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				Basic text is Prentice
				Hall Physical Science
		By being embedded throughout the curriculum, these Processing Skills will		Science
		be addressed throughout the year.		
		Students will be able to:	Strand, Standards, Benchmarks, &	Supplemental books, labs, videos,
			Performance	projects, digital
			Standards	curriculum
	9.1	1. Describe the essential components of an investigation, including appropriate	I, I, I, 1	Equipment Lab
		methodologies, proper equipment, and safety precautions.		Measurement Lab Motion Detector Lab
		2. Design and conduct scientific investigations that include:	I, I, I, 2	Investigating
		Testable hypotheses	, , ,	Average Speed Lab
		Controls and variables		
		 Methods to collect, analyze, and interpret data 		
		 Results that address hypotheses being investigated 		
		 Predictions based on results 		
		 Re-evaluation of hypotheses and additional experimentation as necessary 		
		• Error analysis.		
		3. Use appropriate technologies to collect, analyze, and communicate scientific data (e.g., computers, calculators, balances, microscopes).	I, I, I, 3	
		4. Convey results of investigations using scientific concepts, methodologies, and expressions, including:	I, I, I, 4	
		 Scientific language and symbols 		
		 Diagrams, charts, and other data displays 		
		 Mathematical expressions and processes (e.g., mean, median, slope, proportionality) 		
		Clear, logical, and concise communication		

	Reasoned arguments.	
	5. Understand how scientific theories are used to explain and predict natural phenomena (e.g., plate tectonics, ocean currents, structure of atom).	I, I, I, 5
9.2	 Understand how scientific processes produce valid, reliable results, including: Consistency of explanations with data and observations Openness to peer review Full disclosure and examination of assumptions Testability of hypotheses Repeatability of experiments and reproducibility of results. 	I, I, II, 1
	 Use scientific reasoning and valid logic to recognize: Faulty logic Cause and effect The difference between observation and unsubstantiated inferences and conclusion Potential bias 	I, I, II, 2
	3. Understand how new data and observations can result in new scientific knowledge.	I, I, II, 3
	Critically analyze an accepted explanation by reviewing current scientific knowledge.	I, I, II, 4
	5. Examine investigations of current interest in science (e.g., superconductivity, molecular machines, age of the universe).	I, I, II, 5
	6. Examine the scientific processes and logic used in investigations of past events (e.g., using data from crime scenes, fossils), investigations that can be planned in advance but are only done once (e.g., expensive or time-consuming experiments such as medical clinical trials), and investigations of phenomena that can be repeated easily and frequently.	I, I, II, 6
9.3	1. Create multiple displays of data to analyze and explain the relationships in scientific investigations.	I, I, III, 1

	2. Use mathematical models to describe, explain, and predict natural phenomena.	I, I, III, 2	
	3. Use technologies to quantify relationships in scientific hypotheses (e.g., calculators, computer spreadsheets and databases, graphing software, simulations, modeling).	I, I, III, 3	
	4. Identify and apply measurement techniques and consider possible effects of measurement errors.	I, I, III, 4	
	5. Use mathematics to express and establish scientific relationships (e.g., scientific notation, vectors, dimensional analysis).	I, I, III, 5	
	Science and Technology		
 9.6	1. Know how science enables technology but also constrains it, and recognize the difference between real technology and science fiction (e.g., rockets vs. antigravity machines; nuclear reactors vs. perpetual-motion machines; medical X-rays vs. Star-Trek tricorders).	III, I, I, 1	"The Core" "Apollo 13" "The Day After Tomorrow"
 9.7	2. Understand how advances in technology enable further advances in science (e.g., microscopes and cellular structure; telescopes and understanding of the universe).	III, I, I, 2	"Armageddon" "Star Wars"- Tech. vs. Science Fiction
9.3	3. Evaluate the influences of technology on society (e.g., communications petroleum, transportation, nuclear energy, computers, medicine, genetic engineering) including both desired and undesired effects, and including some historical examples (e.g., the wheel, the plow, the printing press, the lightning rod).	III, I, I, 3	Science & Technology Questionnaire Chapter 2.2
 9.8	4. Understand the scientific foundations of common technologies (e.g., kitchen appliances, radio, television, aircraft, rockets, computers, medical X-rays, selective breeding, fertilizers and pesticides, agricultural equipment).	III, I, I, 4	Chapter 9.1 Chapter 23.5
 9.5	5. Analyze the impact of digital technologies on the availability, creation, and dissemination of information.	III, I, I, 6	
 9.6	6. Examine the role that New Mexico research facilities play in current space exploration (e.g., Very Large Array, Goddard Space Center).	III, I, I, 7	Web Quest

