 8 - How a Bean Seed Grows
- # 9 - How Seed Plants Start Growing
- #10 - How to Know Trees
- #11 - How We Use Plants
- #12 - Food From Plants

Exploring With Science, 500 Exp (filmstrip set - shortstrip) (P&I)

- # 1 - Old Mother Sun
- # 2 - Our Planet Earth
- # 3 - You and the Universe
- # 4 - Season Come and Go
- # 5 - What Day Is It
- # 6 - When Night Comes
- # 7 - What is Weather
- # 8 - Power Moves Things
- # 9 - Meet the Plant Family
- #10 - Meet the Animal Family
- #11 - Meet the Human Family
- #12 - You Are Alive

Why of Elementary Science, 621 (filmstrip set) (P&I)

Simple Machines

- # 1 - How Wheels Help Us
- # 2 - How Levers Help Us
- # 3 - How Ramps & Screws Help Us
- # 4 - How Wedges Help Us

Physical/Chemical Changes in Everyday Living, 500 Phys (filmstrip set) (I)

- # 1 - Things in the World Change
- # 2 - Changes All Around Us
- # 3 - Your Changing World

Physical Science, 520 (filmstrip set) (P&I)

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- Birds We Know, 598
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  - Mammals, Reptiles
  - Birds, Insects
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  - A Story of Our Earth: Rocks and Soil, 550
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  - Coal-A Fossil Fuel, 549
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- Plants and Their Environment, 580 (filmstrip set and records) (P&I)
  - # 1 - Flowers Transfer Pollen
  - # 2 - How Plants Use Leaves
  - # 3 - How Seeds and Fruits Travel
  - # 4 - How Plants Use Other Plants

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- Coyote, 591 Coy (P&I)
- How Spiders Capture Prey Spiders with Webs, 595.4 How (P&I)
- How Spiders Capture Prey Spiders Without Webs, 595.4 Spi (P&I)
- Seed Dispersal, 581 See (P&I)
- Self-Planting Seeds, 581 Sel (P&I)
- Cheetah Hunting Food, 590 Chee (P&I)
- Scavengers of Africa, 590 Sca (P&I)
- Water Animals Hunting Food, 590 Wat (P&I)
- Salmon Run, 567 Sal (P&I)
- What is a Mammal, 599 Wha (P&I)
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- Budding of Yeast Cells, 576 (I)
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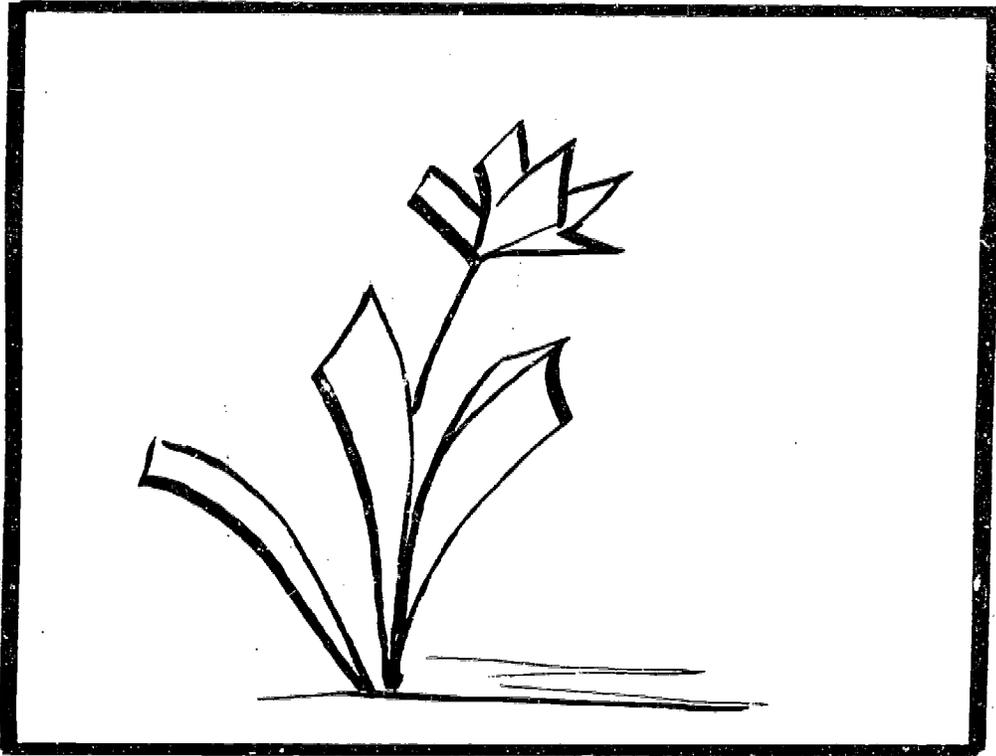
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# LIFE SCIENCE

LIFE SCIENCE

The student will be given the opportunity to appreciate and understand that man is part of a complex of balanced interactions called the biosphere.

I. Develop an understanding of life in the biosphere.

Objective: The student will begin to discover, through observation and investigation, that the biosphere includes both interactions among organisms, and interactions between organisms and the non-living environment.

A. Laboratory Technique

1. The student will be able to begin to develop good laboratory technique.
2. The student will be able to operate the microscope properly.
3. The student will be able to apply the given laboratory safety procedures.
4. The student will be able to begin to record laboratory work using the scientific method.

B. Extent of the Biosphere

1. The student will be able to acquaint himself with the variety and distribution of life on the earth.

C. Interactions in Grass/Water Mixture

1. The student will be able to discover the interaction between the organisms and their non-living environment.

II. Develop an understanding of investigating an interaction - Photosynthesis

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to discover the most basic interaction that exists on earth between green plants and their environment.

A. Light and Green Plants

1. The student will be able to observe and explain the importance of light in food production by plants.
2. The student will be able to apply food tests for detecting photosynthetic activity.
3. The student will be able to explain that solar energy is converted to chemical energy.

B. CO<sub>2</sub> and Green Plants

1. The student will be able to observe and explain the importance of CO<sub>2</sub> in food production by plants.
2. The student will be able to explain the relationship between an hypothesis and a theory.
3. The student will be able to explain the use of a control in experimental work.

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C. Location of Food in a Green Plant

1. The student will be able to observe and explain the importance of chlorophyll in food production by plants.

D. Gas Production by a Green Plant

1. The student will be able to observe and explain that oxygen is produced during photosynthesis.

E. The Final Ingredient - Water

1. The student will be able to observe and explain the importance of  $H_2O$  in food production by plants.

F. Comparing Cells

1. The student will be able to explain what the cell theory is and its origin.
2. The student will be able to relate the size and structure of different cells with their functions.

III. Develop an understanding of an interaction within an organism - Digestion

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to investigate in detail an interaction within an organism - digestion of food.

A. Anatomy of a Digestive System

1. The student will be able to describe the parts of the digestive system in an animal.
2. The student will be able to conduct a good laboratory dissection.

B. Food Location in Plants Seeds

1. The student will be able to discover, through observation and investigation, the location of foods in a plant seed.
2. The student will be able to infer that there is a relationship between embryo growth and cotyledon shrinkage.
3. The student will be able to identify the two foods in the seed through food testing techniques.

C. A Cell Model - Diffusion Through a Semi-Permeable Membrane

1. The student will be able to ascertain that some foods will pass through a semi-permeable membrane while others will not.
2. The student will be able to explain the above phenomenon using food molecule size.

D. A Problem - Starch Breakdown to Simple Sugars

1. The student will be able to observe, through investigation, the breakdown of starch to simple sugars.

E. Soaked Beans and Starch

1. The student will be able to deduce through investigation, that a biological converter caused the breakdown of starch into sugar in the seed plant.

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2. The student will be able to compile all the previous material on the plant seed and conclude that digestion of starch into sugar had to take place in order for the embryo to grow.
3. The student will be able to conclude that plants digest food just as animals digest food.

F. Starch and Saliva

1. The student will be able to conclude through investigation that a biological converter is present in saliva and it causes the breakdown of starch.
2. The student will be able to explain what an enzyme is and what it does.

G. Factors Influencing Digestion

1. The student will be able to explain that certain conditions must exist in order for digestion to occur (e.g., temperature, pH, etc.).

H. Diffusion and the Living Cell

1. The student will be able to explain the process of diffusion and how it relates to the living cell and food absorption.

I. The Human Digestive System

1. The student will be able to explain the digestive system of a human.
2. The student will be able to relate which foods are digested by their corresponding enzymes.
3. The student will be able to explain where the various foods are digested in the human digestive system.
4. The student will be able to contrast the structure of the three main groups of foods.

IV. Develop an understanding of transport problems - The Circulatory and Vascular Systems

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to investigate, observe and explain the transport systems in both plants and animals.

A. The Circulatory System of a Frog

1. The student will be able to contrast the circulatory system of a frog with the circulatory system of other animals.

B. Why Have a Circulatory System?

1. The student will be able to discuss the reason a circulatory system is needed in animals (e.g., gas exchange and food transport in cells).

C. The Vascular System in a Plant

1. The student will be able to explain, through observation and investigation, the need for a vascular system in a plant.
2. The student will be able to describe the structure of some of the various parts of a plant (e.g., roots, stems and leaves).

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V. Develop an understanding of how food is used - Respiration

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to explore, investigate, observe and explain the use of foods in cell respiration.

A. Energy in Food

1. The student will be able to explain that all foods contain energy in the form of chemical energy.
2. The student will be able to determine the amount of energy in food (e.g., calories).
3. The student will be able to relate potential energy and kinetic energy.

B. The Big Picture

1. The student will be able to explain how photosynthesis, digestion, transportation and respiration are interrelated among plants and animals and within themselves.

VI. Develop an understanding of internal balance.

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to investigate and explain the organisms ability to maintain a constant cellular environment in an ever-changing exterior environment.

A. Nervous System

1. The student will be able to relate through investigation the role that the nervous system plays in the internal balance.
2. The student will be able to describe the structure of the nervous system in the animal.
3. The student will be able to differentiate between automatic and conscious controlled nervous reactions.
4. The student will be able to ascertain that other internal balance systems operate using nerve impulses.

B. Excretion

1. The student will be able to explain the importance and operation of the excretory system in the animal.

C. Endocrine System

1. The student will be able to explain the functioning of the glands in the endocrine system.
2. The student will be able to explain the function of the endocrine system.

D. Plant Growth Regulator

1. The student will be able to conclude that auxins regulate plant growth, according to the external environment in the plant.

VII. Develop an understanding of Man and Nature.

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to discuss, observe, and investigate the pollution problems that face man today and in the future.

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A. What is Pollution?

1. The student will be able to identify what pollution is and where it originates.

B. Over-Population

1. The student will be able to discuss the problem of over-population and its possible consequences.

C. Benefit or Harm

1. The student will be able to conclude that there are two sides to the pollution problem and that the good must be weighted against the bad in order to make the right decisions.

VIII. Develop an appreciation for and an understanding of ecological interactions.

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to discuss, investigate and observe some of the complexities of the interactions among living things.

A. Sampling a Population

1. The student will be able to apply some of the methods used in sampling the size of a population.

B. Changing Populations

1. The student will be able to explain that populations are constantly changing and are dependent upon any environmental changes (e.g., biotic potential, carrying capacity, and environmental resistance).

C. Population Cooperations and Competition

1. The student will be able to explain that there exist cooperative and competitive interactions between populations and individuals within the population.

