



NORTH KANSAS CITY SCHOOLS

DISTRICT PROFICIENCY SCALE**Unit One: Cells****Content/Grade Level: 7th Grade Science**

Standard: LS1.A.1 Provide evidence that organisms (unicellular and multicellular) are made of cells and that a single cell must carry out all the basic functions of life.

Proficient	4	Independently met the learning target for the concept or skill being taught. The student exhibits no major errors or omissions.
		The student can <u>provide evidence</u> that organisms (unicellular and multicellular) are made of cells and that a single cell must carry out all the basic functions of life.
Nearing Proficient	3	Demonstrates understanding of most concepts or skills; however, errors or omissions are evident.
Developing	2	Demonstrates understanding of simpler concepts or skills; however major errors or omissions are evident.
		The student can understand and perform the basic processes such as: <i>Living vs. Nonliving</i> • Compare living and nonliving things at a microscopic level. • Describe the purpose of the cell in living things. • Identify the characteristics of living things. • Observe that cells can be seen at one scale and not at another scale (CCC).
Not Yet	1	Even with help, limited understanding of skill demonstrated.
	0	No evidence

The student will recognize or recall specific vocabulary: cell, unicellular, multicellular, living, non-living, microscopic, microscope, magnification, organism.