Next Generation Science Standards for Landfill and Recycling Center Field Trip



Science & Engineering Practices



Disciplinary Core Idea



Crosscutting Concept

3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th
3-LS2 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics	4-ESS3 Earth and Human Activity	5-LS2 Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics	MS-ESS3 Earth and Human Activity
LS2.D: Social Interactions and Group Behavior Being part of a group helps animals obtain food 3-PS2 Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions PS2.B: Types of Interactions Objects in contact exert forces on each other. (3-PS2-1) Electric, and magnetic forces between a pair of objects(3-PS2-3),(3-PS2-4) Cause and Effect Cause and effect relationships are routinely identified (3-PS2-1) 3-5-ETS1 Engineering Design Asking Questions and Defining Problems Asking questions and defining problems Influence of Engineering, Technology, and Science on Society and the Natural World People's needs and wants change over time (3-5-ETS1-1) Engineers improve existing technologies(3-5-ETS-2)	ESS3.A: Natural Resources Energy and fuels that humans use are derived from natural sources (4-ESS3-1) 4-PS3 Energy PS3.D: Energy in Chemical Processes and Everyday Life The expression "produce energy"(4-PS3-4) 3-5-ETS1 Engineering Design Asking Questions and Defining Problems Asking questions and defining problems Influence of Engineering, Technology, and Science on Society and the Natural World People's needs and wants change over time (3-5-ETS1-1) Engineers improve existing technologies(3-5-ETS-2)	LS2.A: Interdependent Relationships in Ecosystems The food of almost any kind of animal can be traced back to plants5-LS2-1) LS2.B: Cycles of Matter and Energy Transfer in Ecosystems Matter cycles between the air and soil (5- LS2-1) 5-ESS3 Earth and Human Activity ESS3.C: Human Impacts on Earth Systems Human activities in agriculture, industry(5- ESS3-1) 3-5-ETS1 Engineering Design Asking Questions and Defining Problems Asking questions and defining problems Influence of Engineering, Technology, and Science on Society and the Natural World People's needs and wants change over time (3-5-ETS1-1) Engineers improve existing technologies(3-5-ETS-2)	BESS3.C: Human Impacts on Earth Systems Human activities have significantly altered the biosphere (MS-ESS3-3) BESS3.D: Global Climate Change Human activities, such as the release of greenhouse gases (MS-ESS3-5) MS-ETS1 Engineering Design Asking Questions and Defining Problems Asking questions and defining problems Influence of Science, Engineering, and Technology on Society and the Natural World All human activity draws on natural resources (MS-ETS1-1) The uses of technologies (MS-ETS1-1)