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 9.4, 9.7	7. Describe uses of radioactivity (e.g. nuclear power, nuclear medicine, radiometric dating).	III, I, I, 8	
9.6	8. Understand how knowledge about the universe comes from evidence collected from advanced technology (e.g., telescopes, satellites, images, computer models).	II, III, I, 3	Chapter 25.1
 9.6	9. Describe the key observations that led to the acceptance of the Big Bang theory and that the age of the universe is over 10 billion years.	II, III, I, 4	Chapter 26.5
	Science and Society		
 9.5	Describe how human activities have affected ozone in the upper atmosphere and how it affects health and the environment.	III, I, I, 7	Scientist Report Chapter 3.2 Chapter 4.1
9.4, 9.7	2. Describe how scientific knowledge helps decision makers with local, national, and global challenges (e.g., Waste Isolation Pilot Project [WIPP], mining, drought, population growth, alternative energy, climate change).	III, I, I, 9	Chapter 5.1 Web Quest Class Debate
 9.4, 9.7	3. Describe major historical changes in scientific perspectives (e.g., atomic theory, germs, cosmology, relativity, plate tectonics, evolution) and the experimental observations that triggered them.	III, I, I, 10	
 9.4	4. Know that societal factors can promote or constrain scientific discovery (e.g., government funding, laws and regulations about human cloning and genetically modified organisms, gender and ethnic bias, AIDS research, alternative-energy research).	III, I, I, 11	
 9.4	5. Describe how environmental, economic, and political interests impact resource management and use in New Mexico.	III, I, I, 13	
	Science and Individuals		
 9.4, 9.8	1. Describe New Mexico's role in nuclear science (e.g., Manhattan Project, WIPP, national laboratories).	III, I, I, 14	Career Research "Technology Through the
 9.5	2. Identify how science has produced knowledge that is relevant to individual	III, I, I, 15	Ages" Interview

	health and material prosperity.		
 9.6	3. Understand that reasonable people may disagree about some issues that are of interest to both science and religion (e.g., the origin of life on Earth, the cause of the Big Bang, the future of Earth).	III, I, I, 16	Darwin Chapter 22.4
 9.6, 9.9	4. Identify important questions that science cannot answer (e.g., questions that are beyond today's science, decisions that science can only help to make, questions that are inherently outside the realm of science).	III, I, I, 17	
9.7	5. Understand that scientists have characteristics in common with other individuals (e.g., employment and career needs, curiosity, desire to perform public service, greed, preconceptions and biases, temptation to be unethical, core values, including honesty and openness).	III, I, I, 18	
9.4	6. Know that science plays a role in many different kinds of careers and activities (e.g., public service, volunteers, public office holders, researchers, teachers, doctors, nurses, technicians, farmers, ranchers).	III, I, I, 19	

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				Basic text is Prentice Hall Physical Science
		Students will be able to:	Strand, Standards, Benchmarks, & Performance Standards	Supplemental books, labs, videos, projects, digital curriculum
	9.7	Motion and Force 1. Identify different forms of energy, including kinetic, gravitational (potential), chemical, thermal, nuclear, and electromagnetic.	II, I, II, 1	APEX LA Physical Science Sem. 1- Units 3 & 4
	9.7	2. Understand that energy can change from one form to another (e.g., changes in kinetic and potential energy in a gravitational field, heats of reaction, hydroelectric dams) and know that energy is conserved in these changes.	II, I, II, 3	Core Physical Science Sem. 1- Units 2, 3, & 4 Core Earth Science Sem. 2- Unit 1 Bill Nye "Energy" PS in Action "Forces" Bill Nye "Friction" Bill Nye "Gravity"
	9.4	3. Describe the internal structure of earth (e.g., core, mantle, crust) and the structure of Earth's plates.	II, III, II, 3	Chapter 12 Chapter 22.1 Foldable
	9.4	4. Explain plate tectonic theory and understand the evidence that supports it.	II, III, II, 5	Chapter 22
	9.8	5. Understand the concept of equilibrium (i.e., thermal, mechanical, and chemical).	II, I, II, 11	Chapter 7

