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# Forces and Interactions

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.3.1

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Plan and conduct an investigation to provide evidence of the effects of balanced and unbalanced forces on the motion of an object.**

### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 49, 51, 86, 99, 101, 104, 113-119, 122, 135, 204, 250

**EA:** Performance Assessment, IG p. 106 (Step 6)

**EA:** Response Sheet, IG p. 107, SNM No. 3

**BM:** pp. 4-5 (Item 3), pp. 10-11 (Item 7), pp. 22-23 (Item 3ab), pp. 24-25 (Item 4ab), pp. 30-31 (Item 1abc)

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Planning and Carrying Out Investigations

Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to include investigations that control variables and provide evidence to support explanations or design solutions.

- Plan and conduct an investigation collaboratively to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence, using fair tests in which variables are controlled and the number of trials considered.

#### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 80, 85, 105, 124, 129, 151, 154, 200

**SNM:** No. 8

**TR:** pp. C14-C17, C38-C39

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### PS2.A: Forces and Motion

- Each force acts on one particular object and has both strength and a direction. An object at rest typically has multiple forces acting on it, but they add to give zero net force on the object. Forces that do not sum to zero can cause changes in the object's speed or direction of motion. (Boundary: Qualitative and conceptual, but not quantitative addition of forces are used at this level.)

#### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 79, 81, 83, 84-85, 87, 116 (Step 7), 117-118 (Steps 9-11), 119, 126-128, 129, 131, 166

**SRB:** pp. 3, 10-15,

**DOR:** All about Motion and Balance

#### PS2.B: Types of Interactions

- Objects in contact exert forces on each other. (3-PS2-1)

#### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 84-85, 87, 116 (Step 7), 117-118 (Steps 9-11), 119

**SRB:** pp. 3-7

**DOR:** All about Motion and Balance

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Cause and Effect

- Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified.

#### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 86, 97, 99, 101, 109, 114, 137, 138, 144, 157, 165

**TR:** pp. D9-D11, D28-D29

## Connections to Nature of Science

Scientific investigations use a variety of methods to address questions about the natural and material world.

- Science investigations use a variety of methods, tools, and techniques. (3-PS2-1)

### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 104-106, 136-138, 153-154, 162-163, 182-184, 190-193, 227-229

**SRB:** pp. 8-9

**SNM:** No. 1

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## Standard S.3.2

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Make observations and/or measurements of an object's motion to provide evidence that a pattern can be used to predict future motion.**

### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 49, 51, 53, 87, 106-108, 131, 136-139, 146, 150-157, 164, 179

**EA:** Performance Assessment, IG p. 155 (Step 13)

**EA:** Notebook Entry, IG p. 139 (Step 17)

**EA:** Response Sheet, IG p. 145, SNM Nos. 6-7

**BM:** pp. 4-5 (Item 2), pp. 8-9 (Item 6ab), pp. 32-33 (Item 2), pp. 34-35 (Item 3ab), pp. 36-37 (Item 4ab), pp. 38-39 (Item 5)

**IA:** Physical Science Task 1—Swings

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Planning and Carrying Out Investigations

Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to include investigations that control variables and provide evidence to support explanations or design solutions.

- Make observations and/or measurements to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence for an explanation of a phenomenon or test a design solution.

#### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 80, 85, 96, 124, 129, 136, 143

**TR:** pp. C14-C17, C38-C39

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### PS2.A: Forces and Motion

- The patterns of an object's motion in various situations can be observed and measured; when that past motion exhibits a regular pattern, future motion can be predicted from it. (Boundary: Technical terms, such as magnitude, velocity, momentum, and vector quantity, are not introduced at this level, but the concept that some quantities need both size and direction to be described is developed.)

#### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 123, 125, 126-127, 129, 131, 136 (Step 7), 142 (Step 4), 147 (Step 16), 154 (Steps 9-12), 166

**SRB:** pp. 16-21

**DOR:** "Roller Coaster Builder"

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Patterns

- Patterns of change can be used to make predictions.

#### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 86, 106 (Step 4d), 143, 145, 146, 151

**TR:** pp. D5-D8, D28-D29

## Connections to Nature of Science

Scientific knowledge is obtained through a combination of observations of the natural world and inferences based on those observations.

- Science findings are based on recognizing patterns. (3-PS2-2)

### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 138 (Step 13), 144 (Step 12), 202 (Step 11)

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## Standard S.3.3

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Ask questions to determine cause and effect relationships of electric or magnetic interactions between two objects not in contact with each other.**

### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 49, 51, 87, 94-101, 105-109, 113-119, 208-210

**EA:** Notebook Entry, IG p. 99 (Step 14)

**EA:** Performance Assessment, IG p. 200 (Step 6)

**BM:** pp. 2-3 (Item 1abc), pp. 18-19 (Item 1ab), pp. 20-21 (Item 2), pp. 26-27 (Item 5), pp. 28-29 (Item 6)

**IA:** Physical Science Task 1—Swings

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Asking Questions and Defining Problems

Asking questions and defining problems in grades 3–5 builds on grades K–2 experiences and progresses to specifying qualitative relationships.

- Ask questions that can be investigated based on patterns such as cause and effect relationships.

#### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 79, 80, 85, 94, 105, 108

**SNM:** No. 2

**TR:** pp. C7-C10, C34-C35

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### PS2.B: Types of Interactions

- Electric, and magnetic forces between a pair of objects do not require that the objects be in contact. The sizes of the forces in each situation depend on the properties of the objects and their distances apart and, for forces between two magnets, on their orientation relative to each other.

#### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 79, 81, 82, 84, 87, 98-99 (Step 12), 101 (Step 17), 116 (Step 7), 119

**SRB:** pp. 3-7

**SNM:** No. 2

**DOR:** “Magnetic Poles”

All about Magnets

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Cause and Effect

- Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified, tested, and used to explain change. (3-PS2-3)

#### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 86, 97, 99, 101, 109, 114

**TR:** pp. D9-D11, D28-D29

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## Standard S.3.4

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Define a simple design problem that can be solved by applying scientific ideas about magnets. \***

### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 49, 51, 208-211

**EA:** Performance Assessment, IG p. 200 (Step 6)

**BM:** pp. 28-29 (Item 6)

**IA:** Physical Science Task 2—Toy Shed

**SRB:** pp. 42-45

## Science and Engineering Practices

### Asking Questions and Defining Problems

- Define a simple problem that can be solved through the development of a new or improved object or tool.

### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 172, 175, 176, 177, 199, 209, 211

**SRB:** pp. 42-45

**TR:** pp. C7-C10, C34-C35

## Disciplinary Core Ideas

### PS2.B: Types of Interactions

- Electric, and magnetic forces between a pair of objects do not require that the objects be in contact. The sizes of the forces in each situation depend on the properties of the objects and their distances apart and, for forces between two magnets, on their orientation relative to each other.

### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 176, 177, 210 (Steps 11-12)

**SRB:** pp. 42-45

## Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Applications of Science

Scientific investigations use a variety of methods to address questions about the natural and material world.

### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** p. 203 (Steps 13-14)

**SRB:** pp. 40-41, 42-45

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# Forces and Interactions

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.3.5

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Support an argument that the gravitational force exerted by Earth on objects is directed toward the center of the Earth.**

### FOSS Motion and Matter

**IG:** pp. 32, 42, 86, 95-101, 117-118, 122, 131, 135, 178, 202-204, 250

**EA:** Response Sheet IG: p. 107, SNM No. 3

**BM:** pp. 4-5 (Item 1b), pp. 7-8 (Item 4), pp. 16-17 (Item 8d), pp. 26-27 (Item 4a), pp. 28-29 (Item 5), pp. 32-33 (Items 1a, 1c), pp. 46-47 (Item 2a)

**SRB:** pp. 3-7, 10-15, 34-37

| Science and Engineering Practices  | Disciplinary Core Ideas   | Crosscutting Concept   |
|--|---|--|
| <p><b>Asking Questions and Defining Problems</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Define a simple problem that can be solved through the development of a new or improved object or tool.</li> </ul> <p><b>FOSS Motion and Matter</b><br/> <b>IG:</b> pp. 172, 175, 176, 177, 199, 209, 211<br/> <b>SRB:</b> pp. 42-45<br/> <b>TR:</b> pp. C7-C10, C34-C35</p> | <p><b>PS2.B: Types of Interactions</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Electric, and magnetic forces between a pair of objects do not require that the objects be in contact. The sizes of the forces in each situation depend on the properties of the objects and their distances apart and, for forces between two magnets, on their orientation relative to each other.</li> </ul> <p><b>FOSS Motion and Matter</b><br/> <b>IG:</b> pp. 176, 177, 210 (Steps 11-12)<br/> <b>SRB:</b> pp. 42-45</p> | <p><b>Cause and Effect</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cause-and-effect relationships are routinely identified and used to explain change.</li> </ul> <p><b>FOSS Motion and Matter</b><br/> <b>IG:</b> pp. 97, 99, 101, 109, 114, 144, 155, 157, 165, 200, 202, 232, 242, 275</p> |

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# Interdependent Relationships in Ecosystems

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## Standard S.3.6

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Construct an argument that some animals form groups that help members survive.**

### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 47, 51, 203, 244, 246, 249

EA: Response Sheet IG: p. 257, SNM No. 23

BM: pp. 4-5 (Items 2-3)

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Engaging in Argument from Evidence

Engaging in argument from evidence in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to critiquing the scientific explanations or solutions proposed by peers by citing relevant evidence about the natural and designed world(s).

- Construct an argument with evidence, data, and/or a model.

#### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 188, 202, 244-245, 250, 268 (Step 14), 261

TR: pp. C27-C31, C44-C45

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### LS2.D: Social Interactions and Group Behavior

- Being part of a group helps animals obtain food, defend themselves, and cope with changes. Groups may serve different functions and vary dramatically in size. (Note: Moved from K–2.)

#### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 187, 191, 246 (Step 18), 248-249 (Steps 21-22), 249 (Step 23), 272

SNM: No. 21

DOR: *All About Animal Behavior and Communication*

*Humphrey, the Last Whale: A True Story*

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Cause and Effect

- Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified and used to explain change.

#### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 202, 242, 257, 260, 261, 270

TR: pp. D9-D11, D28-D29

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# Interdependent Relationships in Ecosystems

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## Standard S.3.7

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Construct an argument with evidence that in a particular habitat some organisms can survive well, some survive less well, and some cannot survive at all.**

### FOSS Structures of Life

**IG:** pp. 47, 51, 187, 189, 191, 193-194, 201, 203, 247-248 (Steps 19-20), 272

**EA:** IG p. 237 (Step 38)

**BM:** pp. 16-17 (Item 12), pp. 34-35 (Item 1ab), pp. 36-37 (Item 2), pp. 38-39 (Item 4ab), pp. 40-41 (Item 5)

**IA:** Life Science Task 2—Walking Sticks

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Engaging in Argument from Evidence

Engaging in argument from evidence in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to critiquing the scientific explanations or solutions proposed by peers by citing relevant evidence about the natural and designed world(s).

- Construct an argument with evidence.

#### FOSS Structures of Life

**IG:** pp. 188, 190, 202, 244-245, 250

**TR:** pp. C27-C31, C44-C45

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### LS4.C: Adaptation

- For any particular environment, some kinds of organisms survive well, some survive less well, and some cannot survive at all.

#### FOSS Structures of Life

**IG:** pp. 187, 189, 191, 193-194, 201, 203, 247-248 (Steps 19-20), 272

**SNM:** Nos. 15, 16

**SRB:** pp. 42-49, 50-63

**DOR:** All About Animal Adaptations

“Where Does It Live?”

“What Doesn’t Belong?”

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Cause and Effect

- Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified and used to explain change.

#### FOSS Structures of Life

**IG:** pp. 202, 242

**TR:** pp. D9-D11, D28-D29

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# Interdependent Relationships in Ecosystems

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## Standard S.3.8

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Make a claim about the merit of a solution to a problem caused when the environment changes and the types of plants and animals that live there may change\***

### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 47, 51, 187, 260-261 (Steps 18-21), 268 (Step 14), 272

EA: IG p. 261 (Step 21)

BM: pp. 14-15 (Item 10), pp. 16-17 (Item 11), pp. 42-43 (Item 7)

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Engaging in Argument from Evidence

Engaging in argument from evidence in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to critiquing the scientific explanations or solutions proposed by peers by citing relevant evidence about the natural and designed world(s).

- Make a claim about the merit of a solution to a problem by citing relevant evidence about how it meets the criteria and constraints of the problem.

#### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 188, 202, 244-245, 250, 268 (Step 14), 261

TR: pp. C27-C31, C44-C45

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### LS2.C: Ecosystem Dynamics, Functioning, and Resilience

- When the environment changes in ways that affect a place's physical characteristics, temperature, or availability of resources, some organisms survive and reproduce, others move to new locations, yet others move into the transformed environment, and some die.

#### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 187, 260-261 (Steps 18-21), 268 (Step 14), 272

SRB: pp. 66-69

DOR: "Where Does It Live?"

"What Doesn't Belong?"

All About Fossils

#### LS4.D: Biodiversity and Humans

- Populations live in a variety of habitats, and change in those habitats, affects the organisms living there. (3-LS4-4)

#### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 187, 260-261 (Steps 18-21), 268 (Step 14), 272

SRB: pp. 66-69

DOR: "Where Does It Live?"

