

PROJECT LEARNING TREE'S  
PREK-8 ACTIVITY GUIDE  
*AND*  
ENERGY & SOCIETY KIT  
TO NH FRAMEWORKS FOR  
SCIENCE LITERACY (K-12)



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## **METHODOLOGY**

### **2006 Correlation Revision (Science)**

NH's curriculum standards have undergone substantial change in response to the federal No Child Left Behind Act. The former state standards were written for the end of grades three, six and ten. To meet new formalized assessment requirements, the NH Frameworks for Science Literacy (K-12), approved in June 2006, address content and skills, and are divided into grade spans for K-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8, 9-11 (basic literacy) and 11-12 (advanced literacy).

The NH Frameworks for Science Literacy (K-12) contain the following components:

- **Domain**: There are four domains within the science curriculum frameworks: Earth Space Science (ESS), Life Science (LS), Physical Science (PS), and Science Process Skills (SPS).
- **Strand**: There are five strands, or enduring knowledge statements, in LS and four each in domains of PS and ESS. Strands are the SAME for each grade span although not all components may be seen in each grade span. (Example: LS1 – All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species.))
- **Stem**: These are the categories of ideas. Stems are common throughout all grade spans. (Example: 1. Classification)
- **Grade-span Expectations (Proficiencies)**: These are what all students should know and be able to do within a specific grade range. The ranges include: K-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8, 9-11 (basic literacy level) 11-12 (advanced level).

For each strand, the associated proficiencies were consulted to help inform the degree of correlation of the broader strand with each activity; a match of at least one proficiency was required to indicate a correlation. Three elements of each activity will help focus the correlation process.

- The subject identifier in the sidebar determined whether the activity was correlated to the science frameworks; if science is not listed the activity was not be addressed.
- The grade levels noted in the sidebar determined which grade span proficiencies were examined.
- The description of activity objectives in the sidebar informed which curriculum and proficiency standard(s) are related to the activity.

Note: Any attempt to correlate universal curriculum standards and a single curriculum program involves subjectivity. Two important steps were taken to limit bias. First, the author applied this rigorous methodology to determine correlation. Second, drafts were peer-reviewed by PLT-trained elementary, middle, and high school teachers. Reviewers most common finding was that PLT activities lend themselves to modification, and in so doing, would meet many more standards than indicated. NHPLT chose, however, to correlate based on a strict interpretation of the activities, as they are written.

## HOW TO USE THIS HANDBOOK

The purpose of this handbook is to assist educators who are reviewing and revising their science curricula. The primary audience is classroom teachers, curriculum specialists, and curriculum committees.

The handbook is divided into three sections, as follows:

- **PART I lists each PLT activity in the *PreK-8 Activity Guide* and *Energy & Society Kit* followed by the standards from the NH Frameworks for Science Literacy (K-12) with which it is aligned.**

Use Part I if you have a particular PLT activity in mind and want to know how it correlates with the state curriculum standards. Or, to find an appropriate activity to meet your needs, use PLT's "Topic Index" to select several potential activities to supplement your unit. To determine which state standards correlate with these activities, find the number and name of each activity in this handbook. Select an activity based on your objectives for your unit and the degree to which the activity correlates with appropriate standards. Each PLT activity is indicated by activity number and name and is followed by the strand and stem for each framework that is correlated to that activity.

- **PART II lists individual state curriculum standards from the NH Frameworks for Science Literacy (K-12), followed by the PLT activities that meet the individual standards.**

Use Part II if you have a particular curriculum standard in mind and want to find an activity that meets this standard. Then read about the activities in your PLT guide to determine the one most suitable for your particular situation.

All science domains (i.e. Life Science), strands (i.e. All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species) and stems (i.e. 1- Classification) are listed. Following each standard, the PLT activities aligned with that standard are identified by number and name.

- **Part III is a chart that lists each PLT activity in the *PreK-8 Activity Guide* and *Energy & Society Kit* and the standards from the NH Frameworks for Science Literacy (K-12) with which each activity is aligned.**

Note: Throughout this handbook, the domains are abbreviated as follows:

ESS – Earth Space Science  
LS – Life Science  
PS – Physical Science  
SPS – Science Process Skills

# **Project Learning Tree Activities**

## **1: The Shape of Things**

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS4** – Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

## **2: Get In Touch With Trees**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 – Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

**SPS4** – Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

## **3: Peppermint Beetle**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

## **4: Sounds Around**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

1 - Classification

2 - Living Things and Organization

## **4: Sounds Around (cont.)**

**LS4** – Humans are similar to other species in many ways, and yet are unique among Earth's life forms.

1 - Behavior

**LS5** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Life Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

2 - Tools

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

3 - Science and Technology; Technological Design and Application

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

4 - Problem Identification, Formulation, and Solution

6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **5: Poet-Tree**

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

## **6: Picture This!**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

1 - Classification

2 - Living Things and Organization

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment



## **6: Picture This! (cont.)**

**ESS1** -The Earth and Earth materials, as we know them today, have developed over long periods of time, through constant change processes.