 9.9	6. Know that there are four fundamental forces in nature: gravitation, electromagnetism, weak nuclear force, and strong nuclear force.	II, I, III, 1	
 9.9	7. Know that every object exerts gravitational force on every other object, and how this force depends on the masses of the objects and the distance between them.	II, I, III, 2	
 9.6	8. Predict changes in the positions and appearances of objects in the sky (e.g., moon, sun) based on knowledge of current positions and patterns of movements (e.g., lunar cycles, seasons).	II, III, I, 2	Chapter 25 Moon Journal
 9.9	9. Understand the relationship between force and pressure, and how pressure of a volume of gas depends on the temperature and the amount of gas.	II, I, III, 4	Chapter 13 Mythbusters
 9.9	10. Represent the magnitude and direction of forces by vector diagrams.	II, I, III, 6	Vector Lab
 9.9	11. Know that when one object exerts a force on a second object, the second object exerts a force of equal magnitude and in the opposite direction on the first object (i.e., Newton's Third Law).	II, I, III, 7	Balloon Rocket Lab Chapter 11 Chapter 12 Mythbusters "Inertia"
9.10	 12. Apply Newton's Laws to describe and analyze the behavior of moving objects, including: Displacement, velocity, and acceleration of a moving object. Newton's Second Law, F= ma (e.g., momentum and its conservation, the motion of an object falling under gravity, the independence of a falling object's motion on mass) Circular motion and centripetal force. 	II, I, III, 8	Bill Nye "Momentum" Mythbusters "Force & Motion" Bill Nye "Motion"
 9.10	13. Describe relative motions using frames of reference.	II, I, III, 9	Chapter 11

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				Basic text is Prentice Hall Physical Science
		Students will be able to:	Strand, Standards, Benchmarks, & Performance Standards	Supplemental books, labs, videos, projects, digital curriculum
	9.7	Work and Simple Machines 1. Identify different forms of energy, including kinetic, gravitational (potential), chemical, thermal, nuclear, and electromagnetic.	II, I, II, 1	APEX LA Physical Science Sem. 1- Unit 5 Core Physical Science Sem. 1- Unit 4
	9.7	2. Understand that energy can change from one form to another (e.g., changes in kinetic and potential energy in a gravitational field, heats of reaction, hydroelectric dams) and know that energy is conserved in these changes.	II, I, II, 3	Chapter 16 Lever Lab
	9.7	3. Understand the ability of energy to do something useful (work) tends to decrease (and never increases) as energy is converted from one form to another.	II, I, II, 6	Pulley Lab Inclined Plane Lab Power Lab Bill Nye "Simple Machines"
	9.9	4. Know that when one object exerts a force on a second object, the second object exerts a force of equal magnitude and in the opposite direction on the first object (i.e., Newton's Third Law).	II, I, III, 7	
	9.10	5. Apply Newton's Laws to describe and analyze the behavior of moving objects, including:	II, I, III, 8	

 Displacement, velocity, and acceleration of a moving object. Newton's Second Law, F= ma (e.g., momentum and its conservation, the motion of an object falling under gravity, the independence of a falling object's motion on mass)
Circular motion and centripetal force.

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		9 th Grade	Benchmarks	
				Basic text is Prentice
				Hall Physical
				<u>Science</u>
		Students will be able to:	Strand, Standards,	Supplemental books,
			Benchmarks, &	labs, videos,
			Performance	projects, digital
			Standards	curriculum
		Electricity and Magnetism		APEX
				LA Physical Science
	9.7	1. Identify different forms of energy, including kinetic, gravitational (potential),	II, I, II, 1	Sem. 1- Unit 7
		chemical, thermal, nuclear, and electromagnetic.		
				Core Physical Science
	9.9	2. Know that there are four fundamental forces in nature: gravitational,	II, I, III, 1	Sem. 1- Unit 6
		electromagnetism, weak nuclear force, and strong nuclear force.		
				Core Earth Science
	9.7	3. Understand that energy can change from one form to another (e.g., changes in	II, I, II, 3	Sem. 2- Unit 1
		kinetic and potential energy in a gravitational field, heats of reaction,		
		hydroelectric dams) and know that energy is conserved in these changes.		Chapter 18
				Chapter 20
	9.8	4. Understand that electromagnetic waves carry energy that can be transferred	II, I, II, 7	Chapter 21
		when they interact with matter.		Chapter 24
	9.8	5. Know that each kind of atom or molecule can gain or lose energy only in	II, I, II, 9	Electricity Lab
		discrete amounts.		Static Lab
				Electrostatic Lab
	9.6	6. Explain how objects in the universe emit different electromagnetic radiation	II, III, I, 5	Electric Current Lab
		and how this information is used.		D'II N. WO.
				Bill Nye "Static
	9.9	7. Know that materials containing equal amounts of positive and negative	II, I, III, 3	Electricity"
		charges are electrically neutral, but that a small excess or deficit of negative		Bill Nye "Electricity"
		charges produces significant electrical forces.		

