

Standards-Based Education Essential Standards

Fifth Grade	
Life Science Practices and Concepts	
5.LS1-1	Support an argument that plants get the materials they need for growth chiefly from air and water.
5.LS2-1	Develop a model to describe the movement of matter among plants, animals, decomposers, and the environment.
Earth and Space Science Practices and Concepts	
5.ESS1-2	Represent data in graphical displays to reveal patterns of daily changes in the length and direction of shadows, day and night, and the seasonal appearance of some stars in the night sky.
5.ESS2-1	Develop a model using an example to describe ways in which the geosphere, biosphere, hydrosphere, and/or atmosphere interact.
5.ESS2-2	Describe and graph the amounts and percentages of water and fresh water in various reservoirs to provide evidence about the distribution of water on Earth.
Physical Science Practices and Concepts	
5.PS3-1	Use models to describe that energy in animals' food (used for body repair, growth, motion, and to maintain body warmth) was once energy from the sun.
5.PS1-1	Develop a model to describe that matter is made of particles too small to be seen.
5.PS1-2	Measure and Graph quantities to provide evidence that regardless of the type of change that occurs when heating, cooling, or mixing substances, the total weight of matter is conserved.
Engineering and Application	
3-5.ETS1-1	Define a simple design problem reflecting a need or a want that includes specified criteria for success and constraints on materials, time, or cost.
3-5.ETS1-2	Generate and compare multiple possible solutions to a problem based on how well each is likely to meet the criteria and constraints of the problem.
3-5.ETS1-3	Plan and carry out fair tests in which variables are controlled and failure points are considered to identify aspects of a model or prototype that can be improved.