"What Doesn't Belong?"

All About Fossils

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Systems and System Models

- A system can be described in terms of its components and their interactions.

#### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 224, 267, 268, 270

TR: pp. D14-D16, D30-D31



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# Inheritance and Variation of Traits: Life Cycles and Traits

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.3.9

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Develop models to describe that organisms have unique and diverse life cycles, but all have in common birth, growth, reproduction, and death.**

### FOSS Structures of Life

**IG:** pp. 47, 49, 82, 83, 84, 86, 88-89, 91, 99, 140, 145, 147, 149 151-152, 153, 169-171 (Steps 9-15), 173 (Steps 21-21), 182

**EA:** Notebook Entry, IG p. 170 (Step 13)

**BM:** pp. 6-7 (Item 4ab), 9-10 (Item 6), 16-17 (Item 12)

**IA:** Life Science Task 1— Life Cycles

| Science and Engineering Practices   | Disciplinary Core Ideas   | Crosscutting Concepts  |
|---|---|--|
| <p><b>Developing and Using Models</b><br/>Modeling in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to building and revising simple models and using models to represent events and design solutions.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Develop models to describe phenomena.</li> </ul> <p><b>FOSS Structures of Life</b><br/><b>IG:</b> pp. 81, 82, 87, 90, 135, 137, 146, 152, 170<br/><b>TR:</b> pp. C11-C13, C36-C37</p> | <p><b>LS1.B: Growth and Development of Organisms</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reproduction is essential to the continued existence of every kind of organism. Plants and animals have unique and diverse life cycles.</li> </ul> <p><b>FOSS Structures of Life</b><br/><b>IG:</b> pp. 82, 83, 84, 86, 88-89, 91, 99, 140, 145, 147, 149 151-152, 153, 169-171 (Steps 9-15), 173 (Steps 21-21), 182<br/><b>SRB:</b> p. 3-7, 22-25, 26-33, 47-49<br/><b>DOR:</b> “Life Cycles”<br/>All About Animal Life Cycles</p> | <p><b>Patterns</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Patterns of change can be used to make predictions.</li> </ul> <p><b>FOSS Structures of Life</b><br/><b>IG:</b> pp. 85, 90, 101, 104, 117, 119, 152, 162, 170 (Step 13), 173<br/><b>TR:</b> pp. D5-D8, D28-D29</p> |

## Connections to the Nature of Science

**Scientific knowledge is simultaneously reliable and subject to change based on empirical evidence and interpretation.**

- Science findings are based on recognizing patterns. (3-LS1-1)

### FOSS Structures of Life

**IG:** pp. 104, 117 (Step 20), 119 (Step 25), 162 (Step 17), 173

**SRB:** p. 12-15

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# Inheritance and Variation of Traits: Life Cycles and Traits

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.3.10

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Analyze and interpret data to provide evidence that plants and animals have traits inherited from parents and that variation of these traits exists in a group of similar organisms.**

### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 47, 49, 51, 145, 147, 149, 151, 182, 272, 279, 281, 293, 309 (Step 9), 341

EA: Performance Assessment, IG: p. 309 (Step 10)

BM: pp. 2-3 (Item 1), pp. 18-19 (Item 1ab), pp. 24-25 (Items 5-6)

| Science and Engineering Practices   | Disciplinary Core Ideas   | Crosscutting Concepts  |
|---|---|--|
| <p><b>Analyzing and Interpreting Data</b><br/>Analyzing data in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to introducing quantitative approaches to collecting data and conducting multiple trials of qualitative observations. When possible and feasible, digital tools should be used.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Analyze and interpret data to make sense of phenomena using logical reasoning.</li> </ul> <p><b>FOSS Structures of Life</b><br/>IG: pp. 146, 152, 158, 169, 280, 291, 301, 309, 320, 336<br/>TR: pp. C18-C20, C40-C41</p> | <p><b>LS3.A: Inheritance of Traits</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Many characteristics of organisms are inherited from their parents.</li> </ul> <p><b>FOSS Structures of Life</b><br/>IG: pp. 145, 147, 149, 151, 182, 272, 279, 281, 293, 309 (Step 9), 341</p> <p><b>LS3.B: Variation of Traits</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Different organisms vary in how they look and function because they have different inherited information.</li> </ul> <p><b>FOSS Structures of Life</b><br/>IG: p. 283-284, 272, 283, 309 (Step 9 and 10), 310 (Step 10), 336 (Step 11), 341</p> | <p><b>Patterns</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Similarities and differences in patterns can be used to sort and classify natural phenomena.</li> </ul> <p><b>FOSS Structures of Life</b><br/>IG: p. 152, 162, 173, 335 (Step 10)<br/>TR: pp. D5-D8, D28-D29</p> |

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## Standard S.3.11

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Use evidence to support the explanation that traits can be influenced by the environment.

### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 47, 49, 51, 187, 189, 194-195, 201, 203, 232 (Step 24), 233 (Step 26), 237 (Step 38), 272

EA: Response Sheet, IG p. 257, SNM No. 23

BM: pp. 8-9 (Item 5ab), pp. 26-27 (Item 1ab), pp. 32-33 (Item 6)

| Science and Engineering Practices  | Disciplinary Core Ideas  | Crosscutting Concepts   |
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| <p><b>Constructing Explanations and Designing Solutions</b><br/>Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to the use of evidence in constructing explanations that specify variables that describe and predict phenomena and in designing multiple solutions to design problems.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use evidence (e.g., observations, patterns) to support an explanation</li> </ul> <p><b>FOSS Structures of Life</b><br/>IG: pp. 188, 190, 202, 230, 238, 244, 268, 270<br/>TR: pp. C23-C31, C42-C43</p> | <p><b>LS3.A: Inheritance of Traits</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Other characteristics result from individuals' interactions with the environment, which can range from diet to learning. Many characteristics involve both inheritance and environment.</li> </ul> <p><b>FOSS Structures of Life</b><br/>IG: pp. 187, 189, 194-195, 201, 203, 232 (Step 24), 233 (Step 26), 237 (Step 38), 272<br/>DOR: "Walking Stick Survival"</p> <p><b>LS3.B: Variation of Traits</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The environment also affects the traits that an organism develops. (3-LS3-2)</li> </ul> <p><b>FOSS Structures of Life</b><br/>IG: pp. 187, 189, 194-195, 201, 203, 232 (Step 24), 233 (Step 26), 237 (Step 38), 272<br/>DOR: "Walking Stick Survival"</p> | <p><b>Cause and Effect</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified and used to explain change.</li> </ul> <p><b>FOSS Structures of Life</b><br/>IG: pp. 202, 235 (Step 31), 242, 260, 261, 270<br/>TR: pp. D9-D11, D28-D29</p> |

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## Standard S.3.12

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

Use evidence to construct an explanation for how the variations in characteristics among individuals of the same species may provide advantages in surviving, finding mates, and reproducing.

### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 47, 51, 187, 189, 193-194, 201, 233 (Step 27), 272

EA: Answer the Focus Question, IG p. 237 (Step 38)

BM: pp. 12-13 (Item 8ab)

IA: Life Science Task 2—Walking Sticks

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Constructing Explanations and Designing Solutions

Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to the use of evidence in constructing explanations that specify variables that describe and predict phenomena and in designing multiple solutions to design problems.

- Use evidence (e.g., observations, patterns) to construct an explanation.

#### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 188, 190, 202, 230, 238, 244, 268, 270

TR: pp. C23-C31, C42-C43

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### LS4.B: Natural Selection

- Sometimes the differences in characteristics between individuals of the same species provide advantages in surviving, finding mates, and reproducing.

#### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 187, 189, 193-194, 201, 233 (Step 27), 272

SNM: Nos. 17-20

DOR: “Walking Stick Survival”

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Cause and Effect

- Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified and used to explain change.

#### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 202, 235 (Step 31), 242, 260, 261, 270

TR: pp. D9-D11, D28-D29

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# Weather and Climate

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.3.13

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Represent data in tables and graphical displays to describe typical weather conditions expected during a particular season.**

### FOSS Water and Climate

**IG:** pp. 49, 51, 196, 200, 202-203, 207 (Step 9), 214-215 (Steps 18-19), 256, 259, 261

**EA:** Performance Assessment, IG p. 212 (Step 13), IG p. 226 (Step 4)

**EA:** Notebook Entry, IG p. 269 (Step 13)

**BM:** pp. 14-15 (Item 10), pp. 46-47 (Items 2-3), pp. 50-51 (Item 7), pp. 56-59 (Items 1ab-2), pp. 60-61 (Item 4)

**IA:** Earth Science Task 1—Seasons

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Analyzing and Interpreting Data

Analyzing data in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to introducing quantitative approaches to collecting data and conducting multiple trials of qualitative observations. When possible and feasible, digital tools should be used.

- Represent data in tables and various graphical displays (bar graphs, pictographs) to reveal patterns that indicate relationships.

#### FOSS Water and Climate

**IG:** pp. 192, 194, 201, 212, 213, 227, 228, 233, 253, 254, 259, 266, 267

**TR:** pp. C18-C20, C40-C41

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### ESS2.D: Weather and Climate

- Scientists record patterns of the weather across different times and areas so that they can make predictions about what kind of weather might happen next.

#### FOSS Water and Climate

**IG:** pp. 196, 200, 202-203, 207 (Step 9), 214-215 (Steps 18-19), 256, 259, 261

**SRB:** pp. 30-36

**DOR:** "Weather Grapher"

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Patterns

- Patterns of change can be used to make predictions.

#### FOSS Water and Climate

**IG:** pp. 201, 212, 213, 215, 222, 236, 260, 268, 269, 273, 277

**TR:** pp. D5-D8, D28-D29

GRADE 3

# Weather and Climate

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.3.14

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Obtain and combine information to describe climates in different regions of the world.**

### FOSS Water and Climate

**IG:** pp. 47, 51, 253, 255, 256, 257, 259, 261, 272 (Step 1), 275 (Steps 11-12), 276 (Step 13)

**EA:** Notebook Entry, IG p. 277 (Step 16)

**BM:** pp. 12-13 (Item 9), pp. 18-19 (Item 12ab), pp. 62-63 (Item 5), pp. 64-65 (Item 7)

**IA:** Earth Science Task 2—Climate

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Obtaining, Evaluating, and Communicating Information

Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to evaluating the merit and accuracy of ideas and methods.

- Obtain and combine information from books and other reliable media to explain phenomena.

#### FOSS Water and Climate

**IG:** pp. 254, 259, 276, 283, 284

**TR:** pp. C32-C33, C46-C47

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### ESS2.D: Weather and Climate

- Climate describes a range of an area's typical weather conditions and the extent to which those conditions vary over years.

#### FOSS Water and Climate

**IG:** pp. 253, 255, 256, 257, 259, 261, 272 (Step 1), 275 (Steps 11-12), 276 (Step 13)

**SRB:** pp. 48-54

**DOR:** "Climate Regions Map"

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Patterns

- Patterns of change can be used to make predictions.

#### FOSS Water and Climate

**IG:** pp. 260, 268, 269, 273, 277

**TR:** pp. D5-D8, D28-D29

## GRADE 3

# Weather and Climate

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.3.15

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Make a claim about the merit of a design solution that reduces the impacts of a weather-related hazard. \***

### FOSS Water and Climate

**IG:** pp. 47, 51, 253, 255, 258, 259, 261, 284-285 (Steps 11-13)

**EA:** Notebook Entry, IG p. 285 (Step 16)

**BM:** pp. 58-59 (Item 3)

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Engaging in Argument from Evidence

Engaging in argument from evidence in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to critiquing the scientific explanations or solutions proposed by peers by citing relevant evidence about the natural and designed world(s).

- Make a claim about the merit of a solution to a problem by citing relevant evidence about how it meets the criteria and constraints of the problem.

#### FOSS Water and Climate

**IG:** pp. 292, 299, 319, 325

**TR:** pp. C27-C31, C44-C45

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### ESS3.B: Natural Hazards

- A variety of natural hazards result from natural processes. Humans cannot eliminate natural hazards but can take steps to reduce their impacts.

#### FOSS Water and Climate

**IG:** pp. 253, 255, 258, 259, 261, 284-285 (Steps 11-13)

**SRB:** pp. 55-60, 61-62

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Cause and Effect

- Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified, tested, and used to explain change.

#### FOSS Water and Climate

**IG:** pp. 260, 282, 284, 300, 307, 310

**TR:** pp. D9-D11, D28-D29

## Connections to Nature of Science

Scientific investigations use a variety of methods to address questions about the natural and material world.

- Science affects everyday life.

### FOSS Water and Climate

**IG:** pp. 208, 260, 284-285, 300

**SRB:** pp. 55-60, 61-62, 68-72, 75-76, 77-82

## GRADE 3

# Engineering Design

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.3.16

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Define a simple design problem reflecting a need or a want that includes specified criteria for success and constraints on materials, time, or cost.**

### FOSS Water and Climate

IG: p. 51, 281-285, 323-328

EA: Performance Assessment, IG p. 325 (Step 8)

### FOSS Motion and Matter

IG: p. 53, 171, 173, 177, 179, 212

BM: pp. 12-13 (Item 8ab), pp. 44-47 (Item 2abcd)

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Asking Questions and Defining Problems

Asking questions and defining problems in 3–5 builds on grades K–2 experiences and progresses to specifying qualitative relationships.

