

Georgia Performance Standards Curriculum Map for Science Third Grade

This curriculum map reflects a schedule that alternates science and social studies instruction. The times are approximate and can be adjusted; however, the sequence of instruction should not be altered. Teachers should adhere to the guide as closely as possible and notify the Department of Student Learning of any concerns or suggestions for improvement.

1 st 9 weeks		2 nd 9 weeks		3 rd 9 weeks		4 th 9 weeks	
<u><i>Unit 1</i></u> Introduction to Science <u>Habits and Nature of Science</u> 1 week <u><i>Unit 2</i></u> Life Science <u>Habitats of Georgia</u> 5 weeks		<u><i>Unit 3</i></u> Earth Science <u>Rocks, Soils, and Fossils</u> 5 weeks		<u><i>Unit 4</i></u> Physical Science <u>Magnets</u> 2 weeks <u><i>Unit 5</i></u> Physical Science <u>Heat Energy</u> 3 weeks		<u><i>Unit 6</i></u> Life Science <u>Interdependence of Man</u> 2-3 weeks	
Unit 1 S3CS1-8	Unit 2 S3L1a-d S3L2a	Unit 3 S3E1a-d S3E2a,b		Unit 4 S3P2a,b	Unit 5 S3P1a-d	Unit 6 S3L2b	
Ongoing Standards	Habits of Mind, Nature of Science						