

Year at a Glance – Tenth Grade Science (Integrated Science 2)

Guiding Crosscutting Concepts: Energy is transferred between microscopic particles & at macroscopic scales, influencing Earth’s systems and living organisms. As energy on Earth and in living organisms changes, this stability & change is altered by molecules with structures that disrupt the flow of energy.

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What Students Learn

Students **explain** how different **systems** in our natural world interact and are affected **by energy**.

- They recognize that **matter** is made up of tiny particles that form large chains of substances. They **argue** how changing energy exposure to these particles (on both the microscopic and macroscopic scale) will alter the way they interact.
- Students will **investigate** the **effect** of altering energy in living organisms through the living organisms’ ability to survive, reproduce, and grow.
- Students can mathematically **model** the transfer and conversion of different forms of energy, causing **conservation** in Earth’s system. They are able to **explain** how different substances can affect the rate of energy transfer.
- They **model** how energy is capable of changing the molecular structure of DNA or a cell and that this results in variation in the genetic traits within a population.
- They use this information to **communicate** how humans have changed the amount of available energy in our atmosphere and **design a solution** to determine how we can reduce the energy problems associated with global climate change.

By the end of this course, students have developed the skills to **analyze data** and **develop a claim** on the overall **effect** of **energy** in a living system.

Units	Key Learning Outcomes
1. Energy Transfer in Cells	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HS-PS1-7: Use mathematical representations to support the claim that atoms, and therefore mass, are conserved during a chemical reactions.
2. Biotic Components of Energy Transfer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HS-LS2-4: Use mathematical representations to support claims for the cycling of matter and flow of energy among organisms in an ecosystem.
3. Conservation of Energy and Energy Transfer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HS-LS1-7: Use a model to illustrate that cellular respiration is a chemical process whereby the bonds of food molecules and oxygen molecules are broken and the bonds in new compounds are formed, • HS-ESS2-6: Develop a quantitative model to describe the cycling of carbon among the hydrosphere, atmosphere, geosphere, and biosphere. The carbon cycle is a property of the Earth system that arises from interactions among the hydrosphere, atmosphere, geosphere, and biosphere.
4. Earth’s Effect on Organisms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HS-LS2-2: Use mathematical representations to support and revise explanations based on evidence about factors affecting biodiversity and populations in ecosystems of different scales (only graphing, not formulas.) • HS-PS3-1: Create a computational model to calculate the change in the energy of one component in a system when the change in energy of the other component(s) and energy flows in and out of the system are known.
5. Energy Affecting the Earth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HS-PS3-4: Plan and conduct an investigation to provide evidence that the transfer of thermal energy when two components of different temperature are combined within a closed system results in a more uniform energy distribution among the components in the system (second law of thermodynamics.) • HS-ETS1-4: Use a computer simulation to model the impact of proposed solutions to a complex real-world problem with numerous criteria and constraints on interactions within and between systems relevant to the problem. • HS-PS1-7: Use mathematical representations to support the claim that atoms, and therefore mass, are conserved during a chemical reactions.
6. Reducing our Impact on Earth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HS-PS1-6: Refine the design of a chemical system by specifying a change in conditions that would produce increased amounts of products at equilibrium. • HS-ETS1-1: Analyze a major global challenge to specify qualitative and quantitative criteria and constraints for solutions that account for societal needs and wants. • HS-ETS1-2: Design a solution to a complex real-world problem by breaking it down into smaller, more manageable problems that can be solved through engineering. • HS-ETS1-3: Design a solution to a complex real-world problem based on prioritized criteria and trade-offs that account for a range of constraints, including cost, safety, reliability, and aesthetics as well as possible social, cultural, and environmental impacts. • HS-ESS2-4: Use a model to describe how variations in the flow of energy into and out of Earth’s systems result in changes in climate. • HS-ESS3-5: Analyze geoscience data and the results from global climate models to make an evidence-based forecast of the current rate of global or regional climate change and associated future impacts to Earth systems.