- Define a simple design problem that can be solved through the development of an object, tool, process, or system and includes several criteria for success and constraints on materials, time, or cost.

#### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: p.136

#### FOSS Water and Climate

IG: pp. 325, 327

#### FOSS Motion and Matter

IG: pp. 172, 175, 176, 177, 199, 200, 209, 211

TR: pp. C7-C10, C34-C35

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### ETS1.A: Defining and Delimiting Engineering Problems

- Possible solutions to a problem are limited by available materials and resources (constraints). The success of a designed solution is determined by considering the desired features of a solution (criteria). Different proposals for solutions can be compared on the basis of how well each one meets the specified criteria for success or how well each takes the constraints into account.

#### FOSS Water and Climate

IG: pp. 281-285, 323-328

SRB: pp. 55-60, 61-62

#### FOSS Motion and Matter

IG: pp. 171, 173, 177, 179, 212

SRB: pp. 25-27, 28-33, 34-37

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Influence of Engineering, Technology, and Science on Society and the Natural World

- People's needs and wants change over time, as do their demands for new and improved technologies.

#### FOSS Water and Climate

IG: p. 329

SRB: pp. 86-89



## GRADE 3

# Engineering Design

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.3.17

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Generate and compare multiple possible solutions to a problem based on how well each is likely to meet the criteria and constraints of the problem.**

### FOSS Water and Climate

IG: p. 51, 324-328

EA: Performance Assessment, IG p. 325 (Step 26), IG p. 330 (Step 8)

BM: pp. 2-3 (Item 1), pp. 62-63 (Item 6)

### FOSS Motion and Matter

IG: p. 53, 171, 173, 177, 179, 212

EA: Performance Assessment, IG p. 184 (Step 11), IG p. 193 (Step 16)

BM: pp. 12-13 (Item 8ab), pp. 44-47 (Item 2abcd)

## Science and Engineering Practices

### Constructing Explanations and Designing Solutions

Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to the use of evidence in constructing explanations that specify variables that describe and predict phenomena and in designing multiple solutions to design problems.

- Generate and compare multiple solutions to a problem based on how well they meet the criteria and constraints of the design problem.

### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 137, 138

### FOSS Water and Climate

IG: p. 328

### FOSS Motion and Matter

IG: pp. 172, 178, 184, 193, 200, 202, 209, 211

TR: pp. C23-C31, C42-C43

## Disciplinary Core Ideas

### ETS1.B: Developing Possible Solutions

- Research on a problem should be carried out before beginning to design a solution. Testing a solution involves investigating how well it performs under a range of likely conditions. (3–5-ETS1-2)
- At whatever stage, communicating with peers about proposed solutions is an important part of the design process, and shared ideas can lead to improved designs.

### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 135 (Step 4), 136 (Step 12)

DOR: *How Seed Get Here ... and There*

### FOSS Water and Climate

IG: pp. 324-328

### FOSS Motion and Matter

IG: pp. 171, 173, 177, 179, 212

## Crosscutting Concepts

### Influence of Engineering, Technology, and Science on Society and the Natural World

- Engineers improve existing technologies or develop new ones to increase their benefits, decrease known risks, and meet societal demands.

### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 127, 338

SRB: pp. 12-15, 100-103

### FOSS Water and Climate

IG: pp. 308, 318-319

SRB: pp. 63-67, 73-76, 77-82, 86-89

### FOSS Motion and Matter

IG: p. 185

SRB: p. 24

## GRADE 3

# Engineering Design

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.3.18

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Plan and carry out fair tests in which variables are controlled and failure points are considered to identify aspects of a model or prototype that can be improved.**

### FOSS Water and Climate

IG: p. 51, 291, 292, 299, 301, 325-328

EA: Performance Assessment, IG p. 325 (Step 8)

### FOSS Motion and Matter

IG: p. 53, 171, 173, 177, 179, 212

BM: pp. 12-13 (Item 8ab), pp. 40-41 (Item 1), pp. 44-47 (Item 2abcd)

## Science and Engineering Practices

### Planning and Carrying Out Investigations

Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to include investigations that control variables and provide evidence to support explanations or design solutions.

- Plan and conduct an investigation collaboratively to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence, using fair tests in which variables are controlled and the number of trials considered.

### FOSS Motion and Matter

IG: pp. 172, 178, 182, 191, 200, 209

### FOSS Water and Climate

IG: pp. 225-227, 314-317

SRB: pp. 39-40

DOR: “Virtual Investigation: Water Retention in Water”

### FOSS Structures of Life

IG: pp. 242-245

TR: pp. C14-C17, C38-C39

## Disciplinary Core Ideas

### ETS1.B: Developing Possible Solutions

- Tests are often designed to identify failure points or difficulties, which suggest the elements of the design that need to be improved.

### FOSS Water and Climate

IG: pp. 291, 292, 299, 301, 325-328

### FOSS Motion and Matter

IG: pp. 171, 173, 177, 179, 212

### ETS1.C: Optimizing the Design Solution

- Different solutions need to be tested in order to determine which of them best solves the problem, given the criteria and the constraints. (3–5-ETS1-3)

### FOSS Motion and Matter

IG: pp. 171, 173, 177, 179, 212

## GRADE 4

# Energy

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.4.1

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Use evidence to construct an explanation relating the speed of an object to the energy of that object.**

### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 59, 63, 301 (Step 5), 303 (Step 11), 304 (Step 15), 314 (Step 13), 320 (Step 26), 321

**EA:** Notebook Entry, IG p. 304 (Step 15)

**EA:** Response Sheet, IG p. 315, SNM No. 25

**BM:** pp. 12-13 (Item 8), pp. 54-55 (Items 2ab), pp. 56-57 (Item 3), pp. 62-63 (Item 9)

**IA:** Physical Science Task 1—Speed and Energy

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Constructing Explanations and Designing Solutions

Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to the use of evidence in constructing explanations that specify variables that describe and predict phenomena and in designing multiple solutions to design problems.

- Use evidence (e.g., measurements, observations, patterns) to construct an explanation.

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 303, 304, 306 (Step 20), 314, 321

**TR:** pp. C23-C26, C46-C53

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### PS3.A: Definitions of Energy

- The faster a given object is moving, the more energy it possesses.

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 301 (Step 5), 303 (Step 11), 304 (Step 15), 314 (Step 13), 320 (Step 26), 321

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Energy and Matter

- Energy can be transferred in various ways and between objects.

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 277, 286, 293, 295, 314, 321, 322

**TR:** pp. D18-D20, D34-D35

## GRADE 4

# Energy

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.4.2

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Make observations to provide evidence that energy can be transferred from place to place by sound, light, heat, and electric currents.**

### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 59, 61, 63, 123 (Step 10), 126 (Step 18), 164, 169, 271, 294-295 (Steps 13-15), 321

**EA:** Performance Assessment, IG p. 255 (Step 6), IG p. 293 (Step 10)

**BM:** pp. 8-9 (Item 4), pp. 22-23 (Items 4-5), pp. 24-25 (Item 6), pp. 26-27 (Items 7-8), pp. 56-57 (Item 4), pp. 58-59 (Item 5), pp. 62-63 (Item 9)

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Planning and Carrying Out Investigations

Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to include investigations that control variables and provide evidence to support explanations or design solutions.

- Make observations to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence for an explanation of a phenomenon or test a design solution.

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 121, 138, 140, 152, 153, 246, 302, 311, 312

**TR:** pp. C14-C17, C38-C41

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### PS3.A: Definitions of Energy

- Energy can be moved from place to place by moving objects or through sound, light, or electric currents.

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 123 (Step 10), 126 (Step 18), 164, 169, 271, 294-295 (Steps 13-15), 321

**SRB:** pp. 65-73

**DOR:** “Lighting a Bulb”

“Flow of Electric Current”

#### PS3.B: Conservation of Energy and Energy Transfer

- Energy is present whenever there are moving objects, sound, light, or heat. When objects collide, energy can be transferred from one object to another, thereby changing their motion. In such collisions, some energy is typically also transferred to the surrounding air; as a result, the air gets heated and sound is produced. (4-PS3-2)
- Light also transfers energy from place to place. (4-PS3-2)
- Energy can also be transferred from place to place by electric currents, which can then be used locally to produce motion, sound, heat, or light. The currents may have been produced to begin with by transforming the energy of motion into electrical energy. (4-PS3-2)

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 127-128 (Steps 19-21), 164, 169, 271, 293, 296 (Step 16), 314 (Step 13), 316 (Steps 17-19), 320 (Step 26), 321, 368-369 (Steps 22-24)

**SRB:** pp. 3-7, 100-105

**DOR:** All About Transfer of Energy

“Reflecting Light”

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Energy and Matter

- Energy can be transferred in various ways and between objects.

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 125, 129, 137, 139, 142, 156, 248, 260, 295, 314

**TR:** pp. D18-D20, D34-D35

## GRADE 4

# Energy

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.4.3

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Ask questions and predict outcomes about the changes in energy that occur when objects collide.**

### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 59, 63, 65, 303 (Step 11), 318-319 (Steps 23-25), 321, 384

**EA:** Performance Assessment, IG p. 293 (Step 10)

**EA:** Response Sheet, IG p. 315, SNM No. 25

**BM:** pp. 2-3 (Items 1ab), pp. 4-5 (Items 2ab), pp. 58-59 (Item 6), pp. 60-61 (Item 7), pp. 62-63 (Item 8)

**IA:** Physical Science Task 1—Speed and Energy

**SRB:** pp. 83-85

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Asking Questions and Defining Problems

Asking questions and defining problems in grades 3–5 builds on grades K–2 experiences and progresses to specifying qualitative relationships.

- Ask questions that can be investigated and predict reasonable outcomes based on patterns such as cause and effect relationships.

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 285, 315, 338, 381

**TR:** pp. C7-C10, C34-C35

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### PS3.A: Definitions of Energy

- Energy and fuels that humans use are derived from natural sources, and their use affects the environment in multiple ways. Some resources are renewable over time, and others are not.

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 303 (Step 11), 318-319 (Steps 23-25), 321, 384

**SRB:** pp. 83-85

#### PS3.B: Conservation of Energy and Energy Transfer

- Energy is present whenever there are moving objects, sound, light, or heat. When objects collide, energy can be transferred from one object to another, thereby changing their motion. In such collisions, some energy is typically also transferred to the surrounding air; as a result, the air gets heated and sound is produced. (4-PS3-3)

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 293, 314 (Step 13), 316 (Steps 17-19), 321, 384

**SRB:** p. 78

#### PS3.C: Relationship Between Energy and Forces

- When objects collide, the contact forces transfer energy so as to change the objects' motions. (4-PS3-3)

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 305-306 (Steps 17-19), 317-318 (Steps 20-22), 320 (Step 26), 321

**SRB:** pp. 74-77, 79-82

**DOR:** All About Transfer of Energy

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Energy and Matter

- Energy can be transferred in various ways and between objects.

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 295, 314, 351, 352, 366

**TR:** pp. D18-D20, D34-D35

## GRADE 4

# Energy

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.4.4

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Apply scientific ideas to design, test, and refine a device that converts energy from one form to another.\***

### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 59, 61, 63, 65, 127-128 (Steps 19-21), 165 (Step 10), 169, 271, 293, 321, 384

**EA:** *Notebook Entry*, IG p. 126 (Step 17)

**EA:** *Response Sheet*, IG p. 156, SNM No. 7

**EA:** *Performance Assessment*, IG p. 255 (Step 6), IG p. 293 (Step 10), IG p. 381 (Step 18)

**EA:** *Review*, IG p. 351 (Step 13)

**BM:** pp. 2-3 (Items 1ab), pp. 4-5 (Items 2ab), pp. 58-59 (Item 6), pp. 60-61 (Item 7), pp. 62-63 (Item 8)

**SRB:** pp. 3-7

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Constructing Explanations and Designing Solutions

Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to the use of evidence in constructing explanations that specify variables that describe and predict phenomena and in designing multiple solutions to design problems.

- Apply scientific ideas to solve design problems.

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 124, 126, 141, 249, 264, 266, 303, 304, 314, 357, 363

**TR:** pp. C23-C26, C46-C53

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### PS3.B: Conservation of Energy and Energy Transfer

- Energy can also be transferred from place to place by electric currents, which can then be used locally to produce motion, sound, heat, or light. The currents may have been produced to begin with by transforming the energy of motion into electrical energy.

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 127-128 (Steps 19-21), 165 (Step 10), 169, 271, 293, 321, 384

**SRB:** pp. 3-7

**DOR:** “Conductor Detector”

#### PS3.D: Energy in Chemical Processes and Everyday Life

- The expression “produce energy” typically refers to the conversion of stored energy into a desired form for practical use. (4-PS3-4)

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 120 (Step 2), 169, 271, 321, 384

#### ETS1.A: Defining Engineering Problems

- Possible solutions to a problem are limited by available materials and resources (constraints). The success of a designed solution is determined by considering the desired features of a solution (criteria). Different proposals for solutions can be compared on the basis of how well each one meets the specified criteria for success or how well each takes the constraints into account. (secondary to 4-PS3-4)

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Energy and Matter

- Energy can be transferred in various ways and between objects.