D. Food Chains and Food Webs

1. The student will be able to explain the concepts of food chains and food webs.

E. Ecosystems

1. The student will be able to combine the previous concepts of population interactions in order to explain the many different ecosystems present (e.g., grassland, desert, conifer forest, etc.).

F. Population Dispersal

1. The student will be able to explain that plants and animals move from one location to another by various mechanisms in order to disperse.

G. Succession

1. The student will be able to explain what succession is and how it relates to changes in ecosystems.

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IX. Develop an understanding of organisms in the biosphere.

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to observe and discuss how organisms in the biosphere are grouped according to taxonomic nomenclature.

A. Naming an Organism

1. The student will be able to explain how organisms are named.
2. The student will be able to explain what a classification system is.

B. Use of a Simple Key

1. The student will be able to construct and use a simple key.

X. Develop an understanding of reproduction.

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to relate that reproduction in its broadest sense is the maintenance of the species.

A. The New Organism Grows

1. The student will be able to describe and explain the process of asexual reproduction.
2. The student will be able to describe and explain the process of sexual reproduction.
3. The student will be able to explain how sexual and asexual reproduction are related to the survival of the species.

XI. Develop an understanding of genetics.

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to explain how characteristics are inherited and how variations occur.

A. Inheritance

1. The student will be able to explain that the genetic make-up of an offspring is determined by its parents.
2. The student will be able to predict the genetic make-up of an individual given the parental genetic make-up.
3. The student will be able to explain how the sex of an individual is determined.

XII. Develop a knowledge that change occurs through time.

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to explain that evolution, through the environment, can cause the perpetuation or elimination of variations among individuals of a species.

A. The Future

1. The student will be able to infer that man is changing his environment so fast that other organisms, including himself, will not be able to adapt in the future.
2. The student will be able to infer that whole ecosystems could completely disappear.

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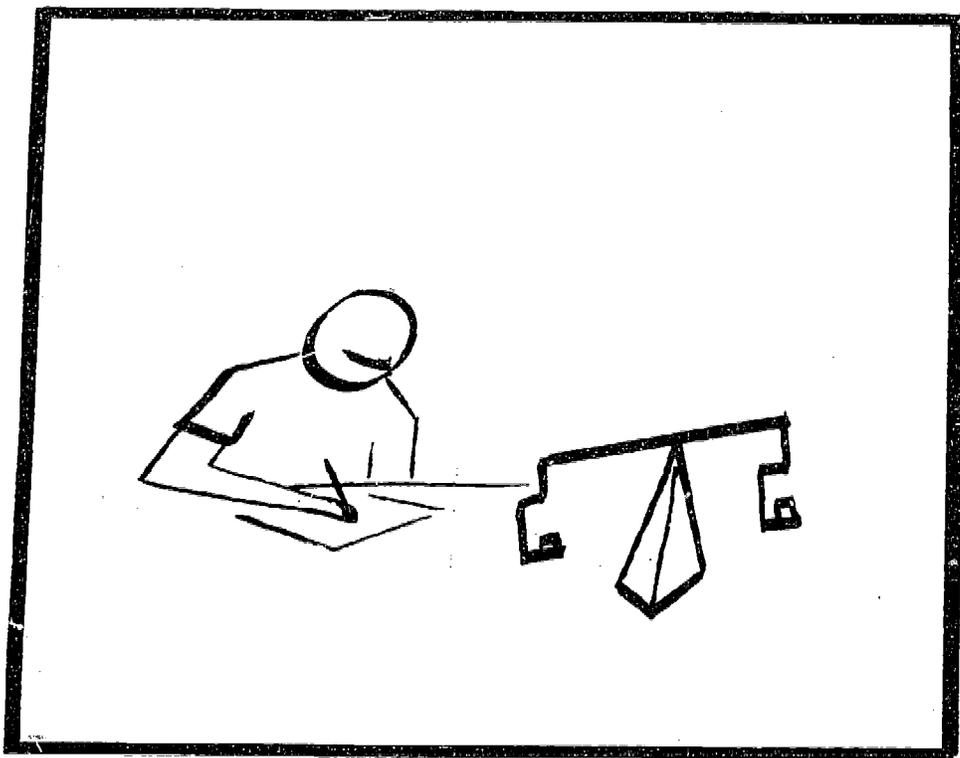
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# PHYSICAL SCIENCE

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GRADE EIGHT

## PHYSICAL SCIENCE (IPS)

Objective: The student should be given the opportunity to study matter by developing and using the scientific method eventually leading to a development of an atomic model of matter.

## I. Develop proper laboratory techniques.

- A. The student will be able to identify and safely use the lab equipment issued him.
- B. The student will be able to write a lab report in correct form established by the instructor.

## II. Measure and learn about those characteristic properties of matter which will enable him to identify two given objects as to being the same or different.

## A. Investigate and measure the "volume" property of matter:

1. The student will be able to obtain through measurement and computation the volume of regular-shaped objects (e.g., rectangular solids).
2. The student will be able to obtain through water displacement volumes of irregular solids (e.g., sand).
3. The student will be able to conclude through experiment and demonstration that volume of matter varies with temperature changes, pressure changes and when mixed to form solutions.

## B. Investigate and measure the "mass" property of matter:

1. The student will be able to use the equal arm balance and establish its precision.
2. The student will be able to construct graphs.
3. The student will be able to conclude that mass of matter does not change (i.e., law of conservation of matter).

C. The student will compute the density of a substance (solid, liquid or gas) and realize that density is a characteristic property of a material independent of its size, mass, or shape of that object (e.g., aluminum has a unique density 2.7 g/cm<sup>3</sup> regardless of its being a piece of foil or a solid block as big as a house).

## D. Investigate and measure the thermal expansion of substances:

1. The student will be able to conclude through experimentation and demonstration making use of an amplifier that thermal expansion for liquids and solids is a characteristic property of that substance.
2. The student will be able to conclude through demonstration that thermal expansion for any gas is the same and therefore not a characteristic property.

## E. The student will determine through temperature vs time graphs that some substances have a characteristic freezing and melting point.

## F. The student will determine through temperature vs time graphs the boiling point of some common substances and establish that boiling point is a characteristic property of a substance.

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- G. The student will investigate solubility as a characteristic property of substances:
  - 1. The student will be able to establish effect of temperature on solubility.
  - 2. The student will be able to experiment with different solvents (e.g., alcohol, acid).
  
- III. Separate mixtures of substances by utilizing differences in characteristic properties, and establish the distinction between mixtures and pure substances.
  - A. The student will separate mixture of liquids by fractional distillation.
  - B. The student will separate mixture of liquid and solid by decanting or filtering.
  - C. The student will separate mixture of solids by selective solubility, fractional crystallization, or paper chromatography.
  - D. The student will separate mixture of gases by selective solubility or liquifying followed by fractional distillation.
  
- IV. Investigate and develop techniques of taking some pure substances (compounds) apart into simplest substances (elements).
  - A. The student will decompose some compounds by using heat.
  - B. The student will decompose some compounds by using heat and charcoal.
  - C. The student will decompose some compounds by using electricity.
  - D. The student will decompose some compounds by using acid.
  
- V. Identify traces of certain elements through flame tests and spectral analysis.
  
- VI. Through radioactivity to establish the discreteness of matter, the individual particles of matter become evident through individual dots on exposed film, tracks in cloud chamber and clicks of geiger counter.
  
- VII. Investigate the building and using of scientific models and to specifically build an atomic model of matter (static).
  - A. The student will relate the method of model building through the "black box" experiments.
  - B. The student will develop the "law of multiple proportions" and the Law of Definite proportions" through "visible atoms" (paper fasteners and rubber rings) and extending to real atoms.
  - C. The student will investigate the closeness of atoms or molecules to one another in the different states of matter.
  - D. The student will measure indirectly the size and mass of an organic acid molecule.
  - E. The student will relate the size and mass of some atoms.

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## VIII. Investigate molecular motion and molecular model of heat.

- A. The student will conclude through experiments that the molecules of a gas move.
- B. The student will develop Boyles Law through "sphere gas" (agitated steel spheres) and extending to real gases.
- C. The student will develop an association between molecular speed and temperature, first through the "sphere gas" and extending to real gases in fire syringe.
- D. The student will be able to conclude that gases at extremely high pressures (greater than 150 atm) do not obey Boyle's Law and that under these big pressures compressibility and thermal expansion become characteristic properties for gases.
- E. The student will define and measure calories of heat.
- F. The student will be able to develop through experimentation the idea of specific heat.
- G. The student will investigate processes in which heat is produced or absorbed during rearrangement of atoms in forming compounds, dissolving, melting and boiling.

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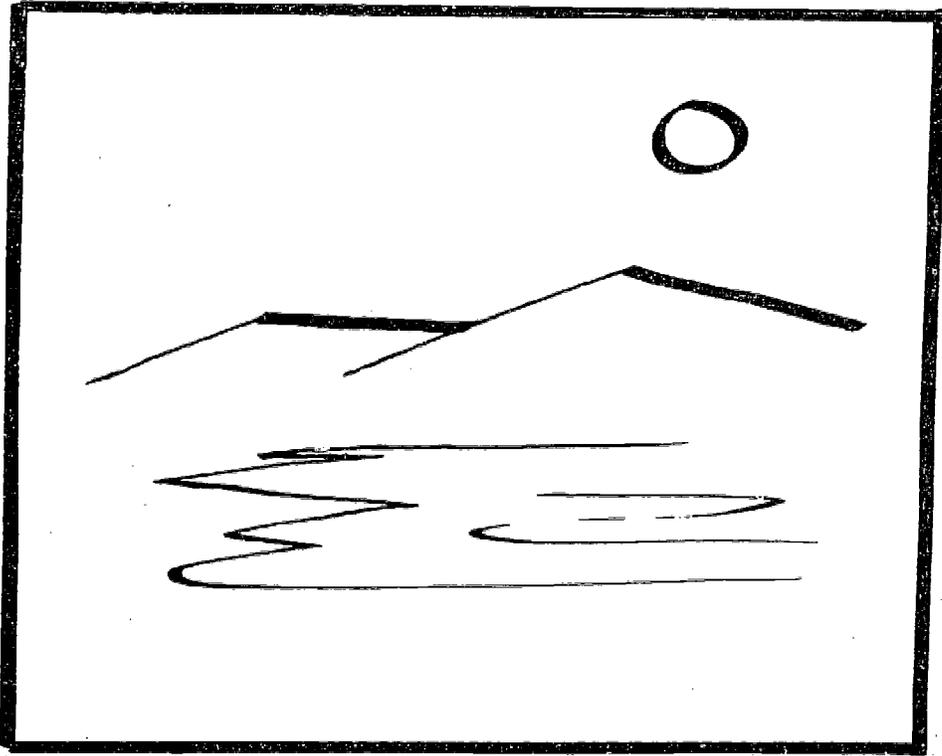
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# EARTH SCIENCE

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GRADE NINE

## EARTH SCIENCE

The student will be given the opportunity to appreciate, analyze and comprehend that the earth is not a static ball of clay but exists in a dynamic state, that all of the earth's activities are interrelated among themselves and with the solar system, the universe and man.

## I. From Coal to a Diamond

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to explain, through investigation and observation, the structure and origin of rocks and minerals that make up the earth's crust.

## A. Minerals - The Basic Earth Material

1. The student will be able to describe the different layers of the earth.
2. The student will be able to explain the structure of an atom, molecule, element and compound.
3. The student will be able to distinguish that atoms make elements and molecules make compounds.
4. The student will be able to identify the various properties of a mineral (e.g., solid, hardness, cleavage, specific gravity, crystalline, etc.).
5. The student will be able to identify various minerals by simple identification tests and observation (e.g., color, luster, crystal shape, streak test, hardness test, cleavage test, etc.).
6. The student will be able to relate the importance of various minerals to man.

