Grade 7 Science Yearly Plan 2018-2019

August 28, 2018November 1, 2018	November 4, 2018January 17, 2019	January 20, 2019March 21, 2019	March 24, 2019June 3, 2019
Module F – Geological Processes and History	Module D – The diversity of Living Things	Module B – Cells and Heredity	Module J – Chemistry
Unit 1 – The dynamic Earth Lesson 1: Weathering, erosion and deposition Lesson 2: Rock cycle Lesson 3: Earth's plates Lesson 4: Earth's changing surface Unit 2- Earth through time Lesson 1: The age of Earth's rocks Lesson 2: Earth's history Module D – The diversity of Living Things Unit 1 – The History of life on Earth Lesson 1: The fossil record Lesson 2: Patterns of change in life on Earth	Unit 1 – The History of life on Earth Lesson 3:Evidence of common ancestry Unit 2 – Evolution (make sure only touch on appropriate content) Lesson 1: Genetic change and traits Lesson 2: Natural selection Lesson 3: Speciation and extinction Unit 3 – Human influence on inheritance Lesson 1: Artificial selection Lesson 2: Genetic engineering Module B – Cells and Heredity Unit 1- Cells Lesson 1: The characteristics of cells Lesson 2: Cell structures and function	Unit 2 – Organisms and systems Lesson 1:Levels of organization in organisms Lesson 2: Plant bodies as systems Lesson 3: Animal bodies as systems Lesson 4: Information processing in animals Unit 3 – Reproduction, Heredity and growth Lesson 1: Inheritance lesson 2: Asexual and sexual reproduction Lesson 3: Plant reproduction and growth Lesson 4: Animal reproduction and growth Module J – Chemistry Unit 1 – The structure of matter Lesson 1: The properties of matter Lesson 2: Atoms and elements Lesson 3: Molecules and extended structures	Unit 2 – States of matter and changes of state Lesson 1: States of matter Lesson 2: Changes of state Unit 3 – Chemical processes and equations Lesson 1: Chemical reactions Lesson 2: Chemical equations Lesson 3: Engineer it. Thermal energy and chemical processes. Unit 4 – The chemistry of materials Lesson 1: Natural and synthetic materials Lesson 2: Engineer it: The life cycle of synthetic materials
ANCIENT BUILDING MATERIALS Rock has been used as a construction material by both ancient and modern civilizations. Have students research one of the following ancient sites. They can build a model that conveys the use of rock and the cultural significance of the site. • Small towns carved into cliff sides by Ancestral Puebloans in the American Southwest. • Vast temple complex, called Angkor, carved from clay, sandstone, and laterite in what is now Cambodia. • Great Zimbabwe, a walled city guarded by monoliths built by African traders	Global Citizenship	Global Citizenship	Global Citizenship

DATING AN ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITE Archaeologists use absolute dating to determine the ages of artifacts. Have students research an archaeological site that has already been excavated. They can create a diagram of the site on a poster that also identifies the substrate (rock or soil) in which the artifacts were found, what artifacts were found, how they were dated, and what was learned about the group or civilization.		
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