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 125, 129, 137, 139, 142, 156, 248, 260, 295, 314, 352, 366

**TR:** pp. D18-D20, D34-D35

**IG:** Investigations Guide • **TR:** Teacher Resources • **SRB:** Student *Science Resources* Book • **DOR:** Digital-Only Resources  
**EA:** Embedded Assessment • **BM:** Benchmark Assessment • **IA:** Interim Assessment

**FOSS Energy**

IG: pp. 167 (Steps 13-14), 168 (Step 15), 169, 384

SRB: pp. 21-24, 25-29

**Connections to Nature of Science**

**World Science is a Human Endeavor**

- Science is a creative human endeavor which is influenced by social and cultural biases.

**FOSS Energy**

IG: pp. 165 (Step 7), 167 (Steps 13-14), 168 (Step 15), 269 (Step 17)

SRB: pp. 21-24, 25-29

GRADE 4

# Waves: Waves and Information

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.4.5

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Develop a model of waves to describe patterns in terms of amplitude and wavelength and that waves can cause objects to move.**

### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 59, 65, 341, 348-349 (Steps 10-11), 351-352 (Steps 14-16), 353-355 (Steps 19-22), 384

**EA:** Notebook Entry, IG p. 352 (Step 18)

**BM:** pp. 6-7 (Items 3ab)

**SRB:** pp. 86-90

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Developing and Using Models

Modeling in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to building and revising simple models and using models to represent events and design solutions.

- Develop a model using an analogy, example, or abstract representation to describe a scientific principle. (4-PS4-1)

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 338, 347, 361, 365

**TR:** pp. C11-C13, C34-C37

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### PS4.A: Wave Properties

- Waves, which are regular patterns of motion, can be made in water by disturbing the surface. When waves move across the surface of deep water, the water goes up and down in place; there is no net motion in the direction of the wave except when the water meets the beach. (Note: This grade band endpoint was moved from K–2.) (4-PS4-1)
- Waves of the same type can differ in amplitude (height of the wave) and wavelength (spacing between wave peaks). (4-PS4-1)

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 341, 348-349 (Steps 10-11), 351-352 (Steps 14-16), 353-355 (Steps 19-22), 384

**SRB:** pp. 86-90

**DOR:** All About Waves

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Patterns

- Similarities and differences in patterns can be used to sort, classify and analyze simple rates of change for natural phenomena. (4-PS4-1)

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 346, 347, 351, 352, 357

**TR:** pp. D6-D9, D28-D29

## Connections to Nature of Science

### Scientific Knowledge is Based on Empirical Evidence

- Scientific knowledge is obtained through a combination of observations of the natural world and inferences based on those observations.

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 346, 347, 351, 352, 357



GRADE 4

# Waves: Waves and Information

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.4.6

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Generate and compare multiple solutions that use patterns to transfer information. \***

### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 59, 63, 269 (Step 17), 267-268 (Steps 13-15), 271

**EA:** *Notebook Entry*, IG p. 20, SNM No. 21

**BM:** pp. 12-13 (Item 9), pp. 50-51 (Item 9)

**SRB:** pp. 58-64

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Constructing Explanations and Designing Solutions

Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to the use of evidence in constructing explanations that specify variables that describe and predict phenomena and in designing multiple solutions to design problems.

- Generate and compare multiple solutions to a problem based on how well they meet the criteria and constraints of the design solution.

### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 249, 255, 264, 266

**TR:** pp. C23-C26, C46-C53

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### PS4.C: Information Technologies and Instrumentation

- Digitized information can be transmitted over long distances without significant degradation. High-tech devices, such as computers or cell phones, can receive and decode information—convert it from digitized form to voice—and vice versa.

### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 269 (Step 17), 267-268 (Steps 13-15), 271

**SRB:** pp. 58-64

#### ETS1.C: Optimizing the Design Solution

- Different solutions need to be tested in order to determine which of them best solves the problem, given the criteria and the constraints. (secondary to 4-PS4-3)

### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 169, 265 (Step 5), 270 (Step 19), 271, 384

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Patterns

- Similarities and differences in patterns can be used to sort and classify designed products.

### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 240, 255, 266 (Step 8)

**TR:** pp. D6-D9, D28-D29

GRADE 4

# Structure, Function, and Information Processing

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.4.7

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Develop a model to describe that light reflecting from objects and entering the eye allows objects to be seen.**

### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 59, 65, 361 (Step 1), 363 (Step 9), 366 (Step 17), 369-370 (Steps 25-27), 384

**EA:** *Response Sheet*, IG p. 367, SNM No. 28

**BM:** pp. 8-9 (Item 5), pp. 10-11 (Item 7)

**IA:** *Physical Science Task 2—Hide and Seek*

**SRB:** pp. 106-110

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Developing and Using Models

Modeling in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to building and revising simple models and using models to represent events and design solutions.

- Develop a model to describe phenomena.

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 338, 347, 361, 365

**TR:** pp. C11-C13, C34-C37

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### PS4.B: Electromagnetic Radiation

- An object can be seen when light reflected from its surface enters the eyes.

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 361 (Step 1), 363 (Step 9), 366 (Step 17), 369-370 (Steps 25-27), 384

**SRB:** pp. 106-110

**DOR:** *All About Light*

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Cause and Effect

- Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified.

#### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 346, 347, 351, 352, 357, 363, 371, 378

**TR:** pp. D10-D12, D28-D31

GRADE 4

# Structure, Function, and Information Processing

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.4.8

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Construct an argument that plants and animals have internal and external structures that function to support survival, growth, behavior, and reproduction.**

### FOSS Environments

**IG:** pp. 47, 49, 51, 126 (Steps 27-28), 153, 155, 160, 163, 185 (Step 25), 262 (Step 15), 273, 311 (Steps 48-49)

**EA:** *Response Sheet*, IG p. 211, SNM Nos. 12-13

**BM:** pp. 2-3 (Items 1-2), pp. 4-5 (Item 3), pp. 8-9 (Item 7), pp. 16-17 (Item1a), pp. 18-19 (Item 3), pp. 20-21 (Item 5), pp. 22-23 (Item 6), pp. 28-29 (Item 1b), pp. 34-35 (Item 6), pp. 40-41 (Item 1d), pp. 46-47 (Item 6), pp. 48-49 (Items 2ab)

**IA:** *Life Science Task 1—Structure Function*

**SRB:** pp. 16-17, 91-92

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Engaging in Argument from Evidence

Engaging in argument from evidence in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to critiquing the scientific explanations or solutions proposed by peers by citing relevant evidence about the natural and designed world(s).

- Construct an argument with evidence, data, and/or a model.

#### FOSS Environments

**IG:** pp. 125, 129, 154, 161, 189, 263, 282, 291, 312, 313

**TR:** pp. C27-C31, C54-C55

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### LS1.A: Structure and Function

- Plants and animals have both internal and external structures that serve various functions in growth, survival, behavior, and reproduction.

#### FOSS Environments

**IG:** pp. 126 (Steps 27-28), 153, 155, 160, 163, 185 (Step 25), 262 (Step 15), 273, 311 (Steps 48-49)

**SRB:** pp. 16-17, 91-92

**DOR:** “Virtual Investigation: Trout Range of Tolerance”

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Systems and System Models

- A system can be described in terms of its components and their interactions.

#### FOSS Environments

**IG:** pp. 128, 141, 183, 186, 239, 269

**TR:** pp. D15-D17, D32-D33

GRADE 4

# Structure, Function, and Information Processing

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.4.9

*Students who demonstrate understanding can:*

**Use a model to describe that animals receive different types of information through their senses, process the information in their brain, and respond to the information in different ways.**

**FOSS Environments**

**IG:** pp. 47, 49, 51, 145, 101 (Step 6), 208-209 (Step 13), 210-211 (Step 17), 212 (Steps 20-22), 215

**EA:** IG pp. 212-213 (Step 22)

**BM:** pp. 6-7 (Items 5-6), pp. 8-9 (Item 8), pp. 18-19 (Item 3), pp. 24-25 (Items 7-8), pp. 32-33 (Item 4)

**IA:** *Life Science Task 2—Star Nosed Mole*

**SRB:** pp. 17, 48-54

### Science and Engineering Practices

**Developing and Using Models**

Modeling in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to building and revising simple models and using models to represent events and design solutions.

- Use a model to test interactions concerning the functioning of a natural system.

**FOSS Environments**

**IG:** pp. 127, 153, 154, 180, 196, 201, 210

**TR:** pp. C11-C13, C34-C37

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

**LS1.D: Information Processing**

- Different sense receptors are specialized for particular kinds of information, which may be then processed by the animal’s brain. Animals are able to use their perceptions and memories to guide their actions.

**FOSS Environments**

**IG:** pp. 145, 101 (Step 6), 208-209 (Step 13), 210-211 (Step 17), 212 (Steps 20-22), 215

**SRB:** pp. 17, 48-54

**DOR:** *Animal Language and Communication Sense of Hearing*

### Systems and System Models

**Systems and System Models**

- A system can be described in terms of its components and their interactions.

**FOSS Environments**

**IG:** pp. 128, 141, 162, 170, 183, 186, 197

**TR:** pp. D15-D17, D32-D33

## GRADE 4

# Earth's Systems: Processes that Shape the Earth

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.4.10

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Identify evidence from patterns in rock formations and fossils in rock layers for changes in a landscape over time to support an explanation for changes in a landscape over time.**

### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

**IG:** pp. 51, 53, 55, 194-195 (Steps 5-6), 198-199 (Steps 16-18), 199-200 (Steps 20-23), 258

**EA:** Performance Assessment, IG p. 180 (Step 23)

**EA:** Notebook Entry, IG p. 197 (Step 15)

**BM:** pp. 12-13 (Item 8), pp. 18-19 (Item 1ab), pp. 22-23 (Item 4), pp. 30-31 (Items 1ab), pp. 32-33 (Item 2)

**IA:** Earth Science Task 1—Changing Landscapes

**SRB:** pp. 23-26, 27-30

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Constructing Explanations and Designing Solutions

Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to the use of evidence in constructing explanations that specify variables that describe and predict phenomena and in designing multiple solutions to design problems.

- Identify the evidence that supports particular points in an explanation.

#### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

**IG:** pp. 166, 175, 176, 178, 182, 188, 196, 248, 253, 254

**TR:** pp. C23-C26, C46-C53

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### ESS1.C: The History of Planet Earth

- Local, regional, and global patterns of rock formations reveal changes over time due to earth forces, such as earthquakes. The presence and location of certain fossil types indicate the order in which rock layers were formed.

#### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

**IG:** pp. 194-195 (Steps 5-6), 198-199 (Steps 16-18), 199-200 (Steps 20-23), 258

**SRB:** pp. 23-26, 27-30

**DOR:** Fossils

“Tutorial: Fossils”

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Patterns

- Patterns can be used as evidence to support an explanation.

#### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

**IG:** pp. 156, 164, 188, 216, 244

**TR:** pp. D6-D9, D28-D29

## Connections to the Nature of Science

### Scientific Knowledge Assumes an Order and Consistency in Natural Systems

- Scientific knowledge is simultaneously reliable and subject to change based on empirical evidence and interpretation.

### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

**IG:** pp. 102, 105, 127, 139, 164, 188, 244

GRADE 4

# Interdependent Relationships in Ecosystems

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.4.11

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Analyze and interpret data from fossils to provide evidence of the organisms and the environments in which they lived long ago.**

### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

**IG:** pp. 51, 53, 55, 193-201

**EA:** *Reading in Science Resources*, IG p. 198 (Steps 16-18)

**BM:** pp. 6 (Item 8), pp. 15 (Item 1a), pp. 16 (Item 2)

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Obtaining, Evaluating, and Communicating Information

Analyzing data in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to introducing quantitative approaches to collecting data and conducting multiple trials of qualitative observations. When possible and feasible, digital tools should be used.

- Analyze and interpret data to make sense of phenomena using logical reasoning.

### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

**IG:** pp. 200

**TR:** pp. C18–C20, C40–C41

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### LS4.A: Evidence of Common Ancestry and Diversity

- Some kinds of plants and animals that once lived on Earth are no longer found anywhere.
- Fossils provide evidence about the types of organisms that lived long ago and also about the nature of their environments.

### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

**IG:** pp. 51, 53, 55, 193-201

**SRB:** pp. 23-26, 27-30

**DOR:** Fossils

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Stability and Change

- Observable phenomena exist from very short to very long time periods.

### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

**IG:** pp. 195, 196

**TR:** pp. D12–D13, D30–D31

## GRADE 4

# Earth's Systems: Processes that Shape the Earth

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.4.12

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Make observations and/or measurements to provide evidence of the effects of weathering or the rate of erosion by water, ice, wind, or vegetation.**

### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

**IG:** pp. 51, 53, 24, 129-130 (Steps 18-21), 131-132 (Step 23), 142, 168-169 (Steps 18-20), 181 (Step 27), 182 (Step 28), 201

**EA:** *Observation*, IG p. 114 (Step 6)

**EA:** *Response Sheet*, IG p. 118, SNM No. 3

**EA:** *Performance Assessment*, IG p. 124 (Step 7), IG p. 180 (Step 23)

**BM:** pp. 12-13 (Item 8), pp. 18-19 (Items 1ab), pp. 22-23 (Item 4), pp. 30-31 (Items 1ab), pp. 32-33 (Item 2)

**IA:** *Earth Science Task 2—Erosion*

**SRB:** pp. 6-8, 9-14

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Planning and Carrying Out Investigations

Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to include investigations that control variables and provide evidence to support explanations or design solutions.

