

Component Idea	Scope	Performance Expectation (PE)	Disciplinary Core Idea (DCI)	Science and Engineering Practice(s) (SEP)	Crosscutting Concepts (CCC)
 PS1: Matter and Its Interactions					
Structures and Properties of Matter	Structure of Matter	MS-PS1-1	PS1.A	Developing and Using Models	Scale, Proportion, and Quantity
	Chemical Properties and Interactions	MS-PS1-2 MS-PS1-3	PS1.A	Analyzing and Interpreting Data Obtaining, Evaluating, and Communicating Information	Patterns
	Changes in Energy on the Molecular Level	MS-PS1-4	PS1.A	Developing and Using Models	Cause and Effect
Nuclear Processes	Introduction to Fusion	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Chemical Reactions	Characteristics of Chemical Reactions	MS-PS1-2 MS-PS1-3 MS-PS1-5	PS1.B	Analyzing and Interpreting Data Obtaining, Evaluating, and Communicating Information Developing and Using Models	Patterns Energy and Matter Structure and Function
	Modeling Conservation of Matter	MS-PS1-5	PS1.B	Developing and Using Models	Energy and Matter
	Energy in Chemical Reactions	MS-PS1-6	PS1.B	Constructing Explanations and Designing Solutions	Energy and Matter
Definition of Energy	Heat and Matter	MS-PS1-4	PS3.A	Developing and Using Models	Cause and Effect

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 PS2: Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions					
Forces and Motion	Newton's Third Law of Motion	MS-PS2-1	PS2.A	Constructing Explanations and Designing Solutions	Systems and System Models
	Changes in Motion, Force and Direction	MS-PS2-2	PS2.A PS2.A	Planning and Carrying Out Investigations	Stability and Change
Types of Interactions	Electromagnetic Forces	MS-PS2-3	PS2.B	Asking Questions and Defining Problems	Cause and Effect
	Gravitational Forces	MS-PS2-4	PS2.B	Engaging in Argument from Evidence	Systems and System Models
	Force Fields	MS-PS2-5	PS2.B	Planning and Carrying Out Investigations	Cause and Effect
 PS3: Energy					
Definitions of Energy	Kinetic Energy	MS-PS3-1	PS3.A	Analyzing and Interpreting Data	Scale, Proportion, and Quantity
	Potential Energy	MS-PS3-2	PS3.A	Developing and Using Models	Systems and System Models
	Thermal Energy Transfer	MS-PS3-3 MS-PS3-4	PS3.A	Constructing Explanations and Designing Solutions Planning and Carrying Out Investigations	Scale, Proportion, and Quantity Energy and Matter
Conservation of Energy and Energy Transfer	Energy Transfer in Motion	MS-PS3-5	PS3.B	Engaging in Argument from Evidence	Energy and Matter
	Energy Transfer in Temperature	MS-PS3-4	PS3.B	Planning and Carrying Out Investigations	Scale, Proportion, and Quantity
	Energy Transfer Optimization	MS-PS3-3	PS3.B	Constructing Explanations and Designing Solutions	Energy and Matter
Relationship Between Energy and Forces	Energy Transfer Between Objects	MS-PS3-2	PS3.C	Unobservable Mechanisms	Models

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PS4: Waves and Their Applications in Technologies for Information Transfer

Wave Properties	Introduction to Properties of Waves	MS-PS4-1	PS4.A	Using Mathematics and Computational Thinking	Patterns
	Modeling Waves through Various Mediums	MS-PS4-2	PS4.A	Developing and Using Models	Structure and Function
Electromagnetic Radiation	Properties of Visible Light	MS-PS4-2	PS4.B	Developing and Using Models	Structure and Function
	Modeling Electromagnetic Waves	MS-PS4-2	PS4.B	Developing and Using Models	Structure and Function
Technologies and Instrumentation	Digital vs. Analog Signals	MS-PS4-3	PS4.C	Obtaining, Evaluating, and Communicating Information	Structure and Function