

# Life Science

## Life Science Curriculum Overview

Life Science students are exposed to the underlying concepts of both Biology and Ecology. In addition to learning about the cellular structure of organisms, they learn how organisms are classified and how they change and relate to each other. In their experiments, they organize and analyze data, manipulate variables, and identify sources of error.

## Adopted Instructional Resources

The primary text for the Life Science course is *Life Science* (2002 Edition) published by Glencoe/McGraw-Hill. Visit the free [companion web site](#) for additional instructional support materials and information. In addition, the publisher offers a [Virginia SOL correlation](#) site and a [lesson plan](#) site.

Students who need additional support may also use *Life Science* (Concepts and Challenges Series) published by Globe-Fearon. This book is designed to present grade level appropriate content at a lower reading level (minus 2-3 grade levels). Globe-Fearon also maintains a free [companion web site for students](#) and a [Virginia SOL correlation](#) for this textbook.