- Make observations and/or measurements to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence for an explanation of a phenomenon.

#### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

**IG:** pp. 103, 114, 124, 139, 163, 175, 176, 179, 182 (Step 28), 187

**TR:** pp. C14-C17, C38-C41

**DOR:** “Virtual Investigation: Stream Tables”

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### ESS2.A: Earth Materials and Systems

- Rainfall helps to shape the land and affects the types of living things found in a region. Water, ice, wind, living organisms, and gravity break rocks, soils, and sediments into smaller particles and move them around.

#### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

**IG:** pp. 124, 129-130 (Steps 18-21), 131-132 (Step 23), 142, 168-169 (Steps 18-20), 181 (Step 27), 182 (Step 28), 201

**SRB:** pp. 6-8, 9-14

**DOR:** *Weathering and Erosion*  
“Tutorial: Weathering”

#### ESS2.E: Biogeology

- Living things affect the physical characteristics of their regions. (4-ESS2-1)

#### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

**IG:** pp. 89, 92-93, 101 (Step 3), 142

**SRB:** pp. 4-5

**DOR:** *Soils*  
“Tutorial: Soil Formation”

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Cause and Effect

- Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified, tested, and used to explain change.

#### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

**IG:** pp. 114, 117, 119, 124, 127, 128, 133, 164, 166, 169, 175, 177, 178, 187, 189, 195, 196

**TR:** pp. D10-D12, D28-D31

GRADE 4

# Earth's Systems: Processes that Shape the Earth

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.4.13

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Analyze and interpret data from maps to describe patterns of Earth's features.**

### **FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms**

**IG:** pp. 51, 53, 227 (Steps 21-23), 239 (Step 16), 240 (Step 18), 256 (Steps 9-11), 258

**EA:** Performance Assessment, IG p. 180 (Step 23), IG p. 245 (Step 5)

**BM:** pp. 6-7 (Items 4ab), pp. 16-17 (Items 11ab), pp. 42-43 (Items 1abc), pp. 48-49 (Item 6)

**SRB:** pp. 31-33, 38-49

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### **Analyzing and Interpreting Data**

Analyzing data in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to introducing quantitative approaches to collecting data and conducting multiple trials of qualitative observations. When possible and feasible, digital tools should be used.

- Analyze and interpret data to make sense of phenomena using logical reasoning.

### **FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms**

**IG:** pp. 164, 176, 180, 233, 236, 237, 244, 253

**TR:** pp. C18-C20, C40-C45

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### **ESS2.B: Plate Tectonics and Large-Scale System Interactions**

- The locations of mountain ranges, deep ocean trenches, ocean floor structures, earthquakes, and volcanoes occur in patterns. Most earthquakes and volcanoes occur in bands that are often along the boundaries between continents and oceans. Major mountain chains form inside continents or near their edges. Maps can help locate the different land and water features areas of Earth.

### **FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms**

**IG:** pp. 227 (Steps 21-23), 239 (Step 16), 240 (Step 18), 256 (Steps 9-11), 258

**SRB:** pp. 31-33, 38-49

**DOR:** *Volcanoes*

"Topographer"

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### **Patterns**

- Patterns can be used as evidence to support an explanation.

### **FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms**

**IG:** pp. 164, 180, 188, 244

**TR:** pp. D6-D9, D28-D29



## GRADE 4

# Engineering Design

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.4.14

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Define a simple design problem reflecting a need or a want that includes specified criteria for success and constraints on materials, time, or cost.**

### FOSS Energy

IG: pp. 59, 61, 65, 163-164 (Step 3), 169, 379 (Step 13), 381, 384

EA: Performance Assessment, IG p. 164 (Step 4), IG p. 381 (Step 18)

BM: pp. 46-47 (Item 7)

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Asking Questions and Defining Problems

Asking questions and defining problems in 3–5 builds on grades K–2 experiences and progresses to specifying qualitative relationships.

- Define a simple design problem that can be solved through the development of an object, tool, process, or system and includes several criteria for success and constraints on materials, time, or cost.

### FOSS Energy

IG: pp. 163, 164, 168, 381

TR: pp. C7-C10, C34-C35

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### ETS1.A: Defining and Delimiting Engineering Problems

- Possible solutions to a problem are limited by available materials and resources (constraints). The success of a designed solution is determined by considering the desired features of a solution (criteria). Different proposals for solutions can be compared on the basis of how well each one meets the specified criteria for success or how well each takes the constraints into account.

### FOSS Energy

IG: pp. 163-164 (Step 3), 169, 379 (Step 13), 381, 384

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Influence of Engineering, Technology, and Science on Society and the Natural World

- People's needs and wants change over time, as do their demands for new and improved technologies.

### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

IG: pp. 289-290 (Steps 9-12)

SRB: pp. 60-64

### FOSS Energy

IG: pp. 382-383 (Steps 22-24), 282 (Step 25)

SRB: pp. 114-119, 120-121

GRADE 4

# Engineering Design

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.4.15

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Generate and compare multiple possible solutions to a problem based on how well each is likely to meet the criteria and constraints of the problem.**

### FOSS Energy

IG: pp. 59, 61, 65, 163-164 (Step 3), 169, 380-381 (Step 17), 384

EA: Performance Assessment, IG p. 381 (Step 18)

BM: pp. 18-19 (Item 2a)

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Constructing Explanations and Designing Solutions Obtaining, Evaluating, and Communicating Information

Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to evaluating the merit and accuracy of ideas and methods.

- Obtain and combine information from books and other reliable media to explain phenomena.

#### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

IG: pp. 248, 291, 296, 297

#### FOSS Energy

IG: p. 391

TR: pp. C23-C26, C46-C53

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### ETS1.B: Developing Possible Solutions

- Research on a problem should be carried out before beginning to design a solution. Testing a solution involves investigating how well it performs under a range of likely conditions.
- At whatever stage, communicating with peers about proposed solutions is an important part of the design process, and shared ideas can lead to improved designs. (3–5-ETS1-2)

#### FOSS Energy

IG: pp. 163-164 (Step 3), 169, 380-381 (Step 17), 384

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Influence of Engineering, Technology, and Science on Society and the Natural World

- Engineers improve existing technologies or develop new ones to increase their benefits, decrease known risks, and meet societal demands.

#### FOSS Energy

IG: pp. 246-249

SRB: pp. 58-64, 114-118

GRADE 4

# Engineering Design

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.4.16

*Students who demonstrate understanding can:*

**Plan and carry out fair tests in which variables are controlled and failure points are considered to identify aspects of a model or prototype that can be improved.**

### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 59, 61, 63, 65, 163-166, 169, 246-249, 269-270, 271, 377-381, 384

**EA:** Performance Assessment, IG p. 381 (Step 18)

**BM:** pp. 18-19 (Item 2a)

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Planning and Carrying Out Investigations

Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to include investigations that control variables and provide evidence to support explanations or design solutions.

- Plan and conduct an investigation collaboratively to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence, using fair tests in which variables are controlled and the number of trials considered.

### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 163 (Step 3), 215-220, 254-256

**TR:** pp. C14-C17, C38-C41

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### ETS1.B: Developing Possible Solutions

- Tests are often designed to identify failure points or difficulties, which suggest the elements of the design that need to be improved.

### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 163-166, 169, 377-381, 384

#### ETS1.C: Optimizing the Design Solution

- Different solutions need to be tested in order to determine which of them best solves the problem, given the criteria and the constraints. (3–5-ETS1-3)

### FOSS Energy

**IG:** pp. 163-166, 169, 246-249, 269-270, 271, 377-381, 384

## GRADE 5

# Structure and Properties of Matter

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.5.1

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Make observations and measurements to identify materials based on their properties.**

### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 49, 53, 55, 249, 258, 277 (Steps 9-10), 279 (Step 17), 284 (Step 5), 286 (Step 16), 329 (Step 3), 332 (Step 12)

**EA:** Performance Assessment, IG p. 226 (Step 4) IG p. 284 (Step 7)

**EA:** Response Sheet, IG p. 279, SNM No. 15

**BM:** pp. 6-7 (Item 5), pp. 8-9 (Item 7), pp. 10-11 (Item 8), pp. 40-41 (Item 3), pp. 44-45 (Item 7), pp. 48-49 (Item 3), pp. 52-53 (Items 6ab), pp. 54-55 (Items 7ab)

**SRB:** pp. 9 and 22

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Planning and Carrying Out Investigations

Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to include investigations that control variables and provide evidence to support explanations or design solutions

- Make observations and measurements to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence for an explanation of a phenomenon.

### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 259, 267, 277, 284, 285, 295, 321, 322, 329, 341

**SRB:** pp. 14-15

**TR:** pp. C14-C17, C46-C47

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### PS1.A: Structure and Properties of Matter

- Measurements of a variety of properties can be used to identify materials. (Boundary: At this grade level, mass and weight are not distinguished, and no attempt is made to define the unseen particles or explain the atomic-scale mechanism of evaporation and condensation.)

### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 249, 258, 277 (Steps 9-10), 279 (Step 17), 284 (Step 5), 286 (Step 16), 329 (Step 3), 332 (Step 12)

**SRB:** pp. 9 and 22

**DOR:** "Tutorial: Saturation"

"Tutorial: Solutions"

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

- Standard units are used to measure and describe physical quantities such as weight, time, temperature, and volume.

### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 268 (Step 16), 277 (Step 8), 284, 342

**SRB:** pp. 18-20, 38-40

**TR:** pp. D13-D15, D32-D33

## GRADE 5

# Structure and Properties of Matter

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.5.2

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Develop a model to describe that matter is made of particles too small to be seen.**

### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 57, 61, 63, 239, 241, 250, 259 (Step 10), 260 (Steps 13-14), 261, 262 (Step 17), 273 (Step 14), 286 (Step 19), 290

**EA:** *Notebook Entry*, IG p. 264 (Step 21)

**EA:** *Performance Assessment*, IG p. 258 (Step 7)

**BM:** pp. 12-13 (Item 8), pp. 38-39 (Items 1 and 2), pp. 40-41 (Items 3ab), pp. 42-43 (Items 5 and 6), pp. 44-45 (Items 7abc), pp. 48-49 (Items 2ab) pp. 54-55 (Item 6)

**SRB:** pp. 105-108, 121

### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 49, 55, 111, 115 (Step 8), 116 (Step 9 and Teaching Note), 142, (Step 18), 156, 221-222 (Steps 19-21), 230, 258, 265 (Step 9), 268 (Step 16), 314-15, 330 (Step 6), 332 (Step 12), 341 (Steps 4 and 6)

**EA:** *Notebook Entry*, IG p. 111 (Step 20), IG p. 210 (Step 17), IG p. 239 (Step 11)

**EA:** *Performance Assessment*, IG p. 226 (Step 4), IG p. 284 (Step 7)

**EA:** *Response Sheet*, IG p. 219, SNM No. 12, IG p. 279SNM No. 15

**BM:** pp. 14-15 (Item 10), pp.16-17 (Items 1ab), pp. 18-19 (Item 3), pp. 22-23 (Items 6ab), pp. 24-25 (Items 7 and 8), pp. 34-35 (Item 1a), pp. 40-41 (Item 2)

**IA:** *Physical Science Task 1—The Science of Party Planning*

**SRB:** pp. 7, 24, 26-27,32, 42-43, 75

## Science and Engineering Practices

### Developing and Using Models

Modeling in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to building and revising simple models and using models to represent events and design solutions.

- Develop a model to describe phenomena.

### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** p 239, 251, 258, 260, 264, 273 (Step 14), 286 (Step 19)

**DOR:** “Tutorial: Air and Atmosphere”

### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 97, 115 (Step 8), 118 (Teaching Note), 147, 157, 163, 164, 166, 167, 168 (Steps 26-28), 179 (Step 13), 184 (Step 6), 186 (Step 10), 190, 209-210 (Steps 13-14), 211, 219 (Step 16), 279, 321 (Step 1), 344 (Step 14), 345 (Step 16, Teaching Note)

**SRB:** pp. 14-15, 26-27, 28-29, 30, 32, 47, 48

**TR:** pp. C11-C13, C36-C39

## Disciplinary Core Ideas

### PS1.A: Structure and Properties of Matter

- Matter of any type can be subdivided into particles that are too small to see, but even then the matter still exists and can be detected by other means. A model shows that gases are made from matter particles that are too small to see and are moving freely around in space can explain many observations, including the inflation and shape of a balloon and the effects of air on larger particles or objects.

### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 239, 241, 250, 259 (Step 10), 260 (Steps 13-14), 261, 262 (Step 17), 273 (Step 14), 286 (Step 19), 290

**SRB:** pp. 105-108, 121

**DOR:** “Tutorial: Air and Atmosphere”

### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 111, 115 (Step 8), 116 (Step 9 and Teaching Note), 142, (Step 18), 156, 221-222 (Steps 19-21), 230, 258, 265 (Step 9), 268 (Step 16), 314-15, 330 (Step 6), 332 (Step 12), 341

## Crosscutting Concepts

### Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

- Natural objects exist from the very small to the immensely large.

### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 252, 260 (Step 14), 268, 282

### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 98, 109, 115 (Step 8), 127, 202, 208 (Step 9), 226, 227, 268, 316, 342

**SRB:** pp. 8, 26, 27

**TR:** pp. D13-D15, D32-D33

**IG:** Investigations Guide • **TR:** Teacher Resources • **SRB:** Student Science Resources Book • **DOR:** Digital-Only Resources  
**EA:** Embedded Assessment • **BM:** Benchmark Assessment • **IA:** Interim Assessment

(Steps 4 and 6)  
**SRB:** pp. 7, 24, 26-27,32, 42-43, 75  
**DOR:** “Tutorial: Solutions”  
“Tutorial: Conservation of Mass”  
Changes in Properties of Matter)  
Chemical Reactions

## GRADE 5

# Structure and Properties of Matter

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.5.3

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Measure and graph quantities to provide evidence that regardless of the type of change that occurs when heating, cooling, or mixing substances, the total weight of matter is conserved**

### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 49, 51, 53, 55, 115 (Step 8), 116 (Step 9), 117 (Step 13), 184 (Step 5), 203, 222, 258, 278 (Step 12), 279 (Step 19), 286 (Step 16), 345 (Step 16)

**EA:** *Notebook Entry*, IG p. 269 (Step 21)

**EA:** *Performance Assessment*, IG p. 226 (Step 4) IG p. 284 (Step 7)

**EA:** *Response Sheet*, IG p. 117, SNM No. 4, IG p. 188, SNM No. 8, IG p. 219, SNM No. 12, IG p. 279, SNM No. 15

**BM:** pp. 2-3 (Items 1 and 2), pp. 8-9 (Items 6ab), pp. 12-13 (Items 9ab), pp. 14-15 (Items 11 and 12), pp. 20-21 (Item 4), pp. 22-23 (Items 6ab), pp. 34-35 (Item 1a), pp. 42-43 (Items 4ab), pp. 50-51 (Items 4 and 5)

**IA:** *Physical Science Task 1—The Science of Party Planning*

**SRB:** pp. 10, 11, 30, 31

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Using Mathematics and Computational Thinking

Mathematical and computational thinking in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to extending quantitative measurements to a variety of physical properties and using computation and mathematics to analyze data and compare alternative design solutions.

- Measure and graph quantities such as weight to address scientific and engineering questions and problems.

#### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 97, 115 (Steps 6-7), 117, 188 (Step 14), 209-210 (Step 13), 239, 277 (Steps 8-9), 287

**SRB:** pp. 11, 14-15, 30-31

**DOR:** “Tutorial: Conservation of Mass”

**TR:** pp. C21-C22, C46-C47

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### PS1.A: Structure and Properties of Matter

- The amount (weight) of matter is conserved when it changes form, even in transitions in which it seems to vanish.

#### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 115 (Step 8), 116 (Step 9), 117 (Step 13), 184 (Step 5), 203, 222, 258, 278 (Step 12), 279 (Step 19), 286 (Step 16), 345 (Step 16)

**SRB:** pp. 10, 11, 30, 31

**DOR:** “Tutorial: Concentration”

“Tutorial: Solutions”

*Changes in Properties of Matter*

#### PS1.B: Chemical Reactions

- No matter what reaction or change in properties occurs, the total weight of the substances does not change. (Boundary: Mass and weight are not distinguished at this grade level.)

#### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 314-15, 334 (Step 18), 341 (Steps 4-6), 342 (Step 7), 344 (Step 15), 347 (Steps 20-21)

**SRB:** pp. 74-78

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

- Standard units are used to measure and describe physical quantities such as weight, time, temperature, and volume.

#### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 114 (Step 2), 115 (Step 7), 190, 202, 217, 260, 301

**SRB:** pp. 11, 22, 40, 47, 81

**TR:** pp. D13-D15, D32-D33

## Connections to the Nature of Science

### Scientific Knowledge Assumes an Order and Consistency in Natural Systems

- Scientific knowledge is obtained through a combination of observations of the natural world and inferences based on those observations.

#### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 117 (Step 15), 178, 242 (Step 16)

**SRB:** pp. 18-20, 38-40

**IG:** Investigations Guide • **TR:** Teacher Resources • **SRB:** Student *Science Resources* Book • **DOR:** Digital-Only Resources  
**EA:** Embedded Assessment • **BM:** Benchmark Assessment • **IA:** Interim Assessment

GRADE 5

# Structure and Properties of Matter

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.5.4

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Conduct an investigation to determine whether the mixing of two or more substances results in new substances.**

### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 49, 55, 307, 314-315, 325 (Step 20), 326 (Step 23), 330 (Step 7), 332 (Steps 12-13), 335 (Step 20), 341 (Step 6)

**EA:** *Notebook Entry*, IG p. 325 (Step 20)

**EA:** *Response Sheet*, IG p. 332, SNM No. 18

**BM:** pp. 4-5 (Item 3a), pp. 6-7 (Item 4), pp. 8-9 (Item 7), pp. 12-13 (Items 9ab), pp. 14-15 (Item 12)

**IA:** *Physical Science Task 2—Mixing Matter*

**SRB:** pp. 74-78, 79-80

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Planning and Carrying Out Investigations

Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to include investigations that control variables and provide evidence to support explanations or design solutions.

- Conduct an investigation collaboratively to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence, using fair tests in which variables are controlled and the number of trials considered.

#### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 315, 321, 322, 329-330 (Steps 3-6), 340-341 (Steps 2-3)

**TR:** pp. C14-C17, C46-C47

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### PS1.B: Chemical Reactions

- When two or more different substances are mixed, a new substance with different properties may be formed.

#### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 307, 314-315, 325 (Step 20), 326 (Step 23), 330 (Step 7), 332 (Steps 12-13), 335 (Step 20), 341 (Step 6)

**SRB:** pp. 74-78, 79-80

#### DOR: Chemical Reactions

*Changes in Properties of Matter*  
“Tutorial: Reaction or not?”

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Cause and Effect

- Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified, tested, and used to explain change.

#### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

**IG:** pp. 316, 325, 332, 335, 341

**SRB:** pp. 79-80

**TR:** pp. D10-D12, D30-D31

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GRADE 5

# Matter and Energy in Organisms and Ecosystems

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## Standard S.5.5

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Support an argument that plants get the materials they need for growth chiefly from air and water.**

### FOSS Living Systems

**IG:** pp. 47, 51, 53, 171-173 (Steps 7-9), 173 (Step 11), 223 (Step 28), 225-226 (Steps 30-33)

**BM:** pp. 2-3 (Item 1a), pp. 12-13 (Item 7), pp. 30-31 (Item 1), pp. 32-33 (Item 2), pp. 40-41 (Item 9), pp. 42-43 (Item 1a), pp. 44-45 (Item 1b), pp. 46-47 (Item 3), pp. 50-51 (Item 5)

**IA:** *Life Science Task 1—Plant Growth*

**SRB:** pp. 23-26, 40-42, 74, 77

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Engaging in Argument from Evidence

Engaging in argument from evidence in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to critiquing the scientific explanations or solutions proposed by peers by citing relevant evidence about the natural and designed world(s).

- Support an argument with evidence, data, or a model.

#### FOSS Living Systems

**IG:** pp. 172, 190, 193

**TR:** pp. C27-C32, C50-C53

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### LS1.C: Organization for Matter and Energy Flow in Organisms

- Plants acquire their material for growth chiefly from air and water

#### FOSS Living Systems

**IG:** pp. 171-173 (Steps 7-9), 173 (Step 11), 223 (Step 28), 225-226 (Steps 30-33)

**SRB:** pp. 23-26, 40-42, 74, 77

**DOR:** *Plant Structure and Growth*

“Plant Vascular System”

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Energy and Matter

- Matter is transported into, out of, and within systems

#### FOSS Living Systems

**IG:** pp. 172, 173, 193, 210, 229, 257, 272, 313

**SRB:** pp. 23 and 26

**TR:** pp. D19-D21, D38-D41

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## GRADE 5

# Matter and Energy in Organisms and Ecosystems

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.5.6

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Use models to describe that energy in animals' food (used for body repair, growth, motion, and to maintain body warmth) was once energy from the sun.**

### FOSS Living Systems

**IG:** pp. 47, 49, 51, 53, 55, 83, 110 (Step 13), 115 (Step 26), 121 (Step 3), 123 (Step 14), 126 (Step 20), 150-151, 172 (Step 9), 173 (Step 11), 315 (Step 12)

**EA:** *Notebook Entry*, IG p. 175 (Step 16)

**EA:** *Response Sheet*, IG p. 123, SNM No. 4, IG p. 190, SNM No. 11

**BM:** pp. 4-5 (Item 1c), pp. 10-11 (Item 6), pp. 20-21 (Item 3), pp. 22-23 (Items 5ab), pp. 24-25 (Item 7), pp. 28-29 (Items 9 and 10), pp. 34-35 (Items 4 and 5), pp. 36-37 (Item 6)

**SRB:** pp. 7, 8, 24, 26

## Science and Engineering Practices

### Developing and Using Models

Modeling in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to building and revising simple models and using models to represent events and design solutions.

- Use models to describe phenomena.

### FOSS Living Systems

**IG:** pp. 88, 115, 123, 151, 172, 176, 209, 224, 240, 242, 257

**TR:** pp. C11-C13, C36-C39

## Disciplinary Core Ideas

### PS3.D: Energy in Chemical Processes and Everyday Life

- The energy released [from] food was once energy from the sun that was captured by plants in the chemical process that forms plant matter (from air and water)

### FOSS Living Systems

**IG:** pp. 83, 110 (Step 13), 115 (Step 26), 121 (Step 3), 123 (Step 14), 126 (Step 20), 150-151, 172 (Step 9), 173 (Step 11), 315 (Step 12)

**SRB:** pp. 7, 8, 24, 26

**DOR:** *Food Chains*

*Web of Life: Life in the Sea*

### LS1.C: Organization for Matter and Energy Flow in Organisms

- Food provides animals with the materials they need for body repair and growth and the energy they need to maintain body warmth and for motion. (secondary to 5-PS3-1)

### FOSS Living Systems

**IG:** pp. 110 (Step 12), 112 (Step 18), 113 (Step 22), 122, 130 (Step 1), 143, 150-151, 161-162 (Steps 18-19), 191 (Step 22), 208-209, 242 (Step 18)

**SRB:** pp. 27-31

**DOR:** *Food Chains*

*Web of Life: Life in the Sea*

## Crosscutting Concepts

### Energy and Matter

- Energy can be transferred in various ways and between objects.

### FOSS Living Systems

**IG:** pp. 89, 111 (Step 14), 112, 115, 123, 126 (Step 20), 137, 152, 160, 172, 173, 193, 210, 229, 311, 313

**TR:** pp. D19-D21, D38-D41

## GRADE 5

# Matter and Energy in Organisms and Ecosystems

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.5.7

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Develop a model to describe the movement of matter among plants, animals, decomposers, and the environment.**

### FOSS Living Systems

**IG:** pp. 49, 51, 53, 55, 79, 81, 83-84, 90-91, 110-113, 121 (Step 4), 122, 123, 125 (Step 17), 126 (Step 20), 130, 150-151, 162 (Step 19), 192 (Step 24), 312 (Step 4)

**EA:** *Notebook Entry*, IG p. 102 (Step 13), IG p. 116 (Step 29), IG p. 230 (Step 40)

**EA:** *Performance Assessment*, IG p. 132 (Step 6), IG p. 249 (Step 4)

**EA:** *Response Sheet*, IG p. 123, SNM No. 4, IG p. 243, SNM No. 16

**BM:** pp. 4-5 (Items 1bd), pp. 6-7 (Item 3), pp. 8-9 (Items 4 and 5), pp. 14-15 (Item 10), pp. 18-19 (Items 1ab and 2), pp. 20-21 (Item 4), pp. 22-23 (Items 5ab), pp. 26-27 (Items 8ab), pp. 32-33 (Item 3), pp. 34-35 (Item 4), pp. 36-37 (Item 7), pp. 38-39 (Item 8), pp. 44-45 (Item 2), pp. 48-49 (Item 4), pp. 50-51 (Items 6 and 7), pp. 52-53 (Item 8)

**IA:** *Life Science Task 2—Penguins*

**SRB:** pp. 7-10, 14-15, 16, 17, 18-20, 26, 27, 29-31, 71, 74-77

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Developing and Using Models

Modeling in 3–5 builds on K–2 models and progresses to building and revising simple models and using models to represent events and design solutions.

- Develop a model to describe phenomena.

#### FOSS Living Systems

**IG:** pp. 88, 113, 115, 122, 123, 137, 151, 165, 176, 193, 209, 237, 240, 242, 257

**TR:** pp. C11-C13, C36-C39

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### LS2.A: Interdependent Relationships in Ecosystems

- The food of almost any kind of animal can be traced back to plants. Organisms are related in food webs in which some animals eat plants for food and other animals eat the animals that eat plants. Some organisms, such as fungi and bacteria, break down dead organisms (both plants or plants parts and animals) and therefore operate as “decomposers.” Decomposition eventually restores (recycles) some materials back to the soil. Organisms can survive only in environments in which their particular needs are met. A healthy ecosystem is one in which multiple species of different types are each able to meet their needs in a relatively stable web of life. Newly introduced species can damage the balance of an ecosystem.