## B. From Minerals to Rocks

1. The student will be able to explain the relationship between minerals and ores.
2. The student will be able to describe the various methods of ore formation.
3. The student will be able to relate the importance of the various ores to man (e.g., coal, oil).
4. The student will be able to describe the origin and structure of the three families of rock.
5. The student will be able to explain the rock cycle.

## C. Measuring the Face

1. The student will be able to explain what is a topographic map.
2. The student will be able to explain the various symbols and formations on a topographic map.
3. The student will be able to use effectively the topographic map in finding various features.
4. The student will be able to relate the importance of the topographic map to man (e.g., hunting, road building, farming, navigation, etc.).

## 11. The Earth Movers

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to explain, through investigation and observation, that the surface of the earth is being continually broken down by physical and chemical forces.

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A. Weathered or Eroded

1. The student will be able to explain the differences between weathering and erosion.
2. The student will be able to describe the various types of weathering.
3. The student will be able to describe the various types of erosion.

B. Water and the Land

1. The student will be able to explain what the water cycle is and how it functions.
2. The student will be able to describe the relationship between ground water, surface water and water in the air and the water cycle.
3. The student will be able to explain the movement of various materials by surface water.
4. The student will be able to explain, describe and discuss weathering and erosion caused by water.
5. The student will be able to trace the formation of a river system from its beginning to its maturity.
6. The student will be able to describe the various glaciers and discuss the formation of these glaciers.
7. The student will be able to explain the various glacial-caused formations (e.g., matterhorns, moraines, throughs, etc.).
8. The student will be able to infer the importance of the glacial ages to man.
9. The student will be able to describe the origin of lake basins.
10. The student will be able to discuss the various means of destroying lakes, including fresh water lakes being converted to salt water lakes.

C. Work of the Wind

1. The student will be able to explain, describe, and discuss weathering and erosion caused by wind.
2. The student will be able to explain the movement of various materials by wind.

D. Where Does Man Fit In?

1. The student will be able to compare and contrast the forces that are destroying the earth and draw conclusions as to their importance to man.

III. The Changing Face

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to explain, through investigation and observation, that the surface of the earth is being continually built up by physical and chemical forces.

A. The Crust Moves

1. The student will be able to explain the constructional force, diastrophism.
2. The student will be able to discuss the phenomena of faulting and folding using the corresponding terminology.

B. The Melting Pot

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1. The student will be able to explain the constructional force, vulcanism.
2. The student will be able to identify the types of volcanoes and their life histories.
3. The student will be able to recognize the evidence of volcanic activity within a given area.

C. Mountains, Plateaus and Plains

1. The student will be able to relate geosynclines, isostasy and mountain origin with one another.
2. The student will be able to describe the theory of continental drift.
3. The student will be able to describe the various types of mountains and explain their life histories.
4. The student will be able to identify plains and plateaus and explain their formations.

D. The Earth Shakes

1. The student will be able to explain the causes of earthquakes.
2. The student will be able to explain the principle behind an earthquakes movement of the ground.
3. The student will be able to identify some of the areas where earthquakes are common.

E. Where Does Man Fit In?

1. The student will be able to compare and contrast the forces that are building the earth and draw conclusions as to their importance to man.

IV. Water, Water, Everywhere

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to discover, through observation and investigation, that the sea and its basin possess life, structure and motion similar to that of the dry lands.

A. The Sea and its Floor

1. The student will be able to describe some of the scientific apparatus used to explore the seas.
2. The student will be able to define the chemical and physical make up of sea water.
3. The student will be able to describe the sea floor topography.

B. The Sea in Motion

1. The student will be able to explain the formation and location of ocean currents.
2. The student will be able to explain the formation and actions of ocean waves.
3. The student will be able to describe some of the shore features formed by waves and currents.

V. Footprints From the Past

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to explain, through observation and investigation, the history of the earth using both fossil records and geologic records.

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A. The Geologic Clock

1. The student will be able to identify the geologic eras and periods.
2. The student will be able to describe the use of fossils in determining a given area's age.

B. Putting the Pieces Together

1. The student will be able to deduce what geological events took place by analyzing the rock layers in a given area.

C. The Parade of Life

1. The student will be able to relate the possible ways a fossil may be formed.
2. The student will be able to make inferences that life has changed through time using fossil records.
3. The student will be able to trace the evolution of life through the eras and periods.

VI. The Sky's the Limit

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to discover the earth's niche in an ever-changing solar system and universe.

A. Galaxies Galore

1. The student will be able to explain the use and workings of various astronomers tools.
2. The student will be able to explain the measurement of various characteristics of stars and distant galaxies (e.g., distances, size, mass, density, colors, temperatures, etc.).
3. The student will be able to explain the theories of the expanding universe and the steady-state universe.
4. The student will be able to classify various stars and galaxies according to distance, shapes, size, etc.
5. The student will be able to discuss relativity with respect to the universe.

B. The Sun's Family

1. The student will be able to describe and explain the sun as a source of light and energy.
2. The student will be able to describe the planets of the solar system as to size, distance from the sun, orbit, shape, density, atmosphere, and surface temperature.
3. The student will be able to explain the origin and formation of meteors, meteoroids and comets.
4. The student will be able to draw conclusions to whether there is life on other planets.

C. Man on the Moon

1. The student will be able to make inferences as to the importance of man's landing on the moon (e.g., future home for man, lunar research, food source for the future, space station for deeper space exploration).

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2. The student will be able to explain the theory of the moon's formation.
3. The student will be able to discuss the structure of the moon.
4. The student will be able to relate the moon, the sun, and tide movement with one another.
5. The student will be able to explain the relationship between eclipses and the moon.

D. A Walk in Space

1. The student will be able to discuss the history of man in space.
2. The student will be able to explain the relationship between gravity, orbits and rocket propulsion.
3. The student will be able to deduce the problems a space voyager would have to overcome to journey from one planet to the next.

E. Motions of the Earth

1. The student will be able to prove the earth rotates using the Foucault Pendulum.
2. The student will be able to explain day length and seasonal change using the earth's rotation and revolution around the sun.

VII. Wind, Rain and the Coconut

Objective: The student will be given the opportunity to explain, through observation and investigation, what causes the day-to-day weather which surrounds him.

A. The Sun's Rays

1. The student will be able to list the layers which make up the atmosphere around the earth.
2. The student will be able to explain how energy from the sun is used to heat the atmosphere and the earth.
3. The student will be able to describe the plotting of air temperatures on maps.
4. The student will be able to operate the instruments used to measure air temperature.

B. The Force of Air

1. The student will be able to explain that the atmosphere has pressure.
2. The student will be able to explain and operate the instruments used to measure air pressure.
3. The student will be able to relate high and low pressure with different types of weather.
4. The student will be able to explain what the coriolis force is and its effects on wind direction.
5. The student will be able to express what winds are and how they originate.
6. The student will be able to describe the plotting of air pressure and winds on maps.
7. The student will be able to explain the three-cell theory in depth.

C. Water in the Air

1. The student will be able to explain that there are three states of

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water which can be changed from one form to another by melting, freezing, evaporation, condensation and sublimation.

2. The student will be able to explain the process of evaporation.
3. The student will be able to relate what relative humidity is and how it can be measured.
4. The student will be able to explain the process of condensation.
5. The student will be able to relate condensation and dew point.
6. The student will be able to explain the process of cloud formation.
7. The student will be able to identify several different cloud formations.
8. The student will be able to explain the difference between fogs and smog.
9. The student will be able to discuss the theory of precipitation.
10. The student will be able to identify and explain the different forms and formations of precipitation.
11. The student will be able to operate the instruments used to measure precipitation.
12. The student will be able to explain why different areas have different amounts of precipitation.

D. Making of the Weather

1. The student will be able to explain the formation of different types of weather fronts.
2. The student will be able to explain the formation of different types of storms.

E. Why Coconuts Don't Grow in the North

1. The student will be able to list the factors that influence the climate in a given area.
2. The student will be able to classify the different climates of the world.

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# BIOLOGY

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GRADE TEN

GENERAL BIOLOGY

I. Introduction to A.T. Biology

Objective: The student will demonstrate his understanding of the procedure and ideas behind individualized instruction, as well as what life is and the use of basic equipment necessary for laboratory use.

A. You should know about this first:

1. Each student will be able to operate the audio-visual equipment in the carrels.
2. Each student will be able to understand the routine procedure of check-in/check-out, recording work completed, grading, test taking, and use of demonstration materials.
3. Each student will be able to become familiar with lab procedure, individualized work, group seminar, and individual conference.

B. The Beginning and The End

1. Each student will be able to identify the three hypothesis of where life came from and contrast them with each other.
2. Each student will be able to define biogenesis and abiogenesis.
3. Each student will be able to formulate a workable definition of their own life.
4. Each student will be able to construct an outline of the early Renaissance history of life science leading to evolution and the cell theory.
5. Each student will be able to raise questions about organic evolution and whether it is probable and possible.

II. Ecology and Interaction

Objective: The student will demonstrate his understanding of the relationship of organisms to the environment by explaining various interactions between organisms in given communities.

A. Web of Life

1. Each student will be able to identify all of the physical factors of an environment and how their interaction effects the living things of ecosystem.
2. Each student will be able to differentiate the various stages of the flow of energy and matter through ecosystem.
3. Each student will be able to relate what a producer, consumer, and decomposer are and how they interact to form a Food Web.
4. Each student will be able to write or recite the various parts of the carbon, water, nitrogen, and mineral cycle in the transfer of matter in the system and compare the part each plays in the ecosystem.
5. Each student will be able to construct a mass and numbers pyramid for a simple ecosystem of living things.

B. Ocean to Mountain Top

1. Each student will be able to identify the major limiting factors of the various major biomes of the world.

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2. Each student will be able to write or recite what all of the major biomes are and relate the major types of vegetation and animal life found in each of the biomes.
3. Each student will be able to compare at least two different biomes as to abiotic factors and biotic factors.
4. Each student will be able to relate succession and climax in an ecosystem and the factors involved in causing these changes.
5. Each student will be able to identify the major problems that organisms face in living on land.
6. Each student will be able to contrast the effects of altitude and latitude upon the climax vegetation.

#### C. Life in a Pond

1. Each student will be able to identify the three water zones in a pond divided by the amount of light penetration.
2. Each student will be able to identify the various areas of the pond and the various organisms that can be found in this variety of habitat.
3. Each student will have a general knowledge of the animals and plants of the pond as to what they look like and where they may be able to find them, and how they make their living in the ecosystem.
4. Each student will be able to identify and use the various pieces of collection equipment to be used on a field trip.
5. Each student will be able to know and demonstrate the various procedures of collecting materials for all four-team assignments at the pond.

#### D. Field Study of a Pond

1. Each student will be able to undertake a field study of a pond, doing the collecting and sorting of biotic material.
2. Each student will be able to record and evaluate the abiotic factors from direct observation of the habitat.
3. Each student will be able to evaluate the interrelationship of biotic and abiotic materials that they observed, collected and recorded as to both food and energy chains, influencing factors outside the ecosystem, and pyramid of numbers.
4. Each student will be able to compare this studied food ecosystem with other ecosystems of the biosphere.

