

# Welcome to Luke's Tailored Tutoring Inc. (Science)

We are delighted that you are joining the team! This guide will give you specific information to help you get started with us.

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## WHO ARE WE?

## **Our Objective**

Our goal is to help each student in their studies

## **ELEMENTARY SCHOOL: PRIMARY**

## **GRADE 1**

- Needs and Characteristics of Living Things
- Materials, Objects, and Everyday Structures
- Energy in Our Lives
- Daily and Seasonal Changes

## **GRADE 2**

- Growth and Changes in Animals
- Movement
- Properties of Liquids and Solids
- Air and Water in the Environment

## **GRADE 3**

- Growth and Changes in Plants
- Strong and Stable Structures
- Forces Causing Movement
- Soils in the Environment

## **ELEMENTARY SCHOOL: JUNIOR**

## **GRADE 4**

#### **Unit 1: Habitats and Communities**

- This area of study is concerned with habitats, the natural communities that rely on them, and the effects that habitat changes may have on the interactions of plants and animals.
- Students will discover how dependents acquire energy and resources to survive, including people. Additionally, they will look into both naturally occurring and human activities that affect various habitats.

#### **Unit 2: Pulleys and Gears**

 By examining two unique types of wheels—pulleys and gears—this unit helps students deepen their understanding of simple machines. The ability of pulleys and gears to convert one type of motion into another, modify the speed and direction of an object's motion, and alter the amount of force required to move an object will be reviewed.

#### **Unit 3: Light and Sound**

• By researching and learning about the characteristics of light and sound, students examine how energy types interact with the environment. Light and sound can be transmitted, reflected, or absorbed by materials.

#### **Unit 4: Rocks and Minerals**

Students learn about geology through the study of rocks and minerals. Students
will discover that the distinctive qualities and attributes of rocks and minerals are
a result of how they were produced. Students need to understand how human
activities involving rocks and minerals not only change the landscape but also
have other impacts on the ecosystem.

#### **GRADE 5**

#### **Unit 1: Human Organ Systems**

• The concept is that the body is made up of several organs and that these organs are components of systems that can be impacted by various factors. The primary organs of the respiratory, circulatory, and digestive systems' location, structure, and function will be taught to students. The significance of good eating and exercise for the efficient operation of organ systems will also be taught.

#### **Unit 2: Forces Acting on Structures and Mechanisms**

 The forces acting on structures will be studied and described by the students. They will have a better comprehension of how structures react to forces by measuring and comparing external forces.

#### **Unit 3: Properties of and Changes in Matter**

• The environmental impact of material creation, usage, and disposal will be studied by the students. Students will also investigate matter (solids, liquids, and gases) and each type's features. They will also look at the changes in state and compare reversible physical changes with irreversible chemical changes.

#### **Unit 4: Conservation of Energy and Resources**

• The transmission of energy from one system to another will be explained to the students. Students must recognize and show an awareness of the safety procedures when creating devices. This includes understanding the need of maintaining a clean workspace.

## **GRADE 6**

#### **Unit 1: The Diversity of Living Things**

• Students will discover that diversity in individuals, animals, and ecosystems is a component of biodiversity. Students will evaluate human influences on species and ecosystems through observations of a particular environment and be given the chance to explore various points of view.

#### Unit 2: Flight

 The characteristics of air that enable flight must first be taught to students. Students will learn what happens when the features of structures take advantage of specific characteristics of air (for example air takes up space, has mass, expands, and can exert a force when compressed). Then, they'll use what they've learned to develop and test a flying prototype.

#### **Unit 3: Electricity and Electrical Devices**

• Students will investigate tools that transform electricity into different forms of energy. Their knowledge of how electrical systems operate will be further strengthened through the construction of circuits.

#### **Unit 4: Space Systems**

 Students will focus on past and present-day contributions of space science while developing an understanding of the phenomena that result from the movement of different bodies in space. Investigations will involve working with models of the different bodies to allow students to explore their size, position, and motion and help them gain an understanding of Earth as a component of larger systems.