1 - Atmosphere, Climate, and Weather

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

## **7: Habitat Pen Pals**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

1 - Classification

2 - Living Things and Organization

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

## **8: The Forest of S.T. Shrew**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

2 - Living Things and Organization

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

3 - Recycling of Materials

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

3 - Critical Thinking and Systems Thinking

## **9: Planet Diversity**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

1 - Classification

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations

4 - Representing and Understanding Results of Investigations

5 - Evaluating Scientific Investigations

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

## **10: Charting Diversity**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

1 - Classification

2 - Living Things and Organization

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

## **11: Can It Be Real?**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

1 - Classification

## **11: Can It Be Real? (cont.)**

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

2 - Evolution

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

## **12: Invasive Species**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

1 – Classification

2 – Living Things and Organization

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

1 – Change

3 – Natural Selection

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

1 - Information and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

## **13: We All Need Trees**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

1 - Classification

**LS5** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Life Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

1 - Design Technology

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **14: Renewable or Not?**

**PS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Physical Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local and Global): Energy, Power, and Transportation and Manufacturing

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

## **15: A Few of My Favorite Things**

**LS5** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Life Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

1 - Design Technology

## **15: A Few of My Favorite Things (cont.)**

**PS1**- All living and nonliving things are composed of matter having characteristic properties that distinguish one substance from another (independent of size/amount of substance).

1 - Composition

**PS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Physical Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

1 – Design Technology

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

3 - Critical Thinking and Systems Thinking

## **16: Pass the Plants, Please**

**LS4** - Humans are similar to other species in many ways, and yet are unique among Earth's life forms.

3 - Human Identity

## **17: People of the Forest**

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

1 - Change

**LS5** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Life Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

1 - Design Technology

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

1 - Information and Media Literacy

## **18: Tale of the Sun**

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

1 - Change

**LS4** - Humans are similar to other species in many ways, and yet are unique among Earth's life forms.

1 - Behavior

**LS5** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Life Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

1 - Design Technology

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

3 - Science and Technology; Technological Design and Application

## **19: Viewpoints on the Line**

**LS4** - Humans are similar to other species in many ways, and yet are unique among Earth's life forms.

1 - Behavior

## **20: Environmental Exchange Box**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

3 - Natural Selection

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

8 - Accountability and Adaptability

9 - Social Responsibility

## **21: Adopt a Tree**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

3 - Recycling of Materials

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

3 - Critical Thinking and Systems Thinking

7 - Self Direction

## **22: Trees as Habitats**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

3 - Recycling of Materials

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

## **23: The Fallen Log**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

1 - Classification

2 - Living Things and Organization

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

2 - Flow of Energy

3 - Recycling of Materials

## **23: The Fallen Log (cont.)**

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

- 1 – Change
- 3 – Natural Selection

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

- 1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS2** - Unifying Concepts of Science

- 4 - Patterns of Change

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

- 2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

## **24: Nature's Recyclers**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

- 1 - Environment
- 2 - Flow of Energy
- 3 - Recycling of Materials

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

- 1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions
- 3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations
- 4 - Representing and Understanding Results of Investigations

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

- 1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

- 2 - Communication Skills
- 4 - Problem Identification, Formulation, and Solution
- 6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **25: Birds and Worms**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

- 2 - Living Things and Organization



## **25: Birds and Worms (cont.)**

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

4 - Representing and Understanding Results of Investigations

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

3 - Critical Thinking and Systems Thinking

## **26: Dynamic Duos**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

3 - Recycling of Materials

## **27: Every Tree for Itself**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

2 - Living Things and Organization

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

2 - Flow of Energy

## **28: Air Plants**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

2 - Flow of Energy

## **29: Rain Reasons**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

3 - Natural Selection

## **30: Three Cheers for Trees**

*None*

## **31: Plant a Tree**

**LS5** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Life Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

4 – Career Technical Education Connections

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

## **32: A Forest of Many Uses**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

1 - Change

**LS5** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Life Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

4 – Career Technical Education Connections

## **33: Forest Consequences**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

1 - Change

**SPS2** - Unifying Concepts of Science

2 - Systems and Energy

### **33: Forest Consequences (cont.)**

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

- 1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors
- 2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation
- 3 - Science and Technology; Technological Design and Application