#### E. The Bomb - "Can Any of Us Escape?"

1. Each student will be able to identify the major pollution problems of our environment.
2. Each student will be able to relate the pollution problems to the major problem of over-population.
3. Each student will be able to compare the position of the individual to a population and how the population fits to a community.
4. Each student will be able to identify the parts of population dynamics and compare these to pollution and over-population.
5. Each student will be able to compare and contrast the basic principles of ecology with our present dilemma of pollution.

### III. The Living Cell

Objective: The student will demonstrate his understanding of the structures of a cell and how these structures function as well as how a cell reproduces into two identical cells.

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A. The Building Blocks of Life

1. The student will be able to write or recite the cell theory and the history that brought about its formation.
2. The student will be able to identify the part played by Hooke, Scheil- den and Schwann, aided by the work of Verchow in the development of the cell theory.
3. The student will be able to identify the various parts of a cell and the locations of each.
4. The student will be able to compare the relationship of the size of a cell to its ability to carry on vital functions.

B. The Land of Diminishing Returns

1. The student will be able to write or recite the function of the follow- ing cellular parts:
  - a. Nucleus.
  - b. Chromatin.
  - c. mitochondrin.
  - d. Vacuole.
  - e. Cell membrane.
  - f. Endoplasmic reticulum.
  - g. Ribosome.
  - h. Nucleolus.
2. Each student will be able to relate how the nucleus controls the for- mation of protein.
3. Each student will be able to identify and compare the basic principle of active transport and its energy requirements to normal cellular diffusion.

C. Mitosis

1. Each student will be able to relate the general changes undergone by a nucleus through the four phases of mitosis, and identify each stage on a microslide of onion root and whitefish bastula.
2. Each student will be able to write or recite the major changes that occur in the nucleus during interphase, both visible and invisible.
3. Each student will be able to relate the two processes of equational cellular division and correiate the connection between the two.
4. Each student will be able to contrast several changes between plant and animal mitosis.

IV. The Energy to Run the Organic Machine

Objective: Given a chemical process necessary for organic life, the student will be able to explain and/or demonstrate the process and inter- relate it to the other processes of life.

A. Energy, Matter and You

1. Each student will be able to define Energy.
2. Each student will be able to list the three states of matter and the differences in molecular motion.
3. Each student will be able to write or recite the definition of the chemical and physical properties of matter and give at least four examples of each one.
4. Each student will be able to compare potential energy with kinetic energy.

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5. Each student will be able to relate the transformation of energy and matter from one form to another in three different instances.
6. Each student will be able to identify the basic structures of matter and the construction of atoms and molecules.
7. Each student will be able to compare the differences between elements, compounds and mixtures.

#### B. Energy in the Atom

1. Each student will be able to write or recite the three particles that make an atom.
2. Each student will be able to relate the attractive forces that hold the particles of the atom together.
3. Each student will be able to explain the concept of energy levels in relationship to the position of the electrons.
4. Each student will be able to construct a picture of the orbiting electrons and their positions to each other.
5. Each student will be able to contrast how atoms are constructed in relationship to 103 different elements.
6. Each student will be able to contrast the relationship between the electrons in the outer energy level and how chemical bonds form to make molecules.

#### C. The Carbon Atom

1. Each student will be able to construct the atomic structure of carbon.
2. Each student will be able to relate that carbon has four covalent bonds and that it shares electron pairs when it forms these bonds.
3. Each student will be able to write or recite a molecular formula and a structural formula for simple carbon molecules.
4. Each student will be able to contrast how carbon, because of its bonding, can form so many different molecules by forming straight chains, chains that form many geometric figures as well as rings.
5. Each student will be able to relate carbon will not only single bond with itself, but will double and triple bond with each other and become more reactive this way.

#### D. Carbon Compounds

1. Each student will be able to construct three basic carbon compounds that are common to all living things.
2. Each student will be able to identify the basic units that make up carbohydrates, fats, and proteins.
3. Each student will be able to identify and construct the basic simple sugars and bond them together to form the complex carbohydrates.
4. Each student will be able to construct glycerol and fatty acids, put the two together, and make up a lipid.
5. Each student will be able to construct amino acids, bonding them with peptid bonds to form protein molecules.

#### E. The Reason For Go

1. Each student will be able to define and give examples of potential and kinetic energy.
2. Each student will be able to describe the changes in entropy that changes in energy and organizations cause.
3. Each student will be able to write or recite what an endergonic and exergonic reaction is and compare the relationship to energy.
4. Each student will be able to define entropy and relate it to the dynamic equilibrium of a cell.

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## F. ATP Action

1. Each student will be able to identify the chemical structure of ATP.
2. Each student will be able to differentiate usable forms of energy inside a living cell.
3. Each student will be able to define a high energy bond and relate how the cell utilizes it to do work in ATP to ADP cycle.
4. Each student will be able to write and recite the basic types of cellular work and some examples of these in a cell.
5. Each student will be able to identify the action of ATP and relate how a muscle fiber performs work.
6. Each student will be able to relate the general energy cycle from the sun to ATP in a living cell.

## G. The Production of Go

1. Each student will be able to define Radiant Energy.
2. Each student will be able to relate the function of chlorophyll to its structure and molecular change in trapping energy.
3. Each student will be able to recite or write the three pathways that light energy follow after being absorbed by the chlorophyll molecule.
4. Each student will be able to contrast cyclic and non-cyclic phosphorelation in their production of ATP during the light phase of photosynthesis.
5. Each student will be able to write or recite the general functioning of the dark phase of photosynthesis with the products and materials used in this phase.
6. Each student will be able to construct an overall picture of the entire process of photosynthesis and relate it to the energy requirements of all living things in an ecosystem.

## H. Using Go for Life

1. Each student will be able to relate the respiratory process to photosynthesis, ATP, the mitochondria, and cell metabolism.
2. Each student will be able to describe the three major processes (glycolysis, Krebs Cycle, and electron transport system) and relate the transfer of energy from one to another.
3. Each student will be able to compare the likenesses and differences in aerobic and anaerobic respiration.

## VI. Animals Without Backbones

**Objective:** To give the student a comparison and overall view of the various types of invertebrate animals.

## A. One-Celled Organisms

1. Each student will be able to identify some common protozoans.
2. Each student will be able to describe the different means of movement of different protozoans.
3. Each student will be able to list the important structures and their functions.
4. Each student will be able to describe the reproduction of protozoans.

## B. Hollow Bodied Animals

1. Each student will be able to relate how the multicellular condition permits efficient division of labor.

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2. Each student will be able to list and define the major structural characteristics of sponges and coelenterates.
3. Each student will be able to relate the feeding and reproduction of both of these phyla.
4. Each student will be able to compare the likenesses and differences of the sponges with the coelenterates.
5. Each student will be able to make a comparison of the degree of all specialization that occurs in sponges and coelenterates.

C. Worms

1. Each student will be able to identify the general phylum characteristics of the three phyla of round, flat and segmented worms.
2. Each student will make a comparison between these three groups in structural, evolution, and way of life.
3. Each student will show and explain the great diversity of the various animals within these three groups.
4. Each student will be able to contrast and compare the highly organized systems of the earthworm with the simple ones of the planaria.

D. Soft-Bodied Animals

1. Each student will be able to identify the general characteristics of the phylum mollusca.
2. Each student will be able to relate the great diversity among the group of four classes as well as common characteristics of each class.
3. Each student will be able to identify the general body structures of the fresh water clams.
4. Each student will be able to identify and relate the general physiology of the animals digestion, circulation, respiration and nervous system.
5. Each student will be able to write or recite the life cycle and reproduction of the clam.
6. Each student will be able to compare the greatly specialized squid with the other members of the group.

E. Knights of "Olde"

1. Each student will be able to define and recite the general characteristics of arthropods.
2. Each student will compare and contrast the diversity among the animals in this phylum.
3. Each student will be able to identify the behavior responses from external environment.
4. Each student will be able to differentiate the structural adaptations in the appendages of this crustacean.
5. Each student will be able to identify the parts of the internal anatomy of the crayfish as a representative arthropod.
6. Each student will be able to write or relate some of the economic importance of this group to man.

F. Spiny-Skinned Creatures

1. Each student will be able to list the major characteristics of the phylum Echinodermata.
2. Each student will be able to describe the structure and way of life of the starfish.
3. Each student will be able to make a comparison of the Echinodermata at the transitional form of life between invertebrates and vertebrates.

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## VII. Simple Plants

Objective: Each student should be able to relate the general characteristics of the non-vascular plants and compare these in a phylogenetic arrangement to the evolution of the plant kingdom.

## A. The Small Ones - Virus and Bacteria

1. Each student will be able to relate in writing the following things about bacteria:
  - a. Structure.
  - b. Types.
  - c. Size.
2. Each student will be able to relate the methods and conditions that bacteria are able to survive.
3. Each student will be able to relate the factors and conditions that have an effect on growth rate and reproduction of bacteria.
4. Each student will be able to list the nutritional requirements of a bacteria.
5. Each student will be able to discuss in paragraph form the two conditions of transformation and transduction.
6. Each student will be able to discuss the factors and conditions that relate bacteria or pathogens to diseases.
7. Each student will be able to relate the following things about antibiotics:
  - a. Spectrum of influence.
  - b. Specificity.
  - c. Production.
  - d. Control of bacteria.
  - e. From where they come.
8. Each student will be able to relate the structure of a virus.
9. Each student will be able to relate the life cycle of a virus and explain the cycles relationship to living cells or hosts.

## B. The First Green Ones

1. Each student will be able to relate the basic structure and compare it to the single-celled bacteria.
2. Each student will be able to compare and contrast the evolution of algae through the various forms and also with other plants.
3. Each student will be able to relate the various algae types, their life cycles and color of pigmentation.

## C. Fungi

1. Each student will be able to identify the various types of true fungi and their life cycles.
2. Each student will be able to relate the basic structure of the fungi and their asexual and sexual forms of reproduction.
3. Each student will be able to have a visual identification of the many forms of fungi.
4. Each student will be able to relate an understanding of the involuntary relationship of fungi to protozoa and the simple green plants.
5. Each student will be able to contrast the economic importance of several of the forms to our everyday life in Montana.

## D. Trend Toward Complexity

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1. Each student will be able to compare the common structures of the simple green plants.
2. Each student will be able to contrast the evolutionary changes in the green plant from a water environment to the simplest land plants.
3. Each student will be able to write or recite the seven adaptations that are needed to occur to make survival possible for a green plant on land.
4. Each student will be able to compare and contrast the alternation of generations of algae and moss.
5. Each student will be able to relate how alternation of generations makes a plant more adaptable in a changing environment.

#### VIII. The Machine and How It Works

**Objective:** Each student should be able to identify the major systems and organs of the human body and apply their structure to the functioning of these systems.

##### A. Food and Where It Goes

1. Each student will be able to relate how the structural characteristics of the digestive process were developed from an evolutionary point of view.
2. Each student will be able to describe intracellular digestion and extracellular digestion.
3. Each student will be able to explain the importance of digestion.
4. Each student will be able to explain how the food is acted upon from the time it gets into the mouth until it reaches the large intestine.

##### B. The Pump and Transportation

1. Each student will be able to write or give orally two major functions of the circulatory system.
2. Each student will be able to reconstruct the evolutionary development of the circulatory system.
3. Each student will be able to contrast and compare an open circulatory system with a closed system.
4. Each student will be able to trace the flow of blood through the heart, naming the parts in succession.
5. Each student will be able to relate the components of blood to their function.
6. Each student will be able to list the characteristics and function of the arteries, veins, and platelets.
7. Each student will be able to trace the clotting process.