## **ELEMENTARY SCHOOL: INTERMEDIATE**

## **GRADE 7**

#### **Unit 1: Interactions in the Environment**

• Students will examine how human impacts the environment. Students will study current ecosystems and elements that could impact system balances while conducting their investigations. Students will discover that communities of plants and animals make up ecosystems and that these communities are reliant on both the non-living elements of the environment as well as one another.

#### **Unit 2: Form and Function**

 Students will keep learning about how forces interact with and affect various structural forms. By designing, creating, and testing structures using various methodologies, they will examine how various structural shapes sustain or endure forces. Other factors that affect a structure's functioning, such as the type of structure and centre of gravity, will also be explored.

#### **Unit 3: Matter and Energy**

• Students will learn that the majority of matter is either a mechanical mixture or a solution. To describe the nature of matter when doing experiments with both pure substances and mixtures, students will study particle theory.

#### Unit 4: Heat in the Environment

• The causes and effects of heat will be covered, along with its properties, and relationships to geological and meteorological processes. Students will design and create a device to reduce heat transfer. Additionally, they will particle theory to help them interpret their findings.

## **GRADE 8**

#### Unit 1: Cells

 By concentrating on the structure and function of cells in plants and animals, students will continue to expand their understanding of organisms. The usage of microscopes will also be covered with the students which are essential to examine cells in detail.

#### **Unit 2: Systems in Action**

• Students will learn to calculate the mechanical advantage of systems, their efficiency, and their effectiveness. Students must be able to identify and explain the importance of mechanical advantages and how they are used in trades and other applicable settings.

#### Unit 3: Fluids

 Principles of fluid mechanics, technological advancements based on fluids, and careers related to fluids will all be taught to students. Students will experiment with the viscosity and density of various liquids to learn about fluid properties. Students will investigate and measure the buoyant forces on various items to examine the consequences of Archimedes' principle.

#### **Unit 4: Water Systems**

• The significance of water systems in global ecosystems will be taught to students. They will also evaluate the recent technological innovations related to water systems.

## SECONDARY SCHOOL

#### **GRADE 9 DETAILED**

<ul> <li>Unit 1: Biological Diversity</li> <li>Cell Theory &amp; Mitosis</li> <li>Parts of a Cell</li> <li>The Cell Cycle</li> <li>Biotechnology</li> <li>Agriculture</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Unit 2: Chemistry <ul> <li>Nature of Matter</li> <li>Mixtures</li> <li>Atoms</li> <li>Periodic Table of the Elements</li> <li>Atomic Model</li> <li>Families of the Elements</li> <li>Valence Electron Notes</li> <li>Ionic Bonding Notes</li> <li>Molecular Bonding</li> <li>Molecular Bonding</li> <li>Polymers</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Unit 3: Electricity</li> <li>Static Electricity</li> <li>Current Electricity</li> <li>Electric Potential</li> <li>Resistance</li> <li>Power</li> <li>Electric Circuits - Series &amp; Parallel</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Unit 4: Earth and Space</li> <li>What is in the Night Sky <ul> <li>Stars - constellations, life and death of a star, composition, size, brightness, colour</li> <li>Other celestial objects - planets</li> <li>Great distances - AU, light year</li> </ul> </li> <li>The Sun <ul> <li>Sun details and facts</li> <li>The Earth and the Sun</li> </ul> </li> <li>Planets <ul> <li>Planetary Database</li> <li>Inner vs. outer planet</li> <li>Order of planets, general facts/comparisons</li> </ul> </li> <li>The Moon <ul> <li>Moon phases</li> <li>Eclipses - solar and lunar</li> </ul> </li> <li>Objects in Space <ul> <li>Comets, asteroids, meteors, and meteorites.</li> </ul> </li> <li>The universe and Earth Creation Theory <ul> <li>Big bang theory</li> <li>Nebula theory</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