### **34: Who Works In This Forest?**

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

- 1 - Change

**LS5** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Life Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

- 4 - Career Technical Education Connections

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

- 4 - Career and Technical Education

### **35: Loving It Too Much**

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

- 1 - Change

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

- 3 - Social Issues (Local and Global): Uses of Earth materials and Environmental Change

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

- 1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors
- 2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

- 6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **36: Pollution Search**

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

1 - Change

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local and Global)

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

3 - Critical Thinking and Systems Thinking

## **37: Reduce, Reuse, Recycle**

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local and Global)

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

4 - Representing and Understanding Results of Investigations

**SPS2** - Unifying Concepts of Science

1 - Nature of Science

2 - Systems and Energy

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

1 - Information and Media Literacy

## **38: Every Drop Counts**

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local and Global)

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

4 - Problem Identification, Formulation, and Solution

7 - Self Direction

## **39: Energy Sleuths**

**PS2** - Energy is necessary for change to occur in matter. Energy can be stored, transferred and transformed, but cannot be destroyed.

3 - Energy

**PS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Physical Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local and Global): Energy, Power, and Transportation and Manufacturing

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

1 - Information and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

## **40: Then and Now**

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

1 - Change

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local and Global)

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS2** - Unifying Concepts of Science

4 - Patterns of Change

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

## **41: How Plants Grow**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

2 - Living Things and Organization

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

1 - Change

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

2 - Designing Scientific Investigations

3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations

4 - Representing and Understanding Results of Investigations

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **42: Sunlight and Shades of Green**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

2 - Living Things and Organization

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

2 - Flow of Energy

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

1 - Change

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations

5 - Evaluating Scientific Investigations

## **43: Have Seeds, Will Travel**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

1 - Classification

2 - Living Things and Organization

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

## **44: Water Wonders**

**ESS1** -The Earth and Earth materials, as we know them today, have developed over long periods of time, through constant change processes.

1 - Atmosphere, Climate, and Weather

7 - Water

**SPS2** - Unifying Concepts of Science

3 - Models and Scale

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

## **45: Web of Life**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

2 - Living Things and Organization

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

2 - Flow of Energy

3 - Recycling of Materials

**SPS2** - Unifying Concepts of Science

2 - Systems and Energy

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

1 - Information and Media Literacy

## **46: School Yard Safari**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

2 - Living Things and Organization

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

2 - Flow of Energy

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

## **47: Are Vacant Lots Vacant?**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

3 - Recycling of Materials



## **47: Are Vacant Lots Vacant? (cont.)**

### **SPS1 - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills**

- 1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions
- 3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations
- 4 - Representing and Understanding Results of Investigations

### **SPS3 – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives**

- 1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

### **SPS4 - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy**

- 2 - Communication Skills

## **48: Field, Forest, and Stream**

### **LS2 - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.**

- 1 - Environment
- 3 - Recycling of Materials

### **LS3 - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).**

- 1 - Change
- 3 - Natural Selection

### **LS5 - The growth of scientific knowledge in Life Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.**

- 2 - Tools

### **ESS4 - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.**

- 2 - Tools

### **SPS1 - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills**

- 1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions
- 3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations
- 4 - Representing and Understanding Results of Investigations
- 5 - Evaluating Scientific Investigations

### **SPS3 – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives**

- 1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

### **SPS4 - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy**

- 6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **49: Tropical Treehouse**

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

- 1 - Information and Media Literacy
- 2 - Communication Skills

## **50: 400-Acre Wood**

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

- 1 - Change

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

- 1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors
- 2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

- 2 - Communication Skills
- 3 - Critical Thinking and Systems Thinking
- 6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **51: Make Your Own Paper**

**LS5** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Life Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

- 1 - Design Technology

**PS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Physical Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

- 1 – Design Technology
- 2 – Tools
- 3 – Social Issues (Local and Global): Energy, Power, and Transportation and Manufacturing

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

- 3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations

## **52: A Look At Aluminum**

**PS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Physical Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local and Global): Energy, Power, and Transportation and Manufacturing

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local and Global)

## **53: On the Move**

**PS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Physical Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local and Global): Energy, Power, and Transportation and Manufacturing

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

3 - Critical Thinking and Systems Thinking

## **54: I'd Like to Visit a Place Where...**

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **55: Planning the Ideal Community**

