



## 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Science at a Glance 2017-2018

Grading Period	Unit Name	Estimated Time Frame	Start	End
<b>Grading Period 1</b> <b>8/22-10/19</b>	Matter	32 days	8/22	10/6
	Force, Motion, and Energy	9 days	10/9	10/19
<b>Grading Period 2</b> <b>10/23-12/21</b>			18 days	10/23
	Earth's Surface	17 days	11/16	12/15
	Weather	4 days	12/18	12/21
		5 days	1/8	1/12
<b>Grading Period 3</b> <b>1/8-3/9</b>	Astronomy	16 days	1/16	2/6
	Ecosystems	22 days	2/7	3/9
		3 days	3/19	3/21
<b>Grading Period 4</b> <b>3/19-5/31</b>	Organisms	25 days	3/22	4/27
	STAAR Review	12 days	4/30	5/15
	STEM	11 days	5/16	5/31

*Note: The Scientific Investigation and Reasoning Standards, also known as process standards, in the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) for Science describe ways in which students are expected to engage with the content. These skills should be incorporated into the teaching of the TEKS when possible so that students can attain a greater depth of understanding of complex content. In 5<sup>th</sup> grade, facilitation of classroom and outdoor investigations should occur at least 50% of the science instructional time.*