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Elevate Science Grade 3, ©2019



To the Next Generation Science Standards DCI (Disciplinary Code Idea) Arrangement



Introduction

The following document demonstrates how the *Elevate Science*, ©*2019* program supports the Next Generation Science Standards, Grade 3. For each standard, correlation references are to the Student Edition and Teacher Edition where applicable.

Elevate Science is a comprehensive K-5 science program that focuses on active, student-centered learning. It builds students' critical thinking, questioning, and collaboration skills, and fuels interest in STEM and creative problem solving while supporting literacy development for elementary-age learners. Developed to support Next Generation Science Standards (NGSS), *Elevate Science* integrates three dimensional learning of the Scientific and Engineering Practices, Crosscutting Concepts (CCC), and Disciplinary Core Ideas (DCIs).

The *Elevate Science* blended print and digital curriculum engages students in phenomena-based inquiry and hands-on investigations.

- Problem-based learning Quests put students on a journey of discovery
- Engineering-focused features infuse STEM learning
- Coding and innovation engage students and build 21st century skills

The Teacher's Edition of *Elevate Science* helps elementary educators teach science with confidence: Scaffolding, ELD, differentiated instruction, and an instructional organization based upon the 5E learning model, (Engage, Explore, Explain, Extend/Elaborate, Evaluate), provide all the support needed for successful teaching practices. Professional development offers point-of-use support. A full-view approach to inquiry and testing provides new options for a variety of hands-on labs and assessments for three-dimensional learning.

Elevate Science prepares students for the challenges of tomorrow, building strong reasoning skills and critical thinking strategies as they engage in explorations, formulate claims, and gather and analyze data that promote evidence-based argument. Designed for today's classroom, preparing students for tomorrow's world. *Elevate Science* promises to:

- Elevate thinking.
- Elevate learning.
- Elevate teaching.

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3-PS2 Motion and Stability: Forces and	
Interactions	
Performance Expectation 3-PS2-1	
Plan and conduct an investigation to provide	SE/IE: 2-3, 4, 31, 35, 39, 40-41, 57, 67 TE only: 1d, 245, 245
unbalanced forces on the motion of an object	TE OIIIy. 10, 24a, 34a
Clarification Statement Examples could	
include an unbalanced force on one side of a	
ball can make it start moving; and, balanced	
forces pushing on a box from both sides will	
not produce any motion at all.	
Assessment Boundary Assessment is limited	
to one variable at a time: number, size, or	
direction of forces. Assessment does not	
include quantitative force size, only qualitative	
and relative. Assessment is limited to gravity	
down	
Disciplinary Core Ideas	
PS2.A: Forces and Motion	SE/TE: 12, 25, 30, 38
Each force acts on one particular object and has	
both strength and a direction. An object at rest	
typically has multiple forces acting on it, but	
they add to give zero net force on the object.	
Forces that do not sum to zero can cause	
motion	
PS2.B: Types of Interactions	SE/TE: 27
Objects in contact exert forces on each other.	TE only: 6a, 24a, 34a

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Science and Engineering Practices	
 Planning and Carrying Out Investigations. Plan and conduct an investigation collaboratively to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence, using fair tests in which variables are controlled and the number of trials considered. Scientific Investigations Use a Variety of Methods Science investigations use a variety of methods, tools, and techniques. 	SE/TE: 4, 91 TE only: 6a, 24a, 34a, 294-295, EM12-EM13
Crosscutting Concepts	
Cause and Effect relationships are routinely identified.	TE only: 6a, 24a, 34a

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Performance Expectation 3-PS2-2	
Make observations and/or measurements of an	SE/TE: 4, 7, 17, 18, 20–21
object's motion to provide evidence that a	TE only: 1d, 16a, 24a
pattern can be used to predict future motion.	
Clarification Statement Examples of motion	
with a predictable pattern could include a child	
swinging in a swing, a ball rolling back and forth	
Assessment Boundary Assessment does not	
include technical terms such as period and	
frequency.	
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Disciplinary Core Ideas	
PS2.A: Forces and Motion	SE/TE: 8, 10–11, 17, 18, 20-21, 24, 25, 26, 32, 48–
The patterns of an object's motion in various	49
situations can be observed and measured;	TE only: 16a
when that past motion exhibits a regular	
pattern, future motion can be predicted from it.	
Science and Engineering Practices	
Planning and Carrying Out Investigations	SE/TE: 40–41, 48–49, 91, 111, 116–117, EMS5,
Make observations and/or measurements to	EMS7
produce data to serve as the basis for evidence	TE only: 16a, 294-295, EM12-EM13
for an explanation of a phenomenon or test a	
design solution.	
Science Knowledge is Based on Empirical	SE/TE: 135
Evidence	
Science findings are based on recognizing	
patterns.	
Crosscutting Concepts	CE/TE • 7
Patterns of change can be used to make	TE only: 16a
predictions	