#### FOSS Living Systems

**IG:** pp. 79, 81, 83-84, 90-91, 110-113, 121 (Step 4), 122, 123, 125 (Step 17), 126 (Step 20), 130, 150-151, 162 (Step 19), 192 (Step 24), 312 (Step 4)

**SRB:** pp. 7-10, 14-15, 16, 17, 18-20, 26, 27, 29-31, 71, 74-77

**DOR:** *Food Chains*

*Marine Ecosystems*

*Web of Life: Life in the Sea*

*“Food Webs”*

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Systems and System Models

- A system can be described in terms of its components and their interactions.

#### FOSS Living Systems

**Module driving question:** How can we describe Earth’s biosphere as a system of interacting parts? (p.317)

**IG:** pp. 99, 102, 122, 132, 162, 173, 184, 229, 230, 240, 242, 311, 312, 313, 316

**SRB:** pp. 3-4, 5-6, 11, 40, 42, 50, 54-55, 56-57, 62-63

**DOR:** *Circulatory and Respiratory Systems*

*Digestive and Excretory System*

*The Brain and the Nervous System*

**TR:** pp. D16-D18, D34-D37

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**LS2.B: Cycles of Matter and Energy Transfer in Ecosystems**

- Matter cycles between the air and soil and among plants, animals, and microbes as these organisms live and die. Organisms obtain gases, and water, from the environment, and release waste matter (gas, liquid, or solid) back into the environment.

**FOSS Living Systems**

**IG:** pp. 79, 81, 83, 125 (Step 17), 137, 150-151, 157 (Step 3), 161 (Step 15), 172 (Step 9), 208-209, 223 (Step 28), 224 (Step 29), 254 (Steps 12 and 15), 311 (Step 1), 312 (Step 4), 315, 316

**SRB:** pp. 17, 18-20, 24-25, 28, 36, 40-41, 48-53, 54-55, 56-57

**DOR:** *Circulatory and Respiratory Systems*  
*“Plant Vascular System”*

**Connections to the Nature of Science****Science Models, Laws, Mechanisms, and Theories Explain Natural Phenomena**

- Science explanations describe the mechanisms for natural events. (5-LS2-1)

**FOSS Living Systems**

**IG:** pp. 114-115 (Step 26), 122, 172, 224, 241, 244, 265, 269

**SRB:** pp. 78-80

GRADE 5

# Earth's Systems

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.5.8

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Describe and graph the amounts of salt water and fresh water in various reservoirs to provide evidence about the distribution of water on Earth.**

### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 57, 63, 367, 376-377, 379, 400, 401-402, 404 (Step 14), 406 (Step 20), 422

**EA:** Notebook Entry, IG p. 406 (Step 20)

**BM:** pp.10-11 (Items 7ab)

**SRB:** p. 124

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Using Mathematics and Computational Thinking

Mathematical and computational thinking in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to extending quantitative measurements to a variety of physical properties and using computation and mathematics to analyze data and compare alternative design solutions.

- Describe and graph quantities such as area and volume to address scientific questions.

#### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 377, 394, 400, 401-402, 403-404

**SRB:** p. 124

**TR:** pp. C21-C22, C46-C47

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### ESS2.C: The Roles of Water in Earth's Surface Processes

- Nearly all of Earth's available water is in the ocean. Most fresh water is in glaciers or underground; only a tiny fraction is in streams, lakes, wetlands, and the atmosphere.

#### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 367, 376-377, 379, 400, 401-402, 404 (Step 14), 406 (Step 20), 422

**SRB:** p. 124

**DOR:** "Water Cycle Game"

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

- Standard units are used to measure and describe physical quantities such as weight and volume.

#### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 402, 417, 419, 422

**TR:** pp. D13-D15, D32-D33

## GRADE 5

# Earth's Systems

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.5.9

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Obtain and combine information about ways individual communities use science ideas to protect the Earth's resources and environment.**

### FOSS Living Systems

IG: pp. 47, 55, 108 (Step 6), 270, 307, 309 (Step 4), 316

SRB: pp. 73, 74-80

BM: pp. 16-17 (Item 11)

### FOSS Earth and Sun

IG: pp. 57, 61, 63, 295, 346, 359-360 (Steps 26-27), 361, 376-377, 421 (Step 20), 422

EA: Notebook Entry, IG p. 421 (Step 20)

BM: pp. 8-9 (Item 6), pp. 14-15 (Item 10), pp. 56-57 (Item 7)

SRB: pp. 144-151

## Science and Engineering Practices

### Obtaining, Evaluating, and Communicating Information

Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to evaluating the merit and accuracy of ideas and methods.

- Obtain and combine information from books and/or other reliable media to explain phenomena or solutions to a design problem.

### FOSS Living Systems

IG: pp. 271, 296, 304, 307, 315, 316

### FOSS Earth and Sun

IG: pp. 331, 332, 355, 359, 360, 361 (Step 28), 408, 416, 419, 422 (Step 21)

TR: pp. C33-C35, C52-C55

## Disciplinary Core Ideas

### ESS3.C: Human Impacts on Earth Systems

- Human activities in agriculture, industry, and everyday life have had major effects on the land, vegetation, streams, ocean, air, and even outer space. But individuals and communities are doing things to help protect Earth's resources and environments.

### FOSS Living Systems

IG: pp. 108 (Step 6), 270, 307, 309 (Step 4), 316

SRB: pp. 73, 74-80

DOR: *Marine Ecosystems*

### FOSS Earth and Sun

IG: pp. 295, 346, 359-360 (Steps 26-27), 361, 376-377, 421 (Step 20), 422

SRB: pp. 144-151

DOR: *Climate and Seasons*

## Crosscutting Concepts

### Systems and System Models

- A system can be described in terms of its components and their interactions.

### FOSS Living Systems

IG: pp. 272, 278, 280, 297, 311, 312, 313, 316

SRB: pp. 3-4, 5-6

### FOSS Earth and Sun

IG: pp. 386, 387, 388, 395, 402, 405, 417, 419, 422 (Step 21)

TR: pp. D16-D18, D34-D37

## Connections to the Nature of Science

### Science Addresses Questions About the Natural and Material World

- Science findings are limited to questions that can be answered with empirical evidence. (5-ESS3-1)

### FOSS Living Systems

IG: pp. 2, 4, 39, 248

SRB: pp. 74-80

### FOSS Earth and Sun

IG: pp. 316 (Step 16), 417 (Step 11), 421 (Step 18)

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## GRADE 5

# Earth's Systems

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.5.10

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Develop a model using an example to describe ways the geosphere, biosphere, hydrosphere, and/or atmosphere interact.**

### FOSS Living Systems

**IG:** pp. 49, 55, 79, 87, 106, 107 (Step 6), 108, 114 (Step 26), 115, 126 (Step 20), 137, 261, 269, 313 (Step 8), 316

**EA:** *Notebook Entry*, IG p. 102 (Step 13) IG p. 116 (Step 29)

**EA:** *Performance Assessment*, IG p. 132 (Step 6)

**BM:** pp. 14-15 (Items 9ab), pp. 24-25 (Item 6)

**SRB:** pp. 7-11, 74-78

### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 57, 61, 239, 250, 272 (Step 11), 286, 287, 304-305, 345, 367, 376-377, 379, 386-387 (Steps 14-15), 405 (Steps 14, 17), 410 (Step 27), 411, 422 (Step 21), 423 (Step 24)

**EA:** *Notebook Entry*, IG p. 273 (Step 12), IG p. 333 (Step 28)

**EA:** *Performance Assessment*, IG p. 386 (Step 12)

**EA:** *Response Sheet*, IG p. 353, SNM No. 22

**BM:** pp. 6-7 (Item 4), pp. 8-9 (Item 5), pp. 12-13 (Item 8), pp. 14-15 (Items 10 and 11), pp. 28-29 (Item 1), pp. 42-43 (Item 4), pp. 44-45 (Items 7abc) pp. 46-47 (Items 1ab), pp. 48-49 (Items 2ab and 3), pp. 50-51 (Item 4), pp. 52-53 (Item 5), pp. 54-55 (Item 6)

**SRB:** pp. 81-84, 85-91, 105-109, 120-123 125-129, 130-138, 139-143

## Science and Engineering Practices

### Developing and Using Models

Modeling in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to building and revising simple models and using models to represent events and design solutions.

- Develop a model using an example to describe a scientific principle.

### FOSS Living Systems

**IG:** pp. 88, 113, 122, 130, 137

### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 258, 260, 361, 377, 386-387, 401, 404, 422 (Step 21)

**TR:** pp. C11-C13, C36-C39

## Disciplinary Core Ideas

### ESS2.A: Earth Materials and Systems

- Earth's major systems are the geosphere (solid and molten rock, soil, and sediments), the hydrosphere (water and ice), the atmosphere (air), and the biosphere (living things, including humans). These systems interact in multiple ways to affect Earth's surface materials and processes. The ocean supports a variety of ecosystems and organisms, shapes landforms, and influences climate. Winds and clouds in the atmosphere interact with the landforms to determine patterns of weather.

### FOSS Living Systems

**IG:** 79, 87, 106, 107 (Step 6), 108, 114 (Step 26), 115, 126 (Step 20), 137, 261, 269, 313 (Step 8), 316

**SRB:** pp. 7-11, 74-78

**DOR:** *Marine Ecosystems*

### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 239, 250, 272 (Step 11), 286, 287, 304-305, 345, 367, 376-377, 379, 386-387 (Steps 14-15), 405 (Steps 14, 17), 410 (Step 27), 411, 422 (Step 21), 423 (Step 24)

**SRB:** pp. 81-84, 85-91, 105-109, 120-123 125-129, 130-138, 139-143

## Crosscutting Concepts

### Systems and System Models

- A system can be described in terms of its components and their interactions.

### FOSS Living Systems

**IG:** pp. 79, 81, 82-83, 87, 90-91, 97, 99, 102, 122, 132, 137, 261, 311, 312, 313, 316

**SRB:** pp. 3-4

**DOR:** *Geography for Students - Physical Systems*

### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 252, 258, 259, 261, 268, 286, 378, 386-387 (Steps 14-15), 395, 402, 405, 417, 419, 422 (Step 21)

**TR:** pp. D16-D18, D34-D37

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## GRADE 5

# Energy

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## Standard S.5.11

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Obtain and combine information to describe that energy and fuels are derived from natural resources and their uses affect the environment.**

### FOSS Earth and Sun

IG: pp. 346, 359, 360, 421, 426

SRB: pp. 110-111, 112-119

EA: pp. 421 (step 20)

### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

IG: pp. 51, 55

EA: *Response Sheet*, IG p. 280, SNM No. 18

EA: *Notebook Entry*, IG p. 291 (Step 15)

BM: pp. 8-9 (Item 6)

## Science and Engineering Practices

### Obtaining, Evaluating, and Communicating Information

Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to evaluate the merit and accuracy of ideas and methods.

- Obtain and combine information from books and other reliable media to explain phenomena.

### FOSS Earth and Sun

IG: pp. 126, 142, 180, 183, 193, 204, 208, 212, 216, 230, 232, 263, 268, 271, 280, 285, 319, 331, 332

TR: pp. C32-C33, C56-C61

## Disciplinary Core Ideas

### ESS3.A: Natural Resources

- Energy and fuels that humans use are derived from natural sources, and their use affects the environment in multiple ways. Some resources are renewable over time, and others are not.

### FOSS Earth and Sun

IG: pp. 346, 359, 360, 421, 426

SRB: pp. 110-111, 112-119

EA: pp. 421 (step 20)

### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

IG: pp. 268-270, 278 (Step 6), 283 (Step 15), 301

DOR: *Natural Resources*

“Resource ID”

“Virtual Investigation: Natural Resources”

## Crosscutting Concepts

### Cause and Effect

- Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified and used to explain change.

### FOSS Earth and Sun

IG: pp. 355, 367, 384, 386, 388

TR: pp. D10-D12, D28-D31

## Connections to Engineering, Technology, and Applications of Science

### Interdependence of Science, Engineering, and Technology

- Knowledge of relevant scientific concepts and research findings is important in engineering. (4-ESS3-1)

### FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms

IG: pp. 282 (Steps 12-14) and 289 (9-11)

SRB: pp. 55-59, 60-64



GRADE 5

# Earth's Systems: Processes that Shape the Earth

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.5.12

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Generate and compare multiple solutions to reduce the impacts of natural Earth processes on humans.\***

**FOSS Earth and Sun**

IG: pp. 420, 421

EA: pp. 421 (step 20)

SRB: pp. 144-151

**FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms**

IG: pp. 51, 55, 212-213, 217, 239 (Step 16), 240 (Step 18), 254-255 (Step 6), 258

EA: *Notebook Entry*, IG p. 255 (Step 9)

BA: pp. 14-15 (Items 9-10), pp. 50-51 (Items 7ab)

### Science and Engineering Practices

**Obtaining, Evaluating, and Communicating Information**

Obtaining, evaluating, and communicating information in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to evaluate the merit and accuracy of ideas and methods.

- Obtain and combine information from books and other reliable media to explain phenomena.