## **GRADE 10 DETAILED**

Unit 1: Biology Unit 2: Chemistry	
Microscope     Classification of Matter	
Parts and Function     Chemical Properties     The Darie dis Table	
Microscope Math     Ine Periodic Table     Chamical Reactivity. Forming Identified Reactivity.	
Field of view calculations     Chemical Reactivity - Forming for     Earming Compounds, Molecular	ons Lonio
Magnification calculations     Forming compounds - Moleculat	vs. ionic
Biological Drawings     Biological Drawings     Biological Drawings     Biological Drawings	
Cell Structure and Function	-,
Cell Cycle - Mitosis     Acids - Binary and Oxyz	cids
Cell Division     Cell Division     Cell Division	tertus
• DNA - structure and function • Writing Chemical Equat	ions
• Interphase prophase metaphase anaphase telophase cytokinesis • Balancing Equations	long
<ul> <li>Plants - Plant Mitosis</li> <li>Types of Reactions</li> </ul>	
Biotechnology     Synthesis Reactions	
Tissues     Decomposition reactions	5
• Epithelial, muscle, nervous, connective • Single Displacement Re	actions
• Dermal, ground, vascular (plant) • Double displacement rea	ctions
• Cell specialization - stem cells, meristematic cells • Neutralization	
<ul> <li>Organs &amp; Systems, Digestive system, Respiratory system,</li> <li>Combustion Reactions</li> </ul>	
Circulatory system • Acids and Bases	
Unit 3: Physics Unit 4: Climate Change	
• Sources of Light • Earth	
<ul> <li>Luminous vs non-lumnous</li> <li>Factors that Affect Climate Change</li> </ul>	ge
Incandescence     Describing Climate	
<ul> <li>Electrical discharge</li> <li>Indicators &amp; Effects of Climate C</li> </ul>	hange
• Radiant energy • Energy Transfer in the Climate System	/stem
<ul> <li>Luminescence, flourescence, phosphorescence,</li> <li>Climate Physics - convert</li> </ul>	ction
chemiluminescence, bioluminescence, triboluminescence currents, wind patterns, r	adiation
• The Nature of Light • Ocean currents, thermoh	aline
• Heat as Energy circulation	
Radiation and Waves     Greenhouse Gases	
• The Radiation Spectrum • Feedback loops for wate	r vapour
• Light Waves - Visible and Invisible and global temperature a	nd carbon
Laws of Reflection     dioxide	~~~ <b>.</b>
• Regular and Dilluse Reflection • anthropogenic vs natural	greennouse
Convex mirror	
<ul> <li>Mirror Math</li> </ul>	
Refraction of Light	
• Index of refraction Partial reflection and refraction	
• Finding the critical angle	
<ul> <li>Total Internal Reflection</li> </ul>	
• Lenses	
• Converging Lenses	
• Diverging Lenses	
• Ray Diagrams	
Lens Equations/ Math	