##### C. Clean Air and Water

1. Each student will be able to relate an evolutionary and structural comparison of both systems in animals.
2. Each student will be able to relate the three main organ systems utilized by complex animals and how they work in moving oxygen to cells.
3. Each student will be able to compare the needed structural changes in lung tissue of the various vertebrate animals.
4. Each student will understand the structure and mechanics of the breathing process in humans.
5. Each student will be able to describe the three basic nitrogen wastes and the importance of each in their removal from the living animal.

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6. Each student will be able to recognize other systems in the human that perform an excretory function other than the kidney.
7. Each student will be able to relate the basic structures of the excretory system as well as the structure of the kidney.
8. Each student will have an understanding of the filtration and reabsorption process as to how they are performed and the products involved, since the basic physiology of the human kidney is important.

#### D. Control, Circuits and Cerebrum

1. Each student will be able to identify as to structure and function the major areas of the central nervous system.
2. Each student will be able to explain the workings of a simple reflex arc.
3. Each student will be able to describe the effects of the controls centers of the various autonomic functions of the body.
4. Each student will be able to compare the advance in evolutionary development of simple invertebrate systems to man.
5. Each student will be able to express and demonstrate how the electric chemical movement of an impulse occurs along a neuron and across a synapse.
6. Each student will be able to relate how the nervous system with the endocrine system controls certain functions of the organisms.
7. Each student will identify what a hormone is and how it performs as a chemical messenger with a built-in feed back mechanism.

#### E. Muscles

1. Each student will be able to compare and contrast the three major types of muscle tissue found in most mammals.
2. Each student will be able to construct a picture of a section of a myofibril and label the various bands.
3. Each student will be able to construct a picture of the gross anatomy of a muscle and label the parts.
4. Each student will be able to describe why, when he looks at a skeletal muscle, he sees striations and describe what makes up the striations.

#### F. About Birds and Bees

1. Each student will be able to follow a pattern of sexual reproduction through the animal kingdom, seeing many differences, but deducing a common pattern in all.
2. Each student will be able to compare the differences in external and internal fertilization.
3. Each student will be able to describe the various patterns of reproduction within the mammals.

#### G. Development

1. Each student will be able to derive, through comparisons with the frog and chick development, an understanding of early human development.
2. Each student will be able to identify the various changes that occur in early embryonic development.
3. Each student will be able to identify the three embryonic tissues and what major systems develop from each.
4. Each student will be able to describe the changes that are undergone in the uterus after fertilization has occurred.

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5. Each student will be able to discuss and compare the basic pattern of embryonic development in all vertebrate animals as an evolutionary trend in the development of mammals.

IX. The Land Turns Green

Objective: Each student should have an understanding of vascular plants and relate their structures and life cycles on an evolutionary basis with the lower plants.

A. Vascular Plants Take Over

1. Each student will be able to describe the general characteristics of vascular plants.
2. Each student will be able to draw some conclusion from the fossil record of vascular plants in demonstrating the evolutionary advances from these to our present-day angiosperms.
3. Each student will be able to relate the fossil and isolated living remnants of past groups to the modern ferns and mosses.
4. Each student will be able to identify and develop the life cycle of a fern and a moss.

B. Forever Green

1. Each student will be able to describe the alternation of generations of gymnosperms.
2. Each student will compare the structural and functional changes that have evolved from earlier vascular to the gymnosperms.
3. Each student will realize how gymnosperms provide useful resource to our civilization.

C. Daisies

1. Each student will be able to develop through evidences of the characteristics of the simpler plants a theme that will explain how the flowering plants became the dominate plant.
2. Each student will be able to relate the cycle of flower plants through likenesses and differences with other plants.
3. Each student will be able to explain how specialized structures that have come from evolution have better adapted the flowering plants to survive the environment.

D. Three Musketeers

1. Each student will be able to identify the major parts or roots, stems, and leaves.
2. Each student will be able to discuss the functioning of the major tissues of roots, stems and leaves.
3. Each student will be able to identify some of the important cell types and how their structures adapt them to do a particular function within the plant.
4. Each student will be able to collect and identify a few basic flower plants by vegetative structure.

E. The Forbidden Apple

1. Each student will be able to identify the basic structures of the flower.

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2. Each student will be able to relate the processes of pollination, fertilization and seed development.
3. Each student will be able to describe the alternation of generations of flower plants.
4. Each student will be able to relate the various structures and types of fruit and seeds.

## X. Heredity

Objective: Each student should be able to identify chromosomes and relate these cellular structures to Mendelian genetic principles to solve simple genetic problems of the monohybrid and dihybrid types.

### A. Thread of Life

1. Each student will be able to relate orally or in writing the following things about the DNA molecule:
  - a. The three units that make up the DNA molecule.
  - b. The four different nitrogen bases.
  - c. How these units are put together.
  - d. The coded arrangement of the bases.
2. Each student will be able to describe the process of replication or duplication of the DNA molecule.
3. Each student will be able to relate DNA code control in the nucleus to the building of a protein at the ribosome.
4. Each student will be able to describe what a mutation is in relation to a change in DNA.

### B. Cell and Chromosomes

1. Each student will be able to define the following terms:
  - a. Gene.
  - b. Chromosome.
  - c. Tetrad.
  - d. Synapsis.
  - e. Centromere.
  - f. Spindle.
  - g. Centrosome.
2. Each student will be able to define the fundamental stages of meiosis and the physical changes that occur in the cell.
3. Each student will be able to compare and contrast meiosis with mitosis.
4. Each student will be able to relate what happens to the chromosomes in meiosis to the genetic explanation of Mendel's Law.
5. Each student will be able to explain how the chromosome number goes from diploid to haploid in the formation of a gamete (reduction division).
6. Each student will be able to explain that genetic continuity and variability are the physical happenings of meiosis.
7. Each student will be able to relate how mutation in cells occurs during the meiotic process.

### C. Before Conception

1. Each student will do a cross involving one trait or a monohybrid cross.
2. Each student will be able to calculate and write the phenotypic and genotypic ratios for that cross.

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3. Each student will be able to relate some of the definitions that are basic to genetics, such as homozygous, heterozygous, genotype, phenotype, dominant, recessive, and alleles.
4. Each student will be able to define Mendel's first law of genetics.
5. Each student will be able to discuss Mendel's work and its contribution to modern genetics.
6. Each student will be able to relate how the gene pairs are selected by each parent and the process involved, plus the recombination of them and what it will produce for that trait in the offspring.

D. How It All Happened

1. Each student will be able to recite and explain Mendel's second law of Independent Assortment.
2. Each student will be able to describe the relationship in combining the information of monohybrid crosses to work dihybrid problems.
3. Each student will be able to solve dihybrid crosses using the branched diagram method.
4. Each student will be able to explain the following things, how they take place, and solve problems concerning these:
  - a. Sex-determination.
  - b. Sex-linked traits.
  - c. Sex-mosaics.
  - d. Polyploid.
5. Each student will be able to apply the process of crossing over to explain the variability that can occur among linked genes.
6. Each student will be able to identify other physical changes that occur in chromosomes that cause mutations in the organisms.

XI. Evolution

Objective: Each student should be able to explain that the continuity of life is maintained by natural selection, and that there is an evolutionary relationship among living things supported by scientific evidence.

A. Darwin, Survival and Other Things

1. Each student will be able to relate a brief history of Darwin and the events that were instrumental in the solving of the theory of evolution.
2. Each student will be able to discuss Darwin's hypothesis of natural selection and some of the evidence to support it.
3. Each student will be able to evaluate the evidences of genetics as to supporting natural selection.
4. Each student will be able to explain the elemental forces of evolution.

B. Creatures of the Past and Present

1. Each student will be able to describe the fossil evidences and how it relates to evolution.
2. Each student will be able to compare geographic distribution with how the elemental forces have effected the living populations of a region.
3. Each student will be able to explain the effects of frequencies of alleles on changing populations.

C. Monkeys to Man

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1. Each student will be able to describe and discuss the evolutionary evidence of man's ancestry.
2. Each student will be able to discuss the various forms of near man and early man and the differences as related to man today.
3. Each student will be able to describe the evidences of tools and culture of man in the evolutionary pattern of his development.
4. Each student will be able to give an evolutionary explanation of how the various race of modern man could have come into existence.

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GRADES ELEVEN OR TWELVE

ADVANCED BIOLOGY

I. Develop an understanding of bio-chemistry.

Objective: The student should be able to explain or demonstrate the various biochemical processes necessary to maintain life.

- A. The student will be able to explain the basic inorganic reactions that are related to life.
- B. The student will be able to discuss the atomic theory, quantum theory and its relationship to energy.
- C. The student will be able to discuss the chemical processes that led to the theoretical origin of life.
- D. The student will be able to describe the structure and formation of the simple and complex organic compounds.
- E. The student will be able to describe the structural framework of enzymes and relate this to the action of the enzyme in chemical reactions.
- F. The student will be able to explain the step-by-step reactions that are called glycolysis, Krebs Cycle and Electron Transport System.
- G. The student will be able to relate the similarities and differences in aerobic and anaerobic respiration in both plants and animals.

II. Develop an understanding of cytology.

Objective: The student should have an understanding of the basic structure and function of cells and the similarity of these and all species of plants and animals.

- A. The student will be able to explain and identify the structure of plant and animal cells.
- B. The student will be able to discuss the functioning of the various parts of living cells.
- C. The student will be able to relate the process of protein synthesis to the cellular structure.
- D. The student will be able to relate the processes of diffusion, osmosis and active transport to the cell membrane.

III. Develop an understanding of continuity of life.

Objective: The student should be able to demonstrate the continuity of life by explaining the process of reproduction in both plants and animals.

- A. The student will be able to discuss and describe in detail the process of mitosis and how it maintains the continuity of life.
- B. The student will be able to explain the likenesses and differences in mitosis and meiosis.
- C. The student will be able to relate the process of meiosis with sexual reproduction.
- D. The student will be able to relate and explain the process of DNA replication with the chromosomal pattern of heredity.
- E. The student will review and have a knowledge of the basic Mendelian Laws.
- F. The student will be able to apply Mendel's Laws and be able to use these in the solution of genetic problems.
- G. The student will be able to relate the process of natural selection to continuity of life.

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- G. The student will be able to describe asexual forms of reproduction and their relationship to the continuity of life.

IV. Develop an understanding of homeostasis.

Objective: The student should have an understanding of regulation and homeostasis by being able to explain how systems function to maintain a stable internal environment.

- A. The student will be able to explain how various regulatory centers in the brain function to maintain homeostasis.
- B. The student will be able to discuss and describe the action of guard cells and xylem tissue in the conductivity of water up the stems and root systems of plants.
- C. The student will be able to describe the regulatory functions of the kidney in water and mineral balance as well as removal of nitrogen wastes.
- D. The student will be able to explain and/or relate the action of the endocrine system with the central nervous system in the maintenance of stable environment.
- E. The student will be able to explain the various systems within the blood to help maintain homeostasis.
- F. The student will be able to describe the action of auxins within plants to create various tropism reactions in maintaining a stable environment.

V. Develop a knowledge of behavior.

Objective: The student should demonstrate an understanding of behavior in terms of the functioning of the organisms.

- A. The student will be able to describe the action on the functioning of a receptor.
- B. The student will be able to explain the action of a nerve impulse along a neuron and across a synaptic gap.
- C. The student will be able to explain a reflex arc.
- D. The student will be able to discuss the effect of chemical messengers on behavior patterns.
- E. The student will be able to indicate a basic understanding of how nerve impulses are capable of transmitting specific information to a nerve center.
- F. The student will be able to discuss some theories on how information is stored and then retrieved from the central nervous system.
- G. The student will be able to express a knowledge of the simple behavior patterns of instinct, imprinting, etc.

