Science 1 - Pacing Guide

Dates	Topics	Objectives
August 21 – 23	Rules and Procedures	
First Trimester	Inquiry: Matter and Senses	EX.1.P.2 Understand physical properties of objects. EX 1 P 2 1 Classify objects by observable properties (size, shape, color, and texture).
		EX 1 P 2 2 Classify objects by the Material they are made from (e g , clay, wood, cloth, paper).
		EX 1 P 3 1 Recognize objects as same serving the same function even when one property has changed (e g , size, color).
		1.P.1 Understand how forces (pushes or pulls)
First Trimester	Force and Motion	affect the motion of an object.
		1 P 1 1 Explain the importance of a push or pull to changing the motion of an object.
		1 P 1 2 Explain how some forces (pushes and pulls) can be used to make things move without touching them, such as magnets.
		1 P 1 3 Predict the effect of a given force on the motion of an object, including balanced forces.

Second Trimester	Earth Systems, Structures and Processes	1.L.2 Summarize the needs of living organisms for energy and growth. 1 L 2 1 Summarize the basic needs of a variety of different plants (including air, water, nutrients, and light) for energy and growth. 1 L 2 2 Summarize the basic needs of a variety of different animals (including air, water, and food) for energy and growth.
November 25 - 29	Thanksgiving Break	
Second Trimester	Earth Systems, Structures, and Processes	1.E.2 Understand the physical properties of Earth materials that make them useful in different ways. 1 E 2 1 Summarize the physical properties of Earth materials, including rocks, minerals, soils and water that make them useful in different ways. 1 E 2 2 Compare the properties of soil samples from different places relating their capacity to retain water, nourish and support the growth of certain plants.
December 23- January 3	Christmas Break	

Second Trimester	Ecosystems	1.L.1 Understand characteristics of various environments and behaviors of humans that enable plants and animals to survive.
		1 L 1 1 Recognize that plants and animals need air, water, light (plants only), space, food and shelter and that these may be found in their environment.
		1 L 1 2 Give examples of how the needs of different plants and animals can be met by their environments in North Carolina or different places throughout the world.
		1 L 1 3 Summarize ways that humans protect their environment and/or improve conditions for the growth of the plants and animals that live there (e g , reuse or recycle products to avoid littering)
Third Trimester	Weather and Seasons	1 E 1 1 Recognize differences in the features of the day and night sky and apparent movement of objects across the sky as observed from Earth.
April 10 - 17	Easter Break	

Third Trimester	Earth in the Universe	1.E.1 Recognize the features and patterns of the earth/moon/sun system as observed from Earth.
		1 E 1 1 Recognize differences in the features of the day and night sky and apparent movement of objects across the sky as observed from Earth.
		1 E 1 2 Recognize patterns of observable changes in the Moon's appearance from day to day.
June 1 - 5	End-of-Year Review	All Concepts