	9.9	8. Explain how electric currents cause magnetism and how changing magnetic field produces electricity (e.g., electric motors, generators).	II, I, III, 5	
		field produces electricity (e.g., electric motors, generators).		

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Date		Hobbs Science Standards 9 th Grade	NM Standards & Benchmarks	Resources
				Basic text is Prentice Hall Physical Science
		Students will be able to:	Strand, Standards, Benchmarks, & Performance Standards	Supplemental books, labs, videos, projects, digital curriculum
	0.7	Heat	W I W 1	APEX LA Physical Science
	9.7	1. Identify different forms of energy, including kinetic, gravitational (potential), chemical, thermal, nuclear, and electromagnetic.	II, I, II, 1	Sem. 2- Unit 4 Core Physical Science
	9.5	 Describe patterns and relationships in the circulation of air and water driven by the sun's radiant energy, including: Patterns in weather systems related to the transfer of energy. Differences between climate and weather. Global climate, global warming, and the greenhouse effect. El Nino, La Nina, and other climatic trends. 	II, III, II, 8	Sem. 2- Unit 4 Core Earth Science Sem. 1- Unit 4 Sem. 2- Unit 2 Chapter 15
	9.7	3. Explain how thermal energy (heat consists of the random motion and vibrations of atoms and molecules and is measured by temperature).	II, I, II, 2	Chapter 16 Foldable
	9.7	4. Understand that energy can change from one form to another (e.g., changes in kinetic and potential energy in a gravitational field, heats of reaction, hydroelectric dams) and know that energy is conserved in these changes.	II, I, II, 3	Venn Diagram Weather Ball Demo Calorie Lab
	9.7	5. Understand how heat can be transferred by conduction, convection, and radiation, and how heat conduction differs in conductors and insulators.	II, I, II, 4	Insulated Building Lab Bill Nye "Heat"
	9.7	6. Explain how heat flows in terms of the transfer of <i>vibrational motion of atoms and molecules</i> from hotter to colder regions.	II, I, II, 5	-

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 9.4	7. Know that Earth's systems are driven by internal (i.e., radioactive decay and gravitational energy) and external (i.e., sun) sources of energy.	II, III, II, 6	Chapter 22
9.4	 8. Describe convection as the mechanism for moving heat energy from deep within Earth to the surface and discuss how this process results in plate tectonics, including: Geological manifestations (e.g., earthquakes, volcanoes, mountain building) that occur at plate boundaries. Impact of plate motions on societies and the environment (e.g., earthquakes, volcanoes). 	II, III, II, 7	Mind Map
 9.4	9. Describe the characteristics and the evolution of Earth in terms of the geosphere, the hydrosphere, the atmosphere, and the biosphere.	II, III, II, 1	Chapter 24 Foldable
 9.8	10. Understand the concept of equilibrium (i.e., thermal, mechanical, and chemical).	II, I, II, 11	Chapter 7
 9.4	11. Explain how the availability of ground water through aquifers can fluctuate based on multiple factors (i.e., rate of use, rate of replenishment, surface changes, and changes in temperature).	II, III, II, 12	Chapter 23 Aquifer Lab
	Waves, Light, Sound		APEX
 9.7	Identify different forms of energy, including kinetic, gravitational (potential), chemical, thermal, nuclear, and electromagnetic.	П, І, П, 1	LA Physical Science Sem. 1- Unit 6
 9.8	2. Understand that electromagnetic waves carry energy that can be transferred when they interact with matter.	II, I, II, 7	Core Physical Science Sem. 1- Unit 5
9.8	 3. Describe the characteristics of electromagnetic waves (e.g., visible light, radio, microwave, X-ray, ultraviolet, gamma) and other waves (e.g., sound seismic waves, water waves), including: Origin and potential hazards of various forms of electromagnetic radiation Energy of electromagnetic waves carried in discrete energy packets (photons) whose energy is inversely proportional to wavelength. 	II, I, II, 8	Chapter 18