## **GRADE 11 BIOLOGY DETAILED**

<ul> <li>Unit 1: Biological Diversity</li> <li>Biological Drawing, Microscope Skills</li> <li>Taxonomy and Classification <ul> <li>Binomial nomenclature, The six kingdoms of life, Dichotomous key</li> </ul> </li> <li>Biodiversity crisis, Invasive species</li> <li>Bacteria and Viruses <ul> <li>Bacteria, Types of bacteria, Structure of bacteria, Bacterial reproduction, Antibiotic resistance</li> <li>Three-domain system, Characteristics of Archaea, Bacteria, and Eukarya</li> <li>Helpful and harmful bacteria</li> <li>Viruses, Structure of viruses, Replication of viruses</li> <li>Lysogenic cycle</li> <li>Viral vectors and gene therapy</li> </ul> </li> <li>Plants, Fungi, and Protists <ul> <li>Kingdom Protista</li> <li>Fungus-like protists, Animal-like protists, Plant-like protists</li> <li>Kingdom Fungi, Mycorrhiza, Symbiosis in lichens</li> <li>Kingdom Plantae</li> </ul> </li> <li>The Animal Kingdom <ul> <li>Characteristics and classification of animals, Body plan,</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Unit 2: Plants</li> <li>Plant Anatomy and Function <ul> <li>Vascular vs. Non-Vascular Plants</li> <li>Roots, Stems, Leaves</li> </ul> </li> <li>Plant Growth and Development <ul> <li>Importance of Plant Growth</li> <li>Conditions needed for plant growth</li> <li>Soil</li> <li>Nutrients</li> <li>Organic vs. Inorganic Fertilizers</li> <li>Symbiotic rhizobial bacteria</li> <li>Plant Adaptations</li> <li>Plant Hormones</li> </ul> </li> <li>Reproductive Mechanisms of Plants <ul> <li>Pollinators and Pesticides</li> <li>Vegetative Propagation</li> <li>Sexual Reproduction in Angiosperms</li> <li>Seed Development and Germination</li> <li>Pollen grains</li> <li>Sexual Reproduction in Gymnosperms</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Classification of animals</li> <li>Invertebrates, simple and complex, joint-legged</li> <li>Vertebrates, Class Mammalia, body temperature</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Gamete Formation and Fertilization in Conifers</li> <li>Fertilization and Seed Development</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Unit 3: Animals</li> <li>Digestive System <ul> <li>Nutrition, Polymers and monomers, Macronutrients, Micronutrients, Eating a balanced diet</li> <li>Enzymes and digestion</li> <li>The digestive system and food processing</li> <li>The stomach, Digestion and absorption, Absorption and elimination</li> <li>Accessory organs of digestion</li> </ul> </li> <li>Respiratory System <ul> <li>How the human respiratory system works</li> <li>Lung volume and its measurement</li> </ul> </li> <li>Circulatory System <ul> <li>Human circulatory system, Structure of the human circulatory system</li> <li>Blood cells and platelets, White blood cells (leukocytes)</li> <li>Blood types, Blood vessels, Circulation: pulmonary and systemic</li> <li>Blood pressure</li> <li>Circulation within the heart muscle, How the heart contracts, The structure of the heart, The cardiac cycle and heart sounds</li> </ul> </li> <li>Disorders of Internal Systems <ul> <li>Disorders of the digestive system, Bronchitis</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Unit 4: Evolution and Genetics</li> <li>Natural Selection and Evidence for Evolution <ul> <li>Conditions required for natural selection</li> <li>Variation within the population</li> <li>Evidence of evolution by natural selection</li> </ul> </li> <li>Evolutionary Mechanisms <ul> <li>Genetic variation</li> <li>The four evolutionary forces, Mutation, Migration, Genetic drift, Selection</li> </ul> </li> <li>Speciation <ul> <li>Reproductive-isolating mechanisms</li> <li>Pre-zygotic isolation, Types of selection</li> </ul> </li> <li>Cell Division <ul> <li>Reproduction, Asexual and sexual reproduction</li> <li>DNA, Chromosomes, Haploid and diploid</li> <li>Mitosis, Meiosis</li> </ul> </li> <li>Mendel's Laws of Inheritance <ul> <li>Mendel's Law of Segregation</li> <li>The Punnett square, Monohybrid, Dihybrid</li> </ul> </li> <li>Chromosomes and Chromosomal Disorders</li> <li>Sex-linked inheritance, Genes</li> <li>Dominant and Recessive Disorders</li> </ul>

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## **GRADE 11 CHEMISTRY DETAILED**

