



Oxford City Schools

# Proficiency Scale

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**GRADE LEVEL: Kindergarten COURSE NAME: Science**  
**MEASUREMENT TOPIC: Observe, Record, and Describe Weather**

<b>4</b>	In addition to Score 3, the student makes in-depth inferences and applications. <b>The student can:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Analyze and critique devices in order to make improvements.</li></ul>
<b>3</b>	<b>The student can:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Obtain, evaluate, and communicate information about using weather forecasts to make plans and prepare for severe weather (10)</b></li><li><b>Communicate local weather patterns over a period of time.(9)</b></li><li><b>Design, construct, and test a device to reduce the effects of sunlight. (8)</b></li></ul>
<b>2</b>	The student can: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Observe and record local weather patterns over a period of time.(9)</b></li><li><b>Make observations and describe the effects of sunlight on Earth's surface. (7)</b></li></ul>
<b>1</b>	With help, a partial understanding of some of the simpler details and processes and some of the more complex ideas and processes.

**Key Vocabulary:** weather, observe, record, pattern, forecast, cause/effect, temperature, severe