

MATATAG Science Curriculum Guide

Teacher & Parent Checklist — Grades 3 to 10

Science under MATATAG runs from Grade 3 to Grade 10: four domains, one domain per quarter, 45 minutes a day (225 minutes per week) at every grade. Use this page to plan a quarter, follow your child's year, or help a transferee catch up.

Quarter-by-Quarter Domain Sequence

Grade	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
Grade 3	Materials	Living Things	Force, Motion, and Energy	Earth and Space
Grade 4	Materials	Living Things	Force, Motion, and Energy	Earth and Space
Grade 5	Materials	Living Things	Force, Motion, and Energy	Earth and Space
Grade 6	Materials	Living Things	Force, Motion, and Energy	Earth and Space
Grade 7	Science of Materials	Life Science	Force, Motion, and Energy	Earth and Space Science
Grade 8	Life Science	Science of Materials	Earth and Space Science	Force, Motion, and Energy
Grade 9	Force, Motion, and Energy	Earth and Space Science	Life Science	Science of Materials
Grade 10	Earth and Space Science	Force, Motion, and Energy	Science of Materials	Life Science

Planning Checklist

- ☐ I know which domain this quarter covers for my grade.
- ☐ My lesson starts with a question or phenomenon, not a definition.
- ☐ Learners predict, observe, and explain (predict - observe - explain routine).
- ☐ Measurements use correct units (g, kg, mL, L, degrees Celsius).
- ☐ I connected this quarter's domain to at least one earlier domain.
- ☐ I used a local example (weather, volcanoes, rice fields, community).
- ☐ Learners recorded results in a table or diagram, not just copied notes.
- ☐ For transferees: I checked the previous school's domain quarter and bridged the gap.
- ☐ Science minutes this week total 225 (45 x 5 days).
- ☐ I downloaded the official DepEd Science CG PDF for reference.

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