 9.8	4. Explain how wavelengths of electromagnetic radiation can be used to identify atoms, molecules, and the composition of stars.	II, I, II, 10	
 9.6	5. Explain how objects in the universe emit different electromagnetic radiation and how this information is used.	II, III, I, 5	
 9.10	6. Describe wave propagation using amplitude, wavelength, frequency, and speed.	II, I, III, 10	Chapter 17 Gyro Lab
 9.10	7. Explain how the interactions of waves can result in <i>interference</i> , reflection, and refraction.	II, I, III, 11	
 9.10	8. Describe how waves are used for practical purposes (e.g., seismic data, acoustic effects, Doppler Effect).	II, I, III, 12	

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				Basic text is Prentice Hall Physical Science
		Students will be able to:	Strand, Standards, Benchmarks, & Performance Standards	Supplemental books, labs, videos, projects, digital curriculum
		States (Properties) of Matter		APEX LA Physical Science
	9.11	1. Classify matter in a variety of ways (e.g., element, compound, mixture; solid, liquid, gas; acidic, basic, neutral).	II, I, I, 1	Sem. 2- Unit 1
	9.11	2. Identify, measure, and use a variety of physical and chemical properties (e.g., <i>electrical conductivity</i> , density, viscosity, chemical reactivity, pH, melting	II, I, I, 2	Core Physical Science Sem. 2- Units 1 & 4
	9.11	point).3. Know how to use properties to separate mixtures into pure substances (e.g., distillation, <i>chromatography</i>, solubility).	II, I, I, 3	Core Earth Science Sem. 1- Unit 6 Sem. 1- Unit 3 Sem. 2- Unit 3
	9.11	4. Describe trends in properties (e.g., <i>ionization energy or</i> reactivity as a function of location on the periodic table, <i>boiling point of organic liquids as a function of molecular weight</i>).	II, I, I, 4	Chapter 2 Chromatography Lab
	9.4	5. Know that Earth's system contains a fixed amount of natural resources that cycle among land, water, the atmosphere, and living things (e.g., carbon and nitrogen cycles, rock cycle, water cycle, ground water, aquifers).	II, III, II, 9	Chapter 5 Chapter 22
	9.9	6. Understand the relationship between force and pressure, and how the pressure of a volume of gas depends on the temperature and the amount of gas.	II, I, III, 4	Chapter 23 Cloud Journal
	9.4	7. Describe the composition and structure of Earth's materials, including:	II, III, II, 10	Chapter 15 Chapter 22

		 the major rock types (i.e., sedimentary, igneous, metamorphic) and their formation natural resources (e.g., minerals, petroleum) and their formation. 		Rock Cycle Map
-	 9.4	8. Explain how layers of the atmosphere (e.g., ozone, ionosphere) change naturally and artificially.	II, III, II, 11	Chapter 24

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		9 Grade	Benchmarks	Basic text is Prentice
				Hall Physical
				Science
		Students will be able to:	Strand, Standards,	Supplemental books,
			Benchmarks, &	labs, videos,
			Performance	projects, digital
			Standards	curriculum
		Atomic Structure and the Periodic Table		APEX
	9.12	1. Understand that matter is made of atoms and that atoms are made of subatomic particles.	II, I, I, 5	LA Physical Science Sem. 2- Unit 1
		particles.		Core Physical Science
	9.8	2. Explain how wavelengths of electromagnetic radiation can be used to identify atoms, molecules, and the composition of stars.	II, I, II, 10	Sem. 2- Unit 1
		atoms, more uses, and the composition of stars.		Core Earth Science
	9.6	3. Understand the scale and contents of the universe, including	II, III, I, 1	Sem. 1- Unit 2
		 range of structures from atoms through astronomical objects to the 		
		universe		Obsentainer Lab
		 objects in the universe such as planets, stars, galaxies, and nebulae. 		Chapter 4
	9.12		II, I, I, 6	Chapter 5.3
	9.12	4. Understand atomic structure, including:	11, 1, 1, 0	Chapter 25.4
		Most space occupied by electrons Nucleus made of protons and neutrons		Chapter 26.4
		Nucleus made of protons and neutrons Instance of an along art		Scale Activity
		Isotopes of an element Masses of proton and poutron 2000 times greater than mass of electron		
		 Masses of proton and neutron 2000 times greater than mass of electron Atom held together by proton-electron electrical forces. 		
	0.12	5. Make predictions about element using the periodic table (e.g., <i>number of</i>	11 1 1 0	Chapter 5
	9.12	valence electrons, metallic character reactivity, conductivity, type of bond between elements).	II, I, I, 8	P. Table Foldable Stamp Activity

