Grade Kindergarten	
Arizona 2018 Science Standard	Program Aligned
K.P2U1.1 Investigate how senses can detect light, sound, and vibrations even when they come from far away; use the collected evidence to develop and support an explanation.	Delta Explore Primary Readers My Five Senses
K.P2U2.2 Design and evaluate a tool that helps people extend their senses.	FOSS Pathways Trees and Weather Investigation 3; Part 3 FOSS Pathways Animals Two by Two Investigation 2; Parts 1-3
K.E1U1.3 Observe, record, and ask questions about temperature, precipitation, and other weather data to identify patterns or changes in local weather.	FOSS Pathways Trees and Weather Investigation 3; Parts 1-3
K.E1U1.4 Observe, describe, ask questions, and predict seasonal weather patterns; and how those patterns impact plants and animals (including humans).	FOSS Pathways Trees and Weather Investigation 1; Part 1 Investigation 4; Parts 1-3
K.E2U1.5 Observe and ask questions about patterns of the motion of the sun, moon, and stars in the sky.	FOSS Pathways Trees and Weather Investigation 2; Part 2
K.L1U1.6 Obtain, evaluate, and communicate information about how organisms use different body parts for survival.	FOSS Pathways Animals Two by Two Investigations 1-4; All Parts
K.L1U1.7 Observe, ask questions, and explain how specialized structures found on a variety of plants and animals (including humans) help them sense and respond to their environment.	FOSS Pathways Animals Two by Two Investigations 1-4; All Parts
K.L2U1.8 Observe, ask questions, and explain the differences between the characteristics of living and non-living things.	FOSS Pathways Animals Two by Two Investigation 3; Part 1
Core Idea U2 The knowledge produced by science is used in engineering and technologies to solve problems and/or create products.	FOSS Pathways Materials and Forces Investigation 2; Side Trip 1 Investigation 2; Part 1 FOSS Pathways Trees and Weather Investigation 2; Part 3





Grade 1	
Arizona Science Standard	Program Aligned to AZ Amphitheater Matrix
1.P2U1.1	FOSS Pathways Sound and Light
Plan and carry out investigations demonstrating the effect of	Investigation 3; Part 1
placing objects made with different materials in the path of a	Investigation 1; Side Trip 2
beam of light and predict how objects with similar properties	Investigation 4; Parts 1-3
will affect the beam of light.	
1.P2U1.2	FOSS Pathways Sound and Light
Use models to provide evidence that vibrating matter creates	Investigation 1; Parts 1-2, Side Trip 1
sound and sound can make matter vibrate.	Investigation 2; Parts 1-2
1.P3U1.3	FOSS Next Generation STEM Forces in Action
Plan and carry out investigations which demonstrate how	Investigation 1; All Parts
equal forces can balance objects and how unequal forces can	Investigation 2; All Parts
push, pull, twist objects, making them change their speed,	Investigation 4: All Parts
direction, or shape.	
1.P4U2.4	FOSS Next Generation STEM Forces in Action
Design and evaluate ways to increase or reduce heat from	Investigation 1; Part 1
friction between two objects.	
1.E1U1.5	FOSS Science Resource Book: Pebbles, Sand and
Obtain, evaluate, and communicate information about the	Silt
properties of Earth materials and investigate the properties of	*This standard is also addressed in Water and
earth materials and how humans use resources in everyday	Landforms.
life.	
1.L1U1.6	FOSS Pathways Insects and Plants
Observe, describe, and predict life cycles of animals and	Investigations 1-3; All Parts
plants.	
1.L2U2.7	FOSS Pathways Insects and Plants
Develop and use models about how living things use	Investigation 1; Part 2
resources to grow and survive; design and evaluate habitats	Investigation 2; Part 2
for organisms using earth materials.	
1.L2U1.8	FOSS Pathways Insects and Plants
Construct an explanation describing how organisms obtain	Investigation 1; Part 1 and Side Trip 1
resources from the environment including materials that are	Investigation 2; Side Trip 2
used again by other organisms.	Investigation 3; Part 2







1.L3U1.9 Obtain, evaluate, and communicate information to support an evidence-based explanation that plants and animals produce offspring of the same kind, but offspring are generally not identical to each other or their parents.	FOSS Pathways Insects and Plants Investigation 3; Part 1
1.L4U1.10 Develop a model to describe how animals and plants are classified into groups and subgroups according to their similarities.	FOSS Pathways Insects and Plants Investigation 1; Side Trip 1 Investigation 3; Part 1
1.L4U3.11 Ask questions and explain how factors can cause species to go extinct.	Delta Science Reader Plant and Animal Populations
Core Idea U2: The knowledge produced by science is used in engineering and technologies to solve problems and/or create products.	FOSS Pathways Sound and Light Investigation 2; Part 2 Investigation 3; Part 3





