

7th Grade Science Syllabus
2025–2026 School Year
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Course Overview

Welcome to 7th Grade Science! Using the Savvas Elevate Science curriculum, students will study life and physical science through inquiry-based labs, collaborative investigations, and real-world applications.

Units of Study

- 1. Topic 1: Introduction to Matter**
- 2. Topic 2: Solids, Liquids, and Gases**
- 3. Topic 3: Chemical Reactions**
- 4. Topic 4: Living Things in the Biosphere**
- 5. Topic 5: Cells**
- 6. Topic 6: Body Systems**
- 7. Topic 7: Reproduction, Growth, and Development**
- 8. Topic 8: Genes and Heredity**
- 9. Topic 9: Matter and Energy in Ecosystems**

Course Materials

- Composition notebook**
- Pencils, erasers, colored pencils**
- 1.5 inch binder**
- Chromebook**

Textbook: Savvas Elevate Science

Instructional Material Review: Giles County Schools will make instructional materials available for review within 10 days of a written parental request.

Grading Policy

Tests	40%
Labs	20%
Daily Classwork	20%
Quizzes	20%

- Study guides provided before all tests
- Late work accepted up to 5 school days late (with possible point deduction)
- Retakes permitted after completing review or corrections
- Grades updated weekly via ParentVUE

Giles County Grading Scale:

A	90–100
B	80–89
C	70–79
D	60–69
F	59 and below

Classroom Policies

- Behavior: Follow district/school code of conduct
- Attendance: Be punctual and consistent
- Technology: Cell phones must be ****off**** and stored in classroom pouches or lockers at all times
- Food/Drink: No food or drink allowed in class, except water in a clear container only

Make-Up Work Policy

- **Students have **5 school days** to submit missed assignments after excused absences**
- **Alternate assignments may be provided for missed labs**

Student Responsibilities

- **Participate actively**
- **Meet deadlines**
- **Maintain academic integrity**
- **Seek help when needed**

Resources and Support

- **Savvas Realize (login provided by school)**
- **Google Classroom (codes provided in class)**
- **School email**

Acknowledgment of Syllabus

We have read and understand the expectations, grading policies, and classroom procedures for 7th Grade Science during the 2025–2026 school year.

Student Name (print): _____

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Name (print): _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____