	9.12	6. Know that states of matter (i.e., solid, liquid, gas) depend on the arrangement	II, I, I, 10	Element Brochure
		of atoms and molecules and on their freedom of motion.		Chapter 3
				Chapter 6
				Slime Lab
	9.12	7. Know that some atomic nuclei can change, including:	II, I, I, 11	
		Spontaneous decay		Chapter 10
		Half-life of isotopes		
		• Fission		
		• Fusion (e.g., the sun)		
		Alpha, beta, and gamma radiation.		
	9.6	8. Describe how stars are powered by nuclear fusion, how luminosity and temperature indicate their age, and how stellar processes create heavier and stable elements that are found throughout the universe.	II, III, I, 6	Chapter 26.2 Star Activity

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		9 th Grade	Benchmarks	
				Basic text is Prentice
				Hall Physical
				<u>Science</u>
		Students will be able to:	Strand, Standards,	Supplemental books,
			Benchmarks, &	labs, videos,
			Performance	projects, digital
			Standards	curriculum
		Chemical Bonding		APEX
				LA Physical Science
	9.12	1. Explain how electrons determine the properties of substances by:	II, I, I, 7	Sem. 2- Unit 2
		 Interactions between atoms through transferring or sharing valence 		
		electrons		Core Physical Science
		• Ionic and covalent bonds		Sem. 2- Unit 2
		• The ability of carbon to form a diverse array of organic structures.		
				Chapter 5.2, 5.3
				Chapter 6.1
	9.12	2. Make predictions about element using the periodic table (e.g., <i>number of</i>	II, I, I, 8	Chapter 9.1
		valence electrons, metallic character reactivity, conductivity, type of bond		
		between elements).		Ion Lab
	9.12	3. Understand how the type and arrangement of atoms and their bonds determine	II, I, II, 9	
		macroscopic properties (e.g., boiling point, electrical conductivity, hardness of		
		minerals).		

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		9 th Grade	Benchmarks	
				Basic text is Prentice
				Hall Physical
				<u>Science</u>
		Students will be able to:	Strand, Standards,	Supplemental books,
			Benchmarks, &	labs, videos,
			Performance	projects, digital
			Standards	curriculum
		Chemical Reactions		APEX
				LA Physical Science
	9.7	1. Identify different forms of energy, including kinetic, gravitational (potential),	II, I, II, 1	Sem. 2- Unit 3
		chemical, thermal, nuclear, and electromagnetic.		
				Core Physical Science
	9.7	2. Understand that energy can change from one form to another (e.g., changes in	II, I, II, 3	Sem. 2- Unit 3
		kinetic and potential energy in a gravitational field, heats of reaction,		
		hydroelectric dams) and know that energy is conserved in these changes.		Core Earth Science
				Sem. 2- Unit 4
	9.4	3. Recognize that radiometric data indicate that Earth is at least 4 billion years	II, III, II, 2	
		old and that Earth has changed during that time.		Chapter 23
				C1
	9.4	4. Understand the changes in Earth's past and the investigative methods used to	II, III, II, 4	Chapter 23
		determine geologic time, including:		Time Scale Activity
		 Rock sequences, relative dating, fossil correlation, and radiometric 		
		dating		
		 Geologic time scales, historic changes in life forms, and the evidence 		
		for absolute ages (e.g., radiometric methods, tree rings,		
		paleomagnetism).		
	0.7		11 1 1 10	Chapter 7.4
	9.7	5. Know that chemical reactions involve the rearrangement of atoms, and that	II, I, I, 12	Chapter 7.4
		they occur on many timescales (e.g., picoseconds to millennia).		
	9.13	6. Understand <i>types of</i> chemical reactions (e.g., <i>synthesis</i> , <i>decomposition</i> ,	II, I, I, 13	Chapter 7.2, 7.3

		combustion, redox, neutralization) and identify them as exothermic or endothermic.		
	9.13	 7. Know how to express chemical reactions with balanced equations that show: Conservation of mass Products of common reactions. 	II, I, I, 14	Chapter 7.1
	9.13	8. Describe how the rate of chemical reactions depends on many factors that include temperature, concentration, <i>and the presence of catalysts</i> .	II, I, I, 15	Ziplock Rxn. Lab Chapter 7.4