Grade 2	
Arizona Science Standard	Program Aligned to AZ Amphitheater Matrix
2.P1U1.1	FOSS Pathways Solids and Liquids
Plan and carry out an investigation to determine that matter	Investigation 1; Parts 1-3
has mass, takes up space, and is recognized by its observable	Investigation 2; Parts 1-3
properties; use the collected evidence to develop and support	Investigation 3; Parts 1-3
an explanation.	FOSS Pathways Changes in the Sky
	Investigation 1; Side Trip 1
2.P1U1.2	FOSS Pathways Solids and Liquids
Plan and carry out investigations to gather evidence to support	Investigation 3; Part 2-3, Side Trip 1
an explanation on how heating or cooling can cause a phase	
change in matter.	
2.P4U1.3	FOSS Pathways Solids and Liquids
Obtain, evaluate and communicate information about ways	Investigation 3; Part 2-3, Side Trip 1
heat energy can cause change in objects or materials.	
2.E1U1.4	FOSS Pathways Water and Landforms
Observe and investigate how wind and water change the	Investigation 1; Parts 1-2
shape of the land resulting in a variety of landforms.	Investigation 2; Parts 1-2
	Investigation 3; Parts 1-2
	Investigation 4; Part 2
2.E1U1.5	FOSS Pathways Water and Landforms
Develop and use models to represent that water can exist in	Investigation 4; Parts 1-2
different states and is found in oceans, glaciers, lakes, rivers,	
ponds, and the atmosphere.	
2.E1U2.6	FOSS Next Generation Air and Weather
Analyze patterns in weather conditions of various regions of	Investigation 3; Parts 2 and 4
the world and design, test, and refine solutions to protect	
humans from severe weather conditions.	FOSS Pathways Water and Landforms
	Investigation 3; Parts 1 and 3
2.E1U3.7	FOSS Pathways Water and Landforms
Construct an argument from evidence regarding positive and	Investigation 4; Parts 1-2
negative changes in water and land systems that impact	
humans and the environment.	
2.E2U1.8	FOSS Next Generation Air and Weather
Observe and explain the Sun's position at different times	Investigation 2; Part 4
during a twenty-four-hour period and changes in the apparent	Investigation 4; Parts 1 and 2
shape of the Moon from one night to another.	





FOSS Pathways Plants and Animals
Investigations 1-4; All Parts
FOSS Pathways Plants and Animals
Investigation 1; Parts 1 and 2
FOSS Pathways Solids and Liquids
Investigation 1; Part 3





Grade 3	
Arizona Science Standard	Program Aligned to AZ Amphitheater Matrix
3.P2U1.1 Ask questions and investigate the relationship between light, objects, and the human eye.	Delta Science Content Reader Heat and Light Energy
3.P1U1.2 Plan and carry out an investigation to explore how sound waves affect objects at varying distances.	FOSS Next Generation STEM Sound Design Investigation 3; Parts 1, 2, and 3
3.P4U1.3 Develop and use models to describe how light and sound waves transfer energy.	FOSS Next Generation STEM Sound Design Investigation 2; Part 1 Investigation 3; Part 3
3.E1U1.4 Construct an explanation describing how the Sun is the primary source of energy impacting Earth systems.	FOSS Pathways Water and Climate Investigation 3; Parts 2 and 3 FOSS Pathways Structures of Life Side Trip 3 Science Flex Readers Energy in the Web
3.L1U1.5 Develop and use models to explain that plants and animals (including humans) have internal and external structures that serve various functions that aid in growth, survival, behavior, and reproduction.	FOSS Pathways Structures of Life Investigations 1-3; All Parts
3.L2U1.6 Plan and carry out investigations to demonstrate ways plants and animals react to stimuli.	FOSS Pathways Structures of Life Investigation 3; Parts 2 and 3
3.L2U1.7 Develop and use system models to describe the flow of energy from the sun to and among living organisms.	FOSS Pathways Structures of Life Side Trip 3
3.L2U1.8 Construct an argument from evidence that organisms are interdependent.	FOSS Pathways Structures of Life Investigation 3; Part 3
Core Idea U2: The knowledge produced by science is used in engineering and technologies to solve problems and/or create products.	FOSS Next Generation STEM Sound Design Investigation 2; Part 3