VI. Develop a knowledge of changing living things.

Objective: The student should understand the change of living things through time by explaining how organic processes can cause changes in organisms.

- A. The student will explain how sexual reproduction occurs and how it causes changes in the organism.
- B. The student will be able to demonstrate by example how isolation of populations cause changes in organisms.
- C. The student will be able to discuss how green plants have changed in their development both vegetatively and sexually.

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- D. The student will be able to describe and discuss how the various chromosomal aberrations create change in the organism.
- E. The student will be able to explain how, with selective breeding, man has changed various organisms within civilized time.
- F. The student will be able to explain the effect of mutation at the molecular level and relate this to the formation of proteins.

VII. Develop an appreciation for unity with diversity.

Objective: The student should be able to compare the structures and processes in different phyla that are similar to demonstrate the unity in pattern yet diversity in type.

- A. The student will be able to explain the unity with the trend toward complexity in the transportation systems of plants and animals.
- B. The student will be able to discuss unity of all things in the structure and function of DNA and RNA.
- C. The student will be able to explain unity of respiratory organs between land and water animals.
- D. The student will be able to summarize the embryonic pattern of vertebrate animals showing the great unity in each development, with the great diversity of the organisms.
- E. The student will be able to describe and discuss the pattern in both structure and function of digestion in plant and animals.
- F. The student will be able to describe the similarity in pattern of skeletal and muscular systems in invertebrate and vertebrate animals.
- G. The student will be able to describe the unity of pattern in sexual reproduction of living things.

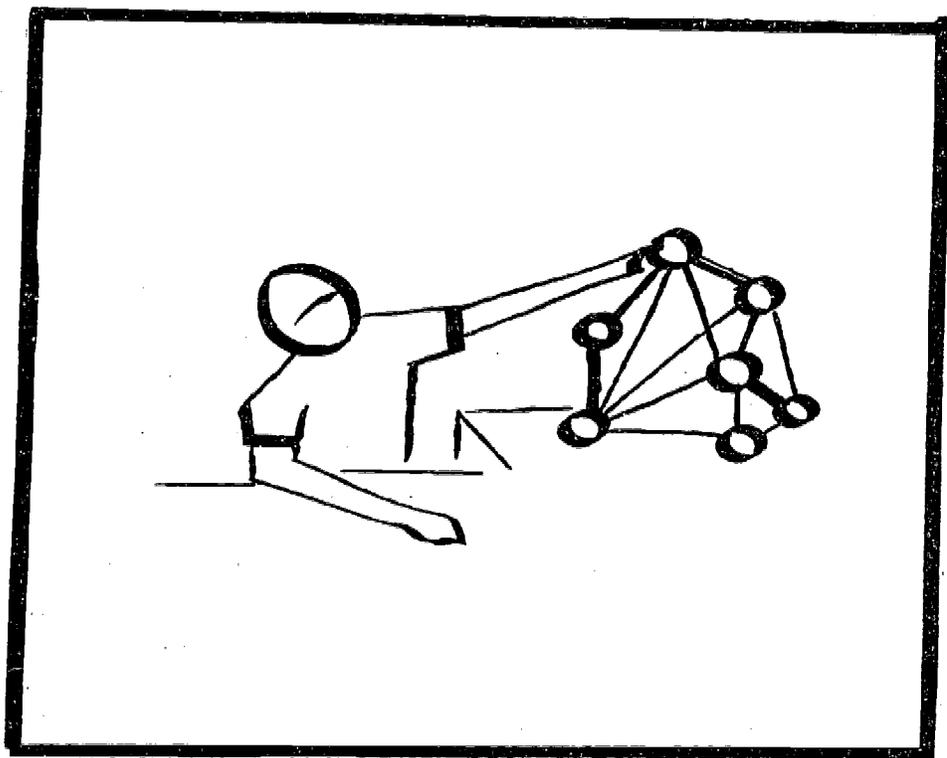
VIII. Develop an understanding of ecology.

Objective: The student should be able to demonstrate his understanding of the relationships of organisms with their environment and the interaction that takes place between communities or ecosystems.

- A. The student will be able to, with field work, develop a picture of the interaction of two different communities side by side and the basic interaction within each community.
- B. The student will be able to explain the basic ecological principles that govern and control the works of any ecosystem.
- C. The student will be able to discuss and use the information of population genetics to explain food production, dynamics of a population and how changes can occur.
- D. The student will be able to do an in-depth study of mans' effect on the environment through work in the field, studying chemically the pollutants to air, water and soil.

RESOURCES:

(Note: Please refer to those resources indicated for Grade 10 Biology.)



# INVESTIGATIVE CHEMISTRY

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GRADE ELEVEN

CHEMISTRY BY EXPERIMENTATION

I. Develop an understanding of chemistry as an experimental science.

Objective: Each student should have an understanding of the experimental techniques of science and should obtain the skills necessary to perform the laboratory exercise required in the course.

A. What is Chemistry?

1. Each student will be able to perform the necessary skills of observation and description.
2. Each student will be able to record an accurate description and reach a valid conclusion from the data.

B. Measurement

1. Each student will be able to accurately perform the skills used in the various measurements in an experiment.
2. Each student will be able to calculate accurately the data that is collected and realize the limitations of himself and the equipment.

II. Develop an understanding of the building blocks of matter.

Objective: Each student should have an understanding of the structure and energy of the atom and how more complex forms of matter are combined in building compounds.

A. Atomic Energy

1. Each student will be able to relate how a theory is created.
2. Through the use of a hypothesis, each student will be able to indicate the existence of molecules.
3. Each student will be able to define Boyle's Law and use it to explain the relationship between pressure and volume of gases.
4. Each student will be able to explain how to determine relative molecular weights.
5. Each student will be able to describe the effects of temperature changes on pressure and volume.

B. Elements, Compounds and Reactions

1. Each student will be able to identify and recognize the symbols, formulas and equations through the use of 3-dimensional models.
2. Each student will be able to identify that basic particles form all matter.
3. Each student will be able to match symbols with the various elements.
4. Each student will be able to identify the common molecular formulas.
5. Each student will be able to discuss the use of chemical equations to describe chemical reactions and compute the balancing of these equations.

C. The Structure of the Atom

1. Each student will be able to relate the basic principle of electrical charges to Coulomb's Law.

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2. Each student will be able to indicate the basic structure of the atom.
3. Each student will be able to explain some atomic nuclei are unstable and decay releasing energy called radioactivity.

D. Periodic Table

1. Each student will be able to interpret that the arrangement of elements on the table is a regularity.
2. Each student will be able to relate the group of noble gas are chemically distinctive because of their lack of activity.
3. Each student will be able to explain that the other elements tend to reach greater stability by assuming the electron arrangement of the noble gas.
4. Each student will be able to recognize that the properties of the various elements change as you cross the periodic chart.

E. Making a Believer

1. Each student will be able to deduce from the chemical evidence available to him a basis for the atomic theory.
2. Each student will be able to discuss and apply the following laws to support the atomic theory:
  - a. Law of Definite Composition.
  - b. Law of Simple Multiple Proportion.
  - c. Law of Combine Volumes.
3. Each student will be able to conclude through experimentation that the various parts of atoms exist by the physical evidence produced in the various experiments.

F. Electrons and Where to Find Them

1. Each student will be able to explain that the amount of light as an energy form is relative to the frequency of the light.
2. Each student will be able to relate that atoms exist in a certain stationary state and this characterized by a specific amount of energy.
3. Each student will be able to relate that when atoms go to an excited state, electrons move to other positions and that when they return to a stationary state, light (a form of energy) is emitted.
4. Each student will be able to indicate that electron distribution extends to infinity; therefore atoms have no boundary surfaces.
5. Each student will be able to explain that the motion and spatial distribution of electrons is characterized by quantum numbers.
6. Each student will be able to explain that the energy used to remove the outer most electrons from an atom can be described as ionization energy in that it increases as you go across the periodic table.
7. Each student will be able to describe that successive ionization energies for an element are accountable to the number of valence electrons.
8. Each student will be able to apply the information of ionization energies and electron distribution to the organization of the periodic table.

G. Molecules and How They Are Held Together

1. Each student will be able to explain chemical bonding is due to the electron-nucleau attraction.

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2. Each student will be able to relate that bonding capacity is related to electron configuration.
3. Each student will be able to express how molecular shape is related to the shape of the orbitals.
4. Each student will be able to indicate that covalent and ionic bonding are suggested in terms of ionization energies.
5. Each student will be able to discuss the existences of multiple bonds.
6. Each student will be able to compare and contrast the various chemical bonding to explain the shapes and sizes of molecules.

H. How About Solid and Liquid Molecules?

1. Each student will be able to explain van der Waal forces in the weak attraction of certain special molecules.
2. Each student will be able to indicate the metals with low ionization energies and empty orbitals.
3. Each student will be able to explain how compounds with varying ionization energies form ionic bonding solids while other solids are formed by covalent bonding.
4. Each student will be able to discuss and describe Hydrogen bonding with various atoms.
5. Each student will be able to describe the special properties of solids, liquids and solutions.

III. Develop an understanding of the dynamics of chemistry.

Objective: Each student should have an understanding and perceive the changes and transformations that occur in atoms and molecules that we call chemical reactions.

A. How to Calculate Changes

1. Each student will be able to perform, solve and balance equations in accordance with the Law of Conservation of Matter.
2. Each student will be able to apply the mole concept as a principle in solution of problems in stoichiometry.
3. Each student will be able to develop a quantitative sense to his understanding of a chemical equation.

B. Power From the Chemical Bonds

1. Each student will be able to explain that chemical reactions involve energy and its storage in the molecules.
2. Each student will be able to discuss the following Laws:
  - a. Additivity Law of Reaction Heats.
  - b. Law of the Conservation of Energy.
3. Each student will be able to compare the relative magnitudes of energies involved in phase changes, chemical changes, and nuclear changes.

C. How Fast?

1. Each student will be able to explain that reactions proceed by a series of steps that make up the whole reaction.
2. Each student will be able to describe the collision theory which explains changes in rate, by concentration and temperature.
3. Each student will be able to interpret the effects catalysts have on reaction rates.
4. Each student will be able to define and explain energy of activation.

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D. All Things Being Equal

1. Each student will be able to explain the factors that effect the vapor pressure of liquids.
2. Each student will be able to compare the relationship between vapor pressure and boiling point.
3. Each student will be able to summarize Le Chatelier's Principle.
4. Each student will be able to describe the Law of Chemical Equilibrium as a dynamic balance of microscopic changes.
5. Each student will be able to express what an equilibrium constant is in terms of the law.

E. Will It Disappear or Precipitate?

1. Each student will be able to indicate an ions' behavior is independent of its source and may react differently in the presence of other ions.
2. Each student will be able to interpret that by the use of solubility reules, the occurence of chemical reacitons can be predicted.
3. Each student will be able to calculate by using the equilibrium constant the solubility of substances.
4. Each student will be able to define an electrolyte.

F. Sour and Bitter

1. Each student will be able to relate that the strength of electrolytes depends upon the extent of ionization.
2. Each student should be able to define acids as to their major chemical property - a source of  $H^+$  ions.
3. Each student will be able to explain that concentration changes as you approach equilibrium and this process is titration.
4. Each student will be able to desdribe the characteristics and properties of acids and bases.