*None*

## **56: We Can Work It Out**

*None*

## **57: Democracy in Action**

*None*

## **58: There Ought to Be A Law**

*None*

## **59: Power of Print**

*None*

## **60: Publicize It!**

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy 2 - Communication Skills

3 - Critical Thinking and Systems Thinking

6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **61: The Closer You Look**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

2 - Living Things and Organization

## **61: The Closer You Look (cont.)**

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

## **62: To Be A Tree**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

2 - Living Things and Organization

**SPS2** - Unifying Concepts of Science

3 - Models and Scale

## **63: Tree Factory**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

2 - Living Things and Organization

**SPS2** - Unifying Concepts of Science

3 - Models and Scale

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **64: Looking at Leaves**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

1 - Classification

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

## **64: Looking at Leaves (cont.)**

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy  
6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **65: Bursting Buds**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).  
2 - Living Things and Organization

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills  
1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS2** - Unifying Concepts of Science  
4 - Patterns of Change  
5 - Form and Function

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy  
7 - Self Direction

## **66: Germinating Giants**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).  
2 - Living Things and Organization

**LS5** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Life Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.  
2 - Tools

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills  
1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions  
3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations

**SPS2** - Unifying Concepts of Science  
5 - Form and Function

## **67: How Big Is Your Tree?**

**LS5** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Life Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

- 1 - Design Technology
- 2 - Tools
- 4 - Career Technical Education Connections

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

- 1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions
- 3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations
- 4 - Representing and Understanding Results of Investigations

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

- 1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

- 6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **68: Name That Tree**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

- 1 - Classification

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

- 1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

- 1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

- 6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **69: Forest for the Trees**

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

- 1 - Change

## **69: Forest for the Trees (cont.)**

**LS5** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Life Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

4 – Career Technical Education Connections

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **70: Soil Stories**

**ESS1** -The Earth and Earth materials, as we know them today, have developed over long periods of time, through constant change processes.

2 – Composition and Features

6 – Rock Cycle

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations

4 - Representing and Understanding Results of Investigations

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

## **71: Watch on Wetlands**

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local and Global)

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills 1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations

4 - Representing and Understanding Results of Investigations

5 - Evaluating Scientific Investigations

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation



## **71: Watch on Wetlands (cont.)**

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

- 2 - Communication Skills
- 3 - Critical Thinking and Systems Thinking
- 5 - Creativity and Intellectual Curiosity
- 6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills
- 9 - Social Responsibility

## **72: Air We Breathe**

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

- 1 - Change

**LS5** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Life Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

- 1 - Design Technology
- 3 - Social Issues (Local and Global): Medical Technology and Biotechnology

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

- 1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions
- 3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

- 2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

- 2 - Communication Skills
- 5 - Creativity and Intellectual Curiosity

## **73: Waste Watchers**

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

- 1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions
- 3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations
- 4 - Representing and Understanding Results of Investigations

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

- 2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

## **73: Waste Watchers (cont.)**

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

4 - Problem Identification, Formulation, and Solution

7 - Self Direction

## **74: People, Places, Things**

*None*

## **75: Tipi Talk**

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

3 - Critical Thinking and Systems Thinking

## **76: Tree Cookies**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

1 - Change

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

## **77: Trees in Trouble**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

1 - Change

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations

4 - Representing and Understanding Results of Investigations

## **77: Trees in Trouble (cont.)**

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

- 1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors
- 2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

- 6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **78: Signs of Fall**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

- 1 - Environment

**LS4** - Humans are similar to other species in many ways, and yet are unique among Earth's life forms.

- 1 - Behavior

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

- 1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

## **79: Tree Lifecycle**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

- 3 - Reproduction

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

- 2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** – Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

- 2 - Communication Skills

## **80: Nothing Succeeds Like Succession**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

- 1 - Environment

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

- 1 - Change

## **80: Nothing Succeeds Like Succession (cont.)**

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS2** - Unifying Concepts of Science

4 - Patterns of Change

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

7 - Self Direction

## **81: Living with Fire**

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

1 - Change

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local and Global)

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS2** - Unifying Concepts of Science

1 - Nature of Science

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

## **82: Resource-Go-Round**

**PS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Physical Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local and Global): Energy, Power, and Transportation and Manufacturing

## **82: Resource-Go-Round (cont.)**

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local and Global)

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

1 - Information and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

## **83: A Peek at Packaging**

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

4 - Career and Technical Education

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **84: The Global Climate**

**LS2** - Energy flows and matter recycles through an ecosystem.

1 - Environment

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

1 – Change

## **84: The Global Climate (cont.)**

**ESS1** -The Earth and Earth materials, as we know them today, have developed over long periods of time, through constant change processes.

