

8th Grade Science

At-a-Glance

2015-2016

Grading Periods	Unit Name	TEKS	Estimated Time Frame
Grading Period 1	Safety and Review of Scientific Process	1a, 1b, 2a, 2b, 2c, 2d, 2e, 3a-d, 4a-b	5 days and ongoing
	Force and Motion	6a, 6b, 6c	28 days
	Chemistry	5a, 5b, 5c, 5d, 5e, 5f	44 days
Grading Period 2	*Chemistry	5a, 5b, 5c, 5d, 5e, 5f	
Grading Period 3	Characteristics of the Universe	8a, 8b, 8c, 8d, 8e	23 days
	Sun, Moon, and Earth	7a, 7b, 7c	24 days
Grading Period 4	Earth's Forces in Nature	9a, 9b, 9c	19 days
	Earth, Ocean and Weather Systems	10a, 10b, 10c	15 days
	*Living Systems and the Environment	11a, 11b, 11c, 11d	18 days

**These units have extra days to accommodate reviews, final exams and/or STAAR.*