G. Redox

1. Each student will be able to explain that oxidation reduction is due to electron transfer.
2. Each student will be able to use oxidation tables to predict chemical reactions.
3. Each student will be able to perform the balancing of oxidation reduction reactions.
4. Each student will be able to identify oxidation numbers and explain their use and nature.
5. Each student will be able to relate cell potentials and competitions for electrons.
6. Each student will be able to apply the half-cell reaction to a description of an electrochemical cell.

IV. Develop an understanding of how to use the crossword puzzle.

Objective: Each student, through experimentation, should gain further understanding of chemical reactions and the principles governing them.

A. The Reactive Halogens

1. Each student will be able to explain the physical and chemical properties of Halogens is determined by electron configurations.
2. Each student will be able to describe how haolgens are prepared from natural occuring compounds

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3. Each student will be able to describe oxidizing and reducing agents.

B. The Alkaline Earths

1. Each student will be able to apply the principles he has learned in preceding units to a new group of elements.
2. Each student will be able to perform the experimentation necessary to calculate relative solubility.
3. Each student will be able to perform and predict from the laboratory work the qualitative analysis of a group of elements.

V. Develop an understanding of the neighbors.

Objective: Each student should be able to understand the development of the periodic table by study of the horizontal rows and predicting physical and chemical characteristics.

A. Third Row - Eight Boxes

1. Each student will be able to relate that some substances can act as an acid or a base.
2. Each student will be able to relate the properties of the third row elements.
3. Each student will be able to prepare the elements in the third row through experimentation and have an indication of their occurrence in nature.

B. First Transition Elements

1. Each student will be able to apply old chemical principles to a group of new elements.
2. Each student will be able to describe the properties of the first series of transition elements.
3. Each student will be able to identify the regularities of these elements with d-orbital valence electrons.

C. The Heavier Ones

1. Each student will be able to discuss the unstable nuclei and its effects on the properties of these elements.
2. Each student will be able to indicate the importance of the proton-neutron ratio.
3. Each student will be able to interpret what nuclear binding energy does and how it effects the properties of these elements.
4. Each student will be able to describe the properties of the rare earths and the radioactive ones.

VI. Develop an understanding of carbon and its many compounds.

Objective: Each student should be able to obtain an understanding of the relative importance of carbon chemistry to his everyday living through technology and to life itself.

A. Carbon Compounds

1. Each student will be able to explain the structure of carbon which gives it its unusual behavior in producing compounds.
2. Each student will be able to discuss how hydrocarbons provide the framework of most organic compounds.

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3. Each student will be able to explain how functional groups of molecules determine the chemical behavior of these compounds.
4. Each student will be able to relate the make up of giant molecules - the polymers.

#### B. Chemistry of Life

1. Each student will be able to relate in general terms that living system function because of various cyclic chemical systems.
2. Each student will be able to explain how the chemistry of the living thing is so different but operates on the same principles as all of chemistry.
3. Each student will be able to explain that living things are a collection of many specialized carbon compounds.
4. Each student will be able to express in basic terms the energy exchanges through respiration and photosynthesis in living things.

#### C. Earth and Space

1. Each student will be able to relate how through spectrometry chemical constituents of stars can be identified.
2. Each student will be able to explain that the chemistry of space is a very slow process but similar to what is being done in the laboratory only at a more rapid rate.
3. Each student will be able to discuss how the entire earth is in three spheres (solid, liquid and gas) that correspond to the three states of matter we have been studying throughout the course.

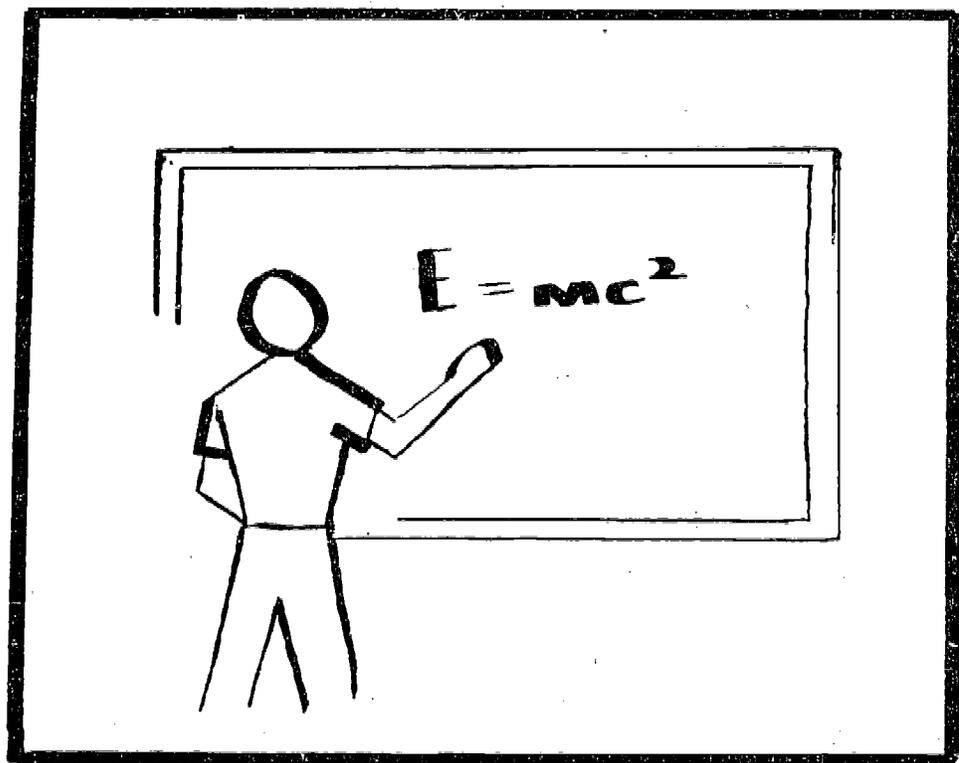
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# EXPERIMENTAL PHYSICS

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GRADES ELEVEN OR TWELVE

## PSSC PHYSICS

Objective: Each student will be given the opportunity to study the basic physical principles governing energy and matter. Through this understanding man hopefully will be better able to control the physical world. Some traditional introductory topics are omitted because they are being taught in the new junior high programs.

## I. Develop an understanding of optics and waves.

## A. Examine how light behaves.

1. The student will investigate sources of light.
2. The student will derive the principles of reflection through observation and experimentation:
  - a. The student will observe regular and diffused reflection.
  - b. The student will observe the straight-line propagation of light and use this principle for drawing ray diagrams.
  - c. The student will summarize experimental observations into the laws of reflection.
  - d. The student will observe image formation by plane mirror.
  - e. The student will observe image formation by curved mirrors and find image by ray tracing.
  - f. The student will compare and contrast between real and virtual images.
  - g. The student will explain how astronomical telescope applies principles of reflection.
3. The student will derive the principles of refraction through observation and experimentation:
  - a. The student will rediscover Snell's Law of Refraction.
  - b. The student will measure the index of refraction for some common substances.
  - c. The student will explain total internal reflection and compute the critical angle.
  - d. The student will observe and explain refraction and dispersion of light by a prism.
  - e. The student will observe, explain and draw ray diagrams for refractions by a spherical surface-lens.
  - f. The student will determine focal point and measure focal length of a thin lens.
  - g. The student will use lensmaker's formula to compute the focal length of a simple lens.
  - h. The student will explain how a simple magnifier works.
3. The student will discuss various methods used in determining the speed of light.

## B. Develop and evaluate a very simple particle model of light, to analyze the concept of a scientific model.

1. The student will develop the technique of scientific model building and testing.
2. The student will make inferences from the model and explore them (i. e., Existence of light pressure and the association of heat with absorption).
3. The student will conclude that the particle model does not account for "partial" refraction and "partial" reflection on surface of refractive material nor the property of diffraction, nor the variance

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of the speed of light in different refractive materials.

- C. Explore the characteristics of waves and their applicability in a model for light.
1. The student will describe and measure wave motion:
    - a. The student will explain and trace pulsed waves.
    - b. The student will discuss properties of periodic waves:
      - (1) the student will measure and compute wave length.
      - (2) the student will measure and compute frequency and period.
    - c. The student will discover the way waves are reflected and transmitted between two different mediums.
    - d. The student will draw by using super position the displacement of two crossing pulses at any given time.
  2. The student will recognize by using ripple tank the phenomena associated with wave propagation in a plane, and realize the close similarity between behavior of water waves to that of light:
    - a. The student will observe reflection.
    - b. The student will observe refraction.
    - c. The student will observe dispersion.
    - d. The student will observe diffraction.
    - e. The student will establish that speed of propagation, the wave length, and the period are related by the equation velocity = wave length x frequency ( $V = \lambda f$ ).
    - f. The student will verify Snell's Law relative to wave motion.
  3. The student will observe and explain interference:
    - a. The student will observe and explain interference of waves generated by two point sources in a ripple tank:
      - (1) the student will observe shape of nodal lines.
      - (2) the student will relate wave length, source separation, and angles.
      - (3) the student will observe and measure phase delay.
    - b. The student will observe and explain interference of light:
      - (1) the student will perform Young's double slit experiment.
      - (2) the student will observe interference of thin films.
      - (3) the student will determine wave length from interference effects.
      - (4) the student will relate wave length with color.
  4. The student will observe and explain diffraction of light:
    - a. The student will observe and explain diffraction of light by a single slit.
    - b. The student will explain resolution.

II. Develop an understanding of mechanics.

A. Describe various aspects of Kinematics Motion.

1. The student will use proper measuring techniques and accuracy.
  - a. The student will express measurements through significant figures.
  - b. The student will perform computations with significant measurements.
  - c. The student will compute percentage of error.
  - d. The student will differentiate between scalar and vector quantities.
2. The student will describe and perform measurements of motion along a straightline path:
  - a. The student will establish position and measure displacements.

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- b. The student will define and measure velocity.
  - c. The student will recognize that the area under a graph of velocity vs time is equal to displacement for both constant and varying velocities.
  - d. The student will construct graphs of position vs time and relate instantaneous velocity to the slope of such a graph.
  - e. The student will define and measure acceleration.
  - f. The student will recognize that the slope of a velocity time graph is instantaneous acceleration.
3. The student will describe and perform measurements of motion in space:
- a. The student will apply vectors in representing and describing spacial motion and develop computational skills in vectors.
  - b. The student will recognize that acceleration results whenever velocity changes either in magnitude or in direction or both.
  - c. The student will discuss the limitations of Newtonian Kinematics relative to high speeds.
  - d. The student will discuss Kinematic descriptions dependence upon the choice of the frame of reference.

B. Explore dynamics.

- 1. The student will derive and apply Newton's Laws of Motions:
  - a. The student will develop and use Newton's First Law of Motion.
  - b. The student will develop and use Newton's Second Law of Motion:
    - (1) the student will show through experiments that with a constant mass and a constant force that  $\Delta v \propto \Delta t$ .  
Changes in velocity varies direct with change in time.
    - (2) the student will show through experiments that with a constant mass and a constant time  $\Delta v \propto F$ . Change in velocity varies directly with change in force.
    - (3) The student will show through experiments the proportionality between inertial and gravitational mass.
    - (4) The student will establish experimentally that forces add as vectors.
  - c. The student will develop and use Newton's Third Law of Motion.
- 2. The student will apply Newton's laws to motion at the earth's surface:
  - a. The student will discuss and measure free falling objects motion:
    - (1) the student will differentiate between weight and mass.
    - (2) the student will discuss terminal velocity.
  - b. The student will discuss and measure projective motion.
  - c. The student will discuss and measure circular motion:
    - (1) the student will discuss centripetal force and centrifugal force.
    - (2) the student will explain relation between angular speed and transentional speed.
  - d. The student will explain relation between simple harmonic motion.
- 3. The student will discuss Universal Gravitation and the Solar System:
  - a. The student will discuss the historical development of a model for the solar system.
  - b. The student will recognize that in dynamics the frame of reference is chosen from a logical viewpoint and is not arbitrary.
  - c. The student will discuss Newton's Law of Universal Gravitation and its limitations.
- 4. The student will discuss Momentum and Impulse:
  - a. The student will derive from Newton's Second Law the concepts of momentum and impulse and be able to apply them.
  - b. The student will demonstrate through experimentation the Law of Conservation of Momentum between interacting bodies.

