

3rd Grade Science Year at a Glance 2026-2027

1st Nine Weeks (August 12 - October 8, 2026)

Date	Days	Unit	TEKS
AUG.12-20	7	Safety and Scientific Practices Unit	3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4
AUG.21 - SEPT.4	11	Space Unit (TEKS 3.9)	3.9.A, 3.9.B
SEPTEMBER 8 - OCTOBER 8	23	Processes on Earth Unit (TEKS 3.10)	3.10.A, 3.10.B, 3.10.C

2nd Nine Weeks (October 19 - December 18, 2026)

Date	Days	Unit	TEKS
OCTOBER 19 - 22	4	Processes on Earth Unit (TEKS 3.10)	3.10.A, 3.10.B, 3.10.C
OCTOBER 23 - NOVEMBER 10	12	Resources Unit (TEKS 3.11)	3.11.A, 3.11.B, 3.11.C
NOVEMBER 11 - DECEMBER 18	23	Matter Unit (TEKS 3.6)	3.6.A, 3.6.B, 3.6.C, 3.6.D

3rd Nine Weeks (January 5 - March 11, 2027)

Date	Days	Unit	TEKS
JAN. 5-12	6	Matter Unit (TEKS 3.6)	3.6.A, 3.6.B, 3.6.C, 3.6.D
JAN. 13 - FEB 3	15	Force and Motion Unit (TEKS 3.7)	3.7.A, 3.7.B
FEBRUARY 4 - 24	14	Energy Unit (TEKS 3.8)	3.8.A, 3.8.B
FEBRUARY 25 - MARCH 11	11	Patterns and Cycles in Environments Unit (TEKS 3.12)	3.12.A, 3.12.B, 3.12.C, 3.12.D

4th Nine Weeks (March 22 - May 27, 2027)

Date	Days	Unit	TEKS
MARCH 22 - APRIL 15	18	Patterns and Cycles in Environments Unit (TEKS 3.12)	3.12.A , 3.12.B , 3.12.C , 3.12.D
APRIL 16 - MAY 11	17	Life Cycles and Body Parts Unit (TEKS 3.13)	3.13.A , 3.13.B
MAY 12-27	12	End of the Year Unit	3.1-3.4 , 3.5

Grade 3 Science Assessments at a Glance

DPM 1: October 6-7

DPM 2: December 1-2

DPM 3: February 9-10

DPM 4: May 19-20