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Performance Expectation 3-PS2-3	
Ask questions to determine cause and effect relationships of electric or magnetic inter- actions between two objects not in contact with each other. Clarification Statement Examples of an electric force could include the force on hair from an electrically charged balloon and the electrical forces between a charged rod and pieces of paper; examples of a magnetic force could include the force between two permanent magnets, the force between an electromagnet and steel paperclips, and the force exerted by one magnet versus the force exerted by two magnets. Examples of cause and effect relationships could include how the distance between objects affects strength of the force and how the orientation of magnets affects the direction of the magnetic force.] Assessment Boundary Assessment is limited to forces produced by objects that can be manipulated by students, and electrical interactions are limited to static electricity.	SE/TE: 54, 72–73, 74–75, 82–83 TE only: 50d, 56a, 66a, 74-75
Disciplinary Core Ideas	
FS2.B: Types of Interactions Electric, and magnetic forces between a pair of objects do not require that the objects be in contact. The sizes of the forces in each situation depend on the properties of the objects and their distances apart and, for forces between two magnets, on their orientation relative to each other.	SE/TE: 6, 28–29, 54, 57, 59, 62, 64, 70, 82–83 TE only: 24a, 34a, 56a
Science and Engineering Practices	
Asking Questions and Defining Problems Ask questions that can be investigated based on patterns such as cause and effect relationships.	TE only: 56a, 66a, 294-295, EM10-EM11

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Crosscutting Concepts	
Cause and Effect	SE/TE: 70, 235
Cause and effect relationships are routinely	TE only: 56a, 66a
identified, tested, and used to explain change.	
Performance Expectation 3-PS2-4	
Define a simple design problem that can be	SE/TE : 72–73 74–75 82–83
solved by applying scientific ideas about	TE only: 50d, 66a, 74-75
magnets.	
Clarification Statement Examples of	
problems could include constructing a latch to	
keep a door shut and creating a device to keep	
two moving objects from touching each other.	
Disciplinary Core Ideas	
PS2 B: Types of Interactions	TE only: 66a
Electric, and magnetic forces between a pair of	
objects do not require that the objects be in	
contact. The sizes of the forces in each situation	
depend on the properties of the objects and	
their distances apart and, for forces between	
two magnets, on their orientation relative to	
each other.	
Science and Engineering Practices	
Asking Questions and Defining Problems	SE/TE: 57, 67, 72–73, 276–277
Define a simple problem that can be solved	TE only: 66a, EM10-EM11
through the development of a new or improved	
object or tool.	
Crosscutting Concepts	
Interdependence of Science, Engineering.	SE/TE: 116–117
and Technology	
Scientific discoveries about the natural world	
can often lead to new and improved	
technologies, which are developed through the	
engineering design process.	

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3-LS1 From Molecules to Organisms:	
Structure and Processes	
Performance Expectation 3-LS1-1	CE/TE , 17E, 100, 101, 100
have unique and diverse life cycles but all have	TE only: 168d, 174a
in common birth, growth, reproduction, and death	
Clarification Statement Changes organisms	
go through during their life form a pattern.	
Assessment Boundary Assessment of plant	
life cycles is limited to those of flowering plants.	
Assessment does not include details of human	
reproduction	
Disciplinary Core Ideas	
LS1.B: Growth and Development of	TE only: 174a
Organisms	
Reproduction is essential to the continued	
existence of every kind of organism. Plants and	
animals have unique and diverse life cycles.	
Science and Engineering Practices	
Developing and Using Models	SE/TE: 250–251, 259
Develop models to describe phenomena.	TE only: 174a, EM6-EM7, EM12-EM13
Scientific Knowledge is Based on Empirical	SE/TE: 135
Science findings are based on recognizing	
patterns.	
Crosscutting Concepts	
Patterns	SE/TE: 7, 17, 21
Patterns of change can be used to make	TE only: 174a
predictions.	