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- c. The student will apply the Law of Conservation of Momentum to problem solving.
5. The student will discuss Work and Kinetic Energy:
  - a. The student will define the scientific concept of work and apply this definition to problem solving.
  - b. The student will define Kinetic Energy and apply this definition to problem solving.
  - c. The student will apply the Law of Conservation of Kinetic Energy in Elastic Collision to problem solving.
  - d. The student will recognize losses in Kinetic Energy due to frictional interaction.
6. The student will discuss Potential Energy:
  - a. The student will explain that the disappearance of Kinetic Energy in an elastic collision is merely stored or potential energy.
  - b. The student will expand the potential energy concept to that of the Earth's Gravitational Field.
  - c. The student will develop the principle of Conservation of Mechanical Energy for systems with extremely small fractional interactions.
7. The student will discuss Heat and Molecular Motion:
  - a. The student will discuss the motion of the molecules of a perfect gas leading to development of the thermal energy concept.
  - b. The student will compare and contrast the energy of bulk motion to that of the random molecular Kinetic Energy.
  - c. The student will establish the mechanical equivalent of heat energy.
  - d. The student will through calorimetry experiments measure heat capacities and specific heats.
  - e. The student will discuss methods of heat transfer (conduction and radiation).

### III. Develop an understanding of electricity.

**Objective:** The student will explore electricity and magnetism from the standpoint of matter and to develop some fundamental laws of electricity.

- A. Discuss some qualitative facts about electricity.
  1. The student will observe that there are two kinds of charge.
  2. The student will discuss and perform charging by contact and induction.
  3. The student will use equipment to detect the kinds of charge.
  4. The student will conclude through experimentation that charge in nature is carried by subatomic electrical particles within gases, solutions, and metals.
  5. The student will explain thermionic emission and its use in diodes, electron guns and oscilloscopes.
- B. Discuss Coulomb's Law and the elementary electric charge.
  1. The student will develop Coulomb's Law through experimentation.
  2. The student will measure the charge of an electron - Millikan's Oil drop experiment.
  3. The student will summarize and verify basic facts about electric forces on charged objects between parallel metallic plates (capacitor).
- C. Discuss energy and Motion of charges in electric fields.

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1. The student will apply knowledge gained about energies and electric force fields to determine the mass of an electron and a proton.
2. The student will define and measure electric currents.
3. The student will define and measure the EMF of a battery.
4. The student will define an electric field and measure its intensity.
5. The student will define and measure the electrical potential difference.

D. Discuss Electric Circuits.

1. The student will apply the concepts of electric field and electric potential difference to open and closed circuits.
2. The student will develop and apply Ohm's Law.
3. The student will conclude that in any circuit the sum of the potential differences equals the applied EMF.

E. Discuss Magnetic Field.

1. The student will use compass needle to sense direction and existence of magnetic field.
2. The student will describe the two main sources of magnetic fields (i.e., permanent magnets and electric currents).
3. The student will show through experimentation that magnetic fields add vectorially.
4. The student will use the right-hand rule to establish the mutual perpendicularity of I, B, and F. (I = current; B = field, and F = force).
5. The student will describe the parts and operation of a D.C. motor.
6. The student will describe how magnetic fields can be used to measure the masses of charged particles.

F. Discuss Electromagnetic Induction and Waves.

1. The student will observe that current is induced in a wire loop when there is motion perpendicular to the magnetic field.
2. The student will discuss the wide variety of electromagnetic waves.

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REVISION

At your grade level:

1. Do the concepts listed correspond to the interests of the students? If not, why? If so, how?
2. Are the concepts suited to the maturity level and abilities of the students? If not, what do you suggest?
3. Are you able to correlate the science curriculum with other curriculum areas: e.g., language arts, social studies, math, etc. If so, how?
4. Are the hahavioral sub-concepts helpful in developing the main concepts? If not, list those that need revision.
5. Is the content in the various areas too great to be covered in the allotted time? If so, what would you delete?
6. List those resources that you found helpful in developing the concepts.
7. List those resources that you feel could be omitted from the resource list and tell why.
8. List the new source you have found that have been helpful in developing the units.
9. If you have found sources under the wrong heading, list them in the category you feel they belong.
10. Check those teaching techniques that you are using and list any others that you find useful:
  - Lecture - exposition on the part of the teacher.
  - Discussion - exposition on the part of the teacher and/or the student.
  - Experimentation - an activity designed to discover, test, or illustrate some concept.
  - Incidental discovery - happening without regularity or design.
  - Inquiry - teacher poses a problem in such a manner that students must find appropriate raw data and reason out a conclusion.
11. List other suggestions for improving the Science curriculum.

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APPENDIX A

SURVEYING FORT BENTON'S SCIENCE EFFORTS

Those staff members responsible for any portion of the Science program were asked to respond to the attached survey instrument. The instrument is short and is composed of three parts. Each instructor was to indicate (1) the nature of the science offerings at their level of instruction; (2) what the instructor considered the strengths of that offering; and (3) what the instructor considered the weaknesses of that offering.

The feedback obtained from this instrument is summarized as follows:

1. Fort Benton's past areas of emphasis were:

- K - Living things, Earth, Sky, and Forms of Energy.
- 1 - Energy, Matter, Weather, Planets, Human Growth, Animals, Plants, Ecology.
- 2 - Molecules, Sound, Light, Animals, Plants, Nutrition.
- 3 - Energy, Matter and Life
- 4 - Sound, Light, Matter, Living Things, Change
- 5 - Energy, Matter, Life, Change.
- 6 - Environment, Energy, Heredity, Interdependence.
- 7 - Life Science.
- 8 - Physical Science.
- 9 - Earth Science
- 10 - Biology
- 11 - Chemistry
- 11 or 12 - Physics
- 11 or 12 - Advanced Biology

2. Strengths:

- a. Program is quite flexible.
- b. There are some real areas of interest for students.
- c. Classroom laboratories are good.
- d. Sequence seems to be working quite well.
- e. A great deal of "doing" and involvement are necessary.
- f. Program lends itself to the inquiry approach which is felt to be of value.
- g. Field trips are valuable.

3. Weaknesses:

- a. Lack of materials.
- b. Need more field work.
- c. Need for A-V materials.
- d. Too much content to cover in too short a time.

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SCHOOL SYSTEM SELF SURVEY

This survey is being distributed to those members of our staff responsible for any portion of our Science program. Each teacher is asked to reply to all the statements.

Teacher's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_

I. What is the Nature of the Science Offering presently at your grade level? (i.e., what themes, concepts, ideas, etc. do you teach with reference to Science during the course of the year?)

a) Major Themes or Topics

b) Units

c) Concepts

d) Others

Comments:

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II. What do you consider to be the strengths of this offering?

III. What do you consider to be the weaknesses of this offering?

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APPENDIX B  
CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT SURVEY

Various college professors, learning laboratory representatives and State Department representatives were asked to respond to the attached instrument. The purpose was to obtain informative data in the English (Language Arts), Math, Science and Vo-Tech Curriculum areas. The instrument was designed to consider two major areas: (1) General information concerning the individual and agency that individual represented and (2) Specific curriculum information.

Thirty-one questionnaires were distributed; fourteen were returned. The following is an attempt to summarize the information:

It appears as if very few schools in the state are known to be developing curriculum guides at this time. Even though it was felt that many schools are beginning to do "something" in the realm of curriculum, the survey respondents did not for the most part indicate recommended places to visit. Of the programs and schools mentioned as doing "something" in curriculum, it appeared that all had a tendency to be striving toward some form of individualization in those curriculum areas they were concentrating on.

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CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

This survey instrument is being circulated among college professors, learning laboratory representatives and State Department representatives. The purpose is to obtain informative data in the English (Language Arts), Math, Science and Vo-Tech Curriculum areas. Your reply to this instrument will be greatly appreciated. Results will be sent to you upon request. A return, self-addressed envelope has been enclosed your convenience.

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Name of Institution or Agency you represent \_\_\_\_\_
2. Describe the lines of communication you have with the local school districts in regard to curriculum development.

3. How many schools do you personally contact during the course of the \_\_\_\_\_ year concerning curriculum development and improvement?

4. What is basically the area of concentration that you become involved with in your work with local school districts?





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APPENDIX C

SURVEYING CURRENT PRACTICES IN SCIENCE

Various teachers and administrators were asked to respond to the attached questionnaire. The purpose was to obtain informative data concerning current practices in the Science Curriculum in the State of Montana. The questionnaire was designed to consider three major areas: (1) General information concerning the school district; (2) Organization of the program; and (3) Nature of the offerings.

Twelve questionnaires were distributed; six were returned. The following information was obtained:

Most schools indicated that their basis for their science programs were their textbooks. All indicated a desire to instill in their students a knowledge of the scientific method of investigation. Many schools are experimenting with a more independent or individualized approach to their science programs. All of the schools replying gave the impression that they were more satisfied with their science programs than with many other areas of their total school curriculums.

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## SCIENCE SURVEY

This survey instrument is being circulated among school administrators and classroom teachers. The purpose is to obtain informative data in the Science Curriculum area in order to assist in the development of a Vertical Science Curriculum Outline. Your reply to this instrument will be greatly appreciated. Results will be sent to you upon request. A return, self-addressed envelope has been enclosed for your convenience.

## I. GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Name of School System \_\_\_\_\_
2. Superintendent's Name \_\_\_\_\_
3. Number of Students in System \_\_\_\_\_
4. Approximately what per cent of the Instructional budget is spent in the area of Science? \_\_\_\_\_ Dollar Amount? \_\_\_\_\_
5. Is there a district supervisor in Science? \_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no
6. Is there a district curriculum guide provided in Science? \_\_\_\_\_ yes  
\_\_\_\_\_ no
7. How many members are on the total instructional staff? \_\_\_\_\_
8. Are there any well-established lines of communication between elementary and secondary Science teachers? \_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no
9. Is there a Department Head? \_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no
10. Comments:

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II. ORGANIZATION

1. Is a sequential science program provided? \_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no
2. Does the Science Department K-12 have a written statement of its objectives? \_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no
3. To what extent do the time allotments for science courses satisfactorily meet instruction needs?
4. Are individual instruction or special classes available to any student who may have a need?
5. To what extent does the variety of offerings meet the needs of all students?

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III. NATURE OF OFFERINGS

1. What knowledges, skills and understandings are developed at each grade or each level of achievement?

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2. What offerings should be provided that are not included in the present programs?

3. To what extent does the content of offerings meet the science needs of the students?

4. How much emphasis is given to the science curriculum in comparison to other major curriculums?

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## APPENDIX D

## Reference Materials

The following reference material was researched in an attempt to make this effort as dependable as possible. It was found that no one source provided us with the exact formula for our task. However, in searching through this reference material, we were able to develop a curriculum outline we feel fits the needs of the students of Fort Benton.

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