

Science - USA

NGSS - GRADE 8

Number of Classes: VARIABLE

Experience Level: MIDDLE SCHOOL

Age Range: 12 - 13 YEARS

Life Sciences

· Growth, Development, and Reproduction of Organisms Develop and use a model to describe why structural

- changes to genes (mutations) located on chromosomes may affect proteins and may result in
 - harmful, beneficial, or neutral effects to the structure and function of the organism. Gather and synthesize information about the technologies that have changed the way humans influence the inheritance of desired traits in
- organisms. Natural Selection and Adaptations Analyze and interpret data for patterns in the fossil record that document the existence, diversity,
- extinction, and change of life forms throughout the
- history of life on Earth under the assumption that natural laws operate today as in the past. info@omniowl.in +91 9953941983

Life Sciences (Contd.)

modern organisms and between modern and fossil organisms to infer evolutionary relationships.

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 Analyze displays of pictorial data to compare patterns of similarities in the embryological development across multiple species to identify relationships not evident in the fully formed anatomy. Construct an explanation based on evidence that

· Apply scientific ideas to construct an explanation for the anatomical similarities and differences among

- describes how genetic variations of traits in a population increase some individuals' probability of surviving and reproducing in a specific environment. Use mathematical representations to support explanations of how natural selection may lead to
- Earth and Space Systems · Space Systems · Develop and use a model of the Earth-sun-moon system to describe the cyclic patterns of lunar phases,

eclipses of the sun and moon, and seasons.

increases and decreases of specific traits in

· Develop and use a model to describe the role of gravity in the motions within galaxies and the solar

populations over time.

system.

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 Analyze and interpret data to determine scale properties of objects in the solar system.

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Earth and Space Systems (Contd.)

 Construct an argument supported by evidence for how increases in human population and per-capita

consumption of natural resources impact Earth's

· Construct a scientific explanation based on evidence

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from rock strata for how the geologic time scale is used to organize Earth's 4.6-billion-year-old history.

Physical Sciences Forces and Interactions

forces.

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History of Earth

Human Impacts

systems.

change in an object's motion depends on the sum of the forces on the object and the mass of the object. Ask questions about data to determine the factors that affect the strength of electric and magnetic

· Apply Newton's Third Law to design a solution to a

· Plan an investigation to provide evidence that the

problem involving the motion of two colliding objects.

attractive and depend on the masses of interacting objects. · Conduct an investigation and evaluate the experimental design to provide evidence that fields

even though the objects are not in contact.

exist between objects exerting forces on each other

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 Construct and present arguments using evidence to support the claim that gravitational interactions are

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- to describe the relationships of kinetic energy to the mass of an object and to the speed of an object. Develop a model to describe that when the

stored in the system.

Applications of Science

Energy

Engineering, Technology, and

· Waves and Electromagnetic Radiation · Use mathematical representations to describe a simple model for waves that includes how the amplitude of a wave is related to the energy in a wave.

Construct and interpret graphical displays of data

arrangement of objects interacting at a distance

changes, different amounts of potential energy are

- Develop and use a model to describe that waves are reflected, absorbed, or transmitted through various materials. Integrate qualitative scientific and technical
- information to support the claim that digitized signals are a more reliable way to encode and transmit information than analog signals.

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