Grade 4	
Arizona Science Standard	Program Aligned to AZ Amphitheater Matrix
4.P4U1.1 Develop and use a model to demonstrate how a system transfers energy from one object to another even when the objects are not touching.	FOSS Pathways Energy Investigations 1-4; All parts
4.P4U1.2 Develop and use a model that explains how energy is moved from place to place through electric currents.	FOSS Pathways Energy Investigation 1; Parts 1-3
4.P2U1.3 Develop and use a model to demonstrate magnetic forces.	FOSS Pathways Energy Investigation 2; Parts 1-3
4P4U3.4 Engage in argument from evidence on the use and impact of renewable and nonrenewable resources to generate electricity.	FOSS Pathways Energy Investigation 1; Part 2
4.E1U1.5 Use models to explain seismic waves and their effect on the Earth.	FOSS Pathways Soils, Rocks, and Landforms Investigation 4; Part 1
4.E1U1.6 Plan and carry out an investigation to explore and explain the interactions between Earth's major systems and the impact on Earth's surface materials and processes.	FOSS Pathways Soils, Rocks, and Landforms Investigations 1-2; All Parts
4.E1U1.7 Develop and/or revise a model using various rock types, fossil location, and landforms to show evidence that Earth's surface has changed over time.	FOSS Pathways Soils, Rocks, and Landforms Investigation 2; All Parts Investigation 4; Part 2
4.E1U1.8 Collect, analyze, and interpret data to explain weather and climate patterns.	Science Flex Readers Our Active Earth
4.E1U3.9 Construct and support an evidence-based argument about the availability of water and its impact on life.	FOSS Next Generation Environments Investigation 1; Parts 1 and 2
4.E1U2.10 Define problem(s) and design solution(s) to minimize the effects of natural hazards.	FOSS Pathways Soils, Rocks, and Landforms Investigation 2; Part 3





4.L4U1.11	FOSS Next Generation Environments
Analyze and interpret environmental data to demonstrate that	Investigation 3; Parts 2 and 3
species either adapt and survive or go extinct over time.	Investigation 4; Parts 1 and 2
	FOSS Pathways Soils, Rocks, and Landforms
	Investigation 4; Part 2
Core Idea U2:	FOSS Pathways Soils, Rocks and Landforms
The knowledge produced by science is used in engineering	Investigation 2; Part 3
and technologies to solve problems and/or create products.	





Grade 5	
Arizona Science Standard	Program Aligned to AZ Amphitheater Matrix
5.P1U11.1	FOSS Pathways Mixtures and Solutions
Analyze and interpret data to explain that matter of any type	Investigation 1; All Parts
can be subdivided into particles too small to see and, in a	Investigation 2; Part 3
closed system, if properties change or chemical reactions	
occur, the amount of matter stays the same.	
5.P1U11.2	FOSS Pathways Mixtures and Solutions
Plan and carry out investigations to demonstrate that some	Investigation 1; All Parts
substances combine to form new substances with different	Investigation 4; All Parts
properties and others can be mixed without taking on new	
properties.	
5.P2U1.3	FOSS Pathways Earth and Sun
Construct an explanation using evidence to demonstrate that	Investigation 4; Part 1
objects can affect other objects even when they are not	FOSS Pathways Motion
touching.	Investigation 1; Parts 1 and 2
5.P3U1.4	FOSS Pathways Motion
Obtain, analyze, and communicate evidence of the effects	Investigation 1; Part 3
that balanced and unbalanced forces have on the motion of	Investigation 2; All Parts
objects.	
5.P3U2.5	FOSS Pathways Motion
Define problems and design solutions pertaining to force and	Investigation 3; All Parts
motion.	
5.P4U1.6	FOSS Pathways Motion
Analyze and interpret data to determine how and where energy	Investigation 1; Part 3
is transferred when objects move.	
5.E2U1.7	FOSS Pathways Earth and Sun
Develop, revise, and use models based on evidence to	Investigation 4; Parts 1 and 2
construct explanations about the movement of the Earth and	
Moon within our solar system.	
5.E2U1.8	FOSS Pathways Earth and Sun
Obtain, analyze, and communicate evidence to support an	Investigation 4; Part 1
explanation that the gravitational force of Earth on objects is	
directed toward the planet's center.	
5.L3U1.9	Delta Science Content Reader
Obtain, evaluate, and communicate information about	Heredity
patterns between the offspring of plants, and the offspring of	
animals (including humans); construct an explanation of how	
genetic information is passed from one generation to the next.	





5.L3U1.10	FOSS Pathways Living Systems
Construct an explanation based on evidence that the changes	Investigation 4; Part 1
in an environment can affect the development of the traits in a	
population of organisms.	
5.L4U3.11	FOSS Pathways Living Systems
Obtain, evaluate, and communicate evidence about how	Investigation 3; Part 2
natural and human-caused changes to habitats or climate can	Investigation 4; Part 1
impact populations.	
5.L4U3.12	FOSS Pathways Living Systems
Construct an argument based on evidence that inherited	Investigation 4; Part 1
characteristics can be affected by behavior and/or	
environmental conditions.	
Core Idea U2:	FOSS Pathways Mixtures and Solutions
The knowledge produced by science is used in engineering	Investigation 1; Part 3
and technologies to solve problems and/or create products	Investigation 4; Part 2
	FOSS Pathways Motion
	Investigation 3; Parts 1 and 2