**FOSS Earth and Sun**

IG: pp. 126, 142, 180, 183, 193, 204, 208, 212, 216, 230, 232, 263, 268, 271, 280, 285, 319, 331, 332

TR: pp. C32-C33, C56-C61

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

**ESS3.B: Natural Hazards**

- A variety of hazards result from natural processes (e.g., earthquakes, tsunamis, volcanic eruptions). Humans cannot eliminate the hazards but can take steps to reduce their impacts.

**FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms**

IG: pp. 212-213, 217, 239 (Step 16), 240 (Step 18), 254-255 (Step 6), 258

DOR: *Volcanoes*

*All About Earthquakes*

**ETS1.B: Designing Solutions to Engineering Problems**

- Testing a solution involves investigating how well it performs under a range of likely conditions. (secondary to 4-ESS3-2)

**FOSS Earth and Sun**

IG: pp. 420, 421

EA: pp. 421 (step 20)

SRB: pp. 144-151

**FOSS Soils, Rocks, and Landforms**

IG: pp. 225, 232-235, 254-255 (Steps 6-9), 258

### Crosscutting Concepts

**Cause and Effect**

- Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified and used to explain change.

**FOSS Earth and Sun**

IG: pp. 355, 367, 384, 386, 388

TR: pp. D10-D12, D28-D31

GRADE 5

# Space Systems: Stars and the Solar System

The following FOSS program elements address the standards indicated below. References are selected and do not reflect every possible alignment to a standard.

## Standard S.5.13

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Support an argument that differences in the apparent brightness of the sun compared to other stars is due to their relative distances from Earth.**

### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 57, 59, 151, 154, 155, 165-166, 169-70, 177-178 (Step 9), 181 (Step 16), 182, 185, 190-191 (Step 8), 194 (Step 15), 223 (Step 2), 228 (Step 13), 230 (Step 17), 231 (Step 20), 233

**EA:** *Notebook Entry*, IG p. 182 (Step 18) IG 229 (Step 15)

**BM:** pp. 4-5 (Items 3ab), pp. 32-33 (Item 5), pp. 34-35 (Item 6)

**IA:** *Earth Science Task 1—Star Brightness*

**SRB:** pp. 15, 22, 48-49, 66-67, 70, 78

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Engaging in Argument from Evidence

Engaging in argument from evidence in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to critiquing the scientific explanations or solutions proposed by peers by citing relevant evidence about the natural and designed world(s).

- Support an argument with evidence, data, or a model.

#### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 167, 177, 189, 217

#### FOSS Earth and Sun

**SRB:** pp. 20-24

**TR:** pp. C27-C32, C50-C53

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### ESS1.A: The Universe and its Stars

- The sun is a star that appears larger and brighter than other stars because it is closer. Stars range greatly in their distance from Earth.

#### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 151, 154, 155, 165-166, 169-70, 177-178 (Step 9), 181 (Step 16), 182, 185, 190-191 (Step 8), 194 (Step 15), 223 (Step 2), 228 (Step 13), 230 (Step 17), 231 (Step 20), 233

**SRB:** pp. 15, 22, 48-49, 66-67, 70, 78

**DOR:** *All about the Stars*

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Scale, Proportion, and Quantity

- Natural objects exist from the very small to the immensely large.

#### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 168, 181, 188, 189, 190, 191, 194, 233

**TR:** pp. D13-D15, D32-D33

GRADE 5

# Space Systems: Stars and the Solar System

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## Standard S.5.14

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Represent data in graphical displays to reveal patterns of daily changes in length and direction of shadows, day and night, and the seasonal appearance of some stars in the night sky.**

### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 57, 59, 57, 93, 95 100-101, 111, 113 (Step 12), 115, 122 (Step 13), 124 (Step 19), 126 (Step 22), 128 (Step 25), 132, 133-139 (Steps 5-20), 142 (Steps 26-27), 144, 145 (Step 31), 155, 165-166, 177 (Step 9), 185, 228-229, 234 (Step 22)

**EA:** *Notebook Entry*, IG pp. 142-143 (Steps 27-29), IG p. 182 (Step 18) IG p. 229 (Step 15)

**EA:** *Response Sheet*, IG p. 127, SNM No. 3

**BM:** pp. 2-3 (Items 1ab), pp. 4-5 (Item 2), pp. 16-17 (Items 12 and 13), pp. 18-19 (Items 1ab), pp. 20-21 (Items 3 and 4), pp. 22-23 (Items 5ab)

pp. 24-25 (Item 6), pp. 26-27 (Items 7ab), pp. 28-29 (Item 2), pp. 30-31 (Items 3abc), pp. 34-35 (Items 7ab), pp. 36-37 (Item 8)

**IA:** *Earth Science Task 2—Shadows*

**SRB:** pp. 3-7, 10-13, 34-35

### Science and Engineering Practices

#### Analyzing and Interpreting Data

Analyzing data in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to introducing quantitative approaches to collecting data and conducting multiple trials of qualitative observations. When possible and feasible, digital tools should be used.

- Represent data in graphical displays (bar graphs, pictographs and/or pie charts) to reveal patterns that indicate relationships.

#### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 101, 112, 122, 124, 136, 143, 178, 181, 199, 209

**TR:** pp. C18-C20, C44-C45

### Disciplinary Core Ideas

#### ESS1.B: Earth and the Solar System

- The orbits of Earth around the sun and of the moon around Earth, together with the rotation of Earth about an axis between its North and South poles, cause observable patterns. These include day and night; daily changes in the length and direction of shadows; and different positions of the sun, moon, and stars at different times of the day, month, and year.

#### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 57, 93, 95 100-101, 111, 113 (Step 12), 115, 122 (Step 13), 124 (Step 19), 126 (Step 22), 128 (Step 25), 132, 133-139 (Steps 5-20), 142 (Steps 26-27), 144, 145 (Step 31), 155, 165-166, 177 (Step 9), 185, 228-229, 234 (Step 22)

**SRB:** pp. 3-7, 10-13, 34-35

**DOR:** “Tutorial: Sun Tracking”  
*Shadow Tracker*

### Crosscutting Concepts

#### Patterns

- Similarities and differences in patterns can be used to sort, classify, communicate and analyze simple rates of change for natural phenomena.

#### FOSS Earth and Sun

**IG:** pp. 102, 113, 122, 124, 143, 178, 185, 199, 211, 229, 233

**SRB:** p.13

**TR:** pp. D6-D9, D28-D29

## GRADE 5

# Engineering Design

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## Standard S.5.15

*Students who demonstrate understanding can:*

**Define a simple design problem reflecting a need or a want that includes specified criteria for success and constraints on materials, time, or cost.**

### **FOSS Mixtures and Solutions**

**IG:** pp. 49, 51, 53, 96, 127 (Step 6), 127 (Step 9), 132 (Step 21), 297 (Steps 16-21), 301 (Step 29)

**EA:** *Notebook Entry*, IG p. 298 (Step 21)

**BM:** pp. 4-5 (Item 3a)

### **FOSS Earth and Sun**

**IG:** pp. 352-361

**EA:** *Performance Assessment*, IG p. 355 (Step 14)

**SRB:** pp. 110-111, 112-119

**BM:** pp. 14-15 (Item 10), pp. 56-57 (Item 8)

## Science and Engineering Practices

### **Asking Questions and Defining Problems**

Asking questions and defining problems in 3–5 builds on grades K–2 experiences and progresses to specifying qualitative relationships.

- Define a simple design problem that can be solved through the development of an object, tool, process, or system and includes several criteria for success and constraints on materials, time, or cost.

### **FOSS Mixtures and Solutions**

**IG:** pp. 97, 127, 132 (Steps 19-20), 259, 287, 297, 299 (Step 23)

**SRB:** pp. 14-15

**TR:** pp. C7-C11, C36-C37

## Disciplinary Core Ideas

### **ETS1.A: Defining and Delimiting Engineering Problems**

- Possible solutions to a problem are limited by available materials and resources (constraints). The success of a designed solution is determined by considering the desired features of a solution (criteria). Different proposals for solutions can be compared on the basis of how well each one meets the specified criteria for success or how well each takes the constraints into account.

### **FOSS Mixtures and Solutions**

**IG:** pp. 96, 127 (Step 6), 127 (Step 9), 132 (Step 21), 297 (Steps 16-21), 301 (Step 29)

**SRB:** pp. 54-61

## Crosscutting Concepts

### **Influence of Engineering, Technology, and Science on Society and the Natural World**

- People's needs and wants change over time, as do their demands for new and improved technologies.

### **FOSS Mixtures and Solutions**

**IG:** pp. 98 and 298 (Step 22)

**SRB:** pp. 54-61

**DOR:** *Water Cycle*

## GRADE 5

# Engineering Design

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## Standard S.5.16

*Students who demonstrate understanding can:*

**Generate and compare multiple possible solutions to a problem based on how well each is likely to meet the criteria and constraints of the problem.**

### **FOSS Earth and Sun**

**IG:** pp. 57, 59, 61, pp. 352-361

**EA:** *Performance Assessment*, IG p. 355 (Step 14)

**BM:** pp. 14-15 (Item 10), pp. 56-57 (Item 8)

### **FOSS Mixtures and Solutions**

**IG:** pp. 49, 51, 53

**EA:** *Notebook Entry*, IG p. 298 (Step 21)

**EA:** *Performance Assessment*, IG p. 127 (Steps 6-9)

**BM:** pp. 4-5 (Item 3a), pp. 6-7 (Item 4), pp. 8-9 (Item 7), pp. 12-13 (Items 9ab), pp. 14-15 (Item 12), pp. 18-19 (Item 2), pp. 22-23 (Item 6b)

## Science and Engineering Practices

### **Constructing Explanations and Designing Solutions**

Constructing explanations and designing solutions in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to the use of evidence in constructing explanations that specify variables that describe and predict phenomena and in designing multiple solutions to design problems.

- Generate and compare multiple solutions to a problem based on how well they meet the criteria and constraints of the design problem.

### **FOSS Earth and Sun**

**IG:** pp. 305 and 358

### **FOSS Mixtures and Solutions**

**IG:** pp. 97, 128, 132 (Step 21), 297, 299 (Step 25)

**SRB:** pp. 14-15, 62-67

**TR:** pp. C23-C26, C48-C51

## Disciplinary Core Ideas

### **ETS1.B: Developing Possible Solutions**

- Research on a problem should be carried out before beginning to design a solution. Testing a solution involves investigating how well it performs under a range of likely conditions.
- At whatever stage, communicating with peers about proposed solutions is an important part of the design process, and shared ideas can lead to improved designs.

### **FOSS Earth and Sun**

**IG:** pp. 304-305, 354 (Step 7), 357 (Step 20), 361

### **FOSS Mixtures and Solutions**

**IG:** pp. 127 (Steps 6-9), 297 (Step 19), 301

**SRB:** pp. 50-53

## Crosscutting Concepts

### **Influence of Engineering, Technology, and Science on Society and the Natural World**

- Engineers improve existing technologies or develop new ones to increase their benefits, decrease known risks, and meet societal demands.

### **FOSS Earth and Sun**

**IG:** pp. 346 (Step 28) and 360 (Step 27)

**SRB:** pp. 110-111

### **FOSS Mixtures and Solutions**

**IG:** p. 300

**SRB:** pp. 62-69

## GRADE 5

# Engineering Design

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## Standard S.5.17

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

**Plan and carry out fair tests in which variables are controlled and failure points are considered to identify aspects of a model or prototype that can be improved.**

### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

IG: pp. 49, 51, 53, 96, 127 (Step 6), 127 (Step 9), 132 (Step 21), 297 (Steps 16-21), 301 (Step 29)

EA: *Notebook Entry*, IG p. 298 (Step 21)

BM: pp. 4-5 (Item 3a)

### FOSS Earth and Sun

IG: pp. 352-361

EA: *Performance Assessment*, IG p. 355 (Step 14)

SRB: pp. 110-111, 112-119

BM: pp. 14-15 (Item 10), pp. 56-57 (Item 8)

## Science and Engineering Practices

### Planning and Carrying Out Investigations

Planning and carrying out investigations to answer questions or test solutions to problems in 3–5 builds on K–2 experiences and progresses to include investigations that control variables and provide evidence to support explanations or design solutions.

- Plan and conduct an investigation collaboratively to produce data to serve as the basis for evidence, using fair tests in which variables are controlled and the number of trials considered.

### FOSS Earth and Sun

IG: pp. 294, 313, 315, 325, 339, 340, 353, 355

### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

IG: pp. 88, 96, 128 (Step 13), 132 (Step 19), 137-138 (Steps 6-8)

SRB: pp. 14-15

TR: pp. C14-C17, C46-C47

## Disciplinary Core Ideas

### ETS1.B: Developing Possible Solutions

- Tests are often designed to identify failure points or difficulties, which suggest the elements of the design that need to be improved.

### FOSS Earth and Sun

IG: pp. 295, 304-305

### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

IG: pp. 3, 96, 127 (Step 9), 132 (Steps 19-21)

### ETS1.C: Optimizing the Design Solution

- Different solutions need to be tested in order to determine which of them best solves the problem, given the criteria and the constraints.

### FOSS Earth and Sun

IG: pp. 295, 304-305, 354 (Step 7)

### FOSS Mixtures and Solutions

IG: pp. 96, 132 (Steps 19-21)