1 - Atmosphere, Climate, and Weather

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS2** - Unifying Concepts of Science

4 - Patterns of Change

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

1 - Information and Media Literacy

## **85: In the Driver's Seat**

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local and Global)

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

7 - Self Direction

## **86: Our Changing World**

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

1 - Change

## **86: Our Changing World (cont.)**

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local and Global)

**SPS2** - Unifying Concepts of Science

5 - Form and Function

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

3 - Critical Thinking and Systems Thinking

## **87: Earth Manners**

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local and Global)

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **88: Life on the Edge**

**LS1** - All living organisms have identifiable structures and characteristics that allow for survival (organisms, populations, & species).

2 - Living Things and Organization

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

## **88: Life on the Edge (cont.)**

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

- 1 - Information and Media Literacy
- 2 - Communication Skills
- 5 - Creativity and Intellectual Curiosity
- 6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **89: Trees for Many Reasons**

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

- 1 - Change

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

- 3 - Social Issues (Local and Global)

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

- 2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

## **90: Native Ways**

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

- 2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

- 2 - Communication Skills

## **91: In the Good Old Days**

**LS4** - Humans are similar to other species in many ways, and yet are unique among Earth's life forms.

- 1 - Behavior

**SPS2** - Unifying Concepts of Science

- 1 - Nature of Science



## **91: In the Good Old Days (cont.)**

### **SPS3 – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives**

- 1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors
- 2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

### **SPS4 - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy**

- 1 - Information and Media Literacy
- 2 - Communication Skills
- 5 - Creativity and Intellectual Curiosity

## **92: A Look at Lifestyles**

**LS5** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Life Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

- 1 - Design Technology

**ESS1** -The Earth and Earth materials, as we know them today, have developed over long periods of time, through constant change processes.

- 2 – Composition and Features

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

- 3 – Social Issues (Local and Global)

### **SPS3 – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives**

- 1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors
- 2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

### **SPS4 - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy**

- 1 - Information and Media Literacy
- 6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **93: Paper Civilizations**

*None*

## **94: By the Rivers of Babylon**

**LS3** - Groups of organisms show evidence of change over time (e.g. evolution, natural selection, structures, behaviors, and biochemistry).

1 - Change

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

1 - Information and Media Literacy

2 - Communication Skills

5 - Creativity and Intellectual Curiosity

6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **95: Did You Notice?**

*None*

## **96: Improve Your Place**

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

1 - Making Observations and Asking Questions

3 - Conducting Scientific Investigations

**SPS3** – Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 - Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

2 - Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication, and Media Literacy

3 - Critical Thinking and Systems Thinking

4 - Problem Identification, Formulation, and Solution

6 - Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

# **Energy & Society Kit**

## **1: Energy Detectives**

**PS2** - Energy is necessary for change to occur in matter. Energy can be stored, transferred and transformed, but cannot be destroyed.

3 – Energy

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

2 – Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 – Communication Skills

7 – Self Direction

## **2: May The Source Be With You**

**PS2** - Energy is necessary for change to occur in matter. Energy can be stored, transferred and transformed, but cannot be destroyed.

3 – Energy

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

1 – Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

2 – Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

2 – Communication Skills

5 – Creativity and Intellectual Curiosity

6 – Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

## **3:Energy Chains**

**PS2** - Energy is necessary for change to occur in matter. Energy can be stored, transferred and transformed, but cannot be destroyed.

2 – Conservation

3 – Energy

**PS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Physical Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

3 – Social Issues (Local & Global): Energy, Power, And Transportation & Manufacturing

### **3:Energy Chains (cont.)**

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

- 1 – Making Observations and asking questions
- 2 – Designing scientific investigations

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

- 1 – Collaboration in Scientific Endeavors

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

- 3 – Critical Thinking and Systems Thinking
- 6 – Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills

### **4: What Powers the Move?**

*NONE*

### **5: In the Driver's Seat**

**ESS4** - The growth of scientific knowledge in Earth Space Science has been advanced through the development of technology and is used (alone or in combination with other sciences) to identify, understand and solve local and global issues.

- 3 – Social Issues (Local and Global): Uses of Earth Materials & Environmental Change

**SPS1** - Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking Skills

- 1 – Making Observations and Asking Questions

**SPS3** - Personal, Social, and Technological Perspectives

- 2 – Common Environmental Issues, Natural Resources Management and Conservation

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

- 7 – Self Direction

### **6: Energy Challenge Game**

**SPS4** - Science Skills for Information, Communication and Media Literacy

- 2 – Communication Skills
- 6 – Interpersonal and Collaborative Skills