<ul> <li>Unit 1 : Composition and Properties of Matter</li> <li>Atomic Theory <ul> <li>Particle Theory of Matter, Types of particles</li> <li>States of Matter</li> <li>Structure of the atom</li> <li>Isotopes, Radioisotopes</li> <li>Average atomic mass</li> </ul> </li> <li>Structures and Properties of Elements <ul> <li>Locations of electrons in atoms, Bohr-Rutherford diagrams</li> <li>Core and valence electrons</li> <li>Effect of Inner Electrons</li> <li>Atomic Radius</li> <li>First Ionization Energy, Electronegativity</li> </ul> </li> <li>Chemical Bonding <ul> <li>Reactivity</li> <li>Lewis structures</li> <li>Determining the Type of Bond</li> <li>Ionic bonding, Covalent bonding</li> <li>Law of Definite Proportions</li> </ul> </li> <li>Chemical Compounds and their Properties <ul> <li>Names and formulas for binary ionic, polyatomic ionic, and binary covalent compounds</li> <li>Kinetic Molecular Theory</li> <li>Bond polarity, Intermolecular forces</li> <li>Quantifying elements and compounds</li> <li>Scientific notation</li> <li>The Mole, Molar mass, Significant figures</li> <li>Percent composition, Empirical and molecular forces</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Unit 2 : Chemical Reactions and Stoichiometric Relationships         • Chemical reactions         • Balancing chemical equations         • Law of Conservation of Mass         • Counting atoms         • Quantitative relationships in chemical reactions         • Mole ratios         • Types of Chemical Reactions         • Synthesis reactions         • Decomposition reactions         • Single displacement reactions         • The Activity Series of Metals         • Activity series for non-metals         • Double displacement reactions         • Chemical Reactions in the Environment         • Metals and the environment         • Corrosion         • Smelting         • Acids and bases, Acid-base neutralization reactions         • How acids and bases are made         • Combustion, Complete vs. incomplete combustion         • Quantities in Chemical Reactions         • Quantities of reactants and products         • Stoichiometry         • Limiting and Excess Reagents         • Predicting limiting and excess reagents         • Calculating limiting reagent         • The Stoichiometric Method: Limiting and Excess         • Calculating the limiting reagent
<ul> <li>Unit 3: Solutions, Solubility, and Acid-base Chemistry</li> <li>Solutions and Their Characteristics <ul> <li>Solutions, Ion dissociation, Molecular solutions</li> </ul> </li> <li>Quantitative Characteristics of Solutions <ul> <li>The Solution, Percentage, and Molar concentration</li> </ul> </li> <li>Qualitative Analysis of Solutions <ul> <li>Solubility and temperature</li> <li>Colour of aqueous solutions</li> </ul> </li> <li>Acidic and Basic Solutions <ul> <li>Acid and base theories, Arrhenius's Theory of Acids and Bases</li> <li>Acid and base strength</li> <li>Acid and base pH</li> <li>Titration calculations</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Calculating percent yield</li> <li>Unit 4: Gases and Atmospheric Chemistry         <ul> <li>Chemical Reactions in the Atmosphere</li> <li>The atmosphere</li> <li>What caused the hole in the ozone layer?</li> <li>Air Quality Health Index</li> <li>Carbon dioxide in the atmosphere</li> </ul> </li> <li>Properties of Gases         <ul> <li>The Kinetic Molecular Theory</li> <li>Kinetic Molecular Theory of Gases</li> <li>Variables that can affect gases</li> <li>The pressure-volume relationship, The temperature–volume relationship, The pressure-temperature relationship</li> <li>The Combined Gas Law</li> </ul> </li> <li>The Ideal Gas Law and Gas Stoichiometry         <ul> <li>Mixtures of gases</li> <li>Partial pressures</li> <li>The Ideal Gas Law</li> <li>The Ideal Gas Law</li> <li>Molar volume</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

## **GRADE 11 PHYSICS DETAILED**

Unit 1: Waves and Sound	Unit 2 : Motion and forces
Characteristics of Waves	Analyzing Motion
<ul> <li>Classifying waves, Transverse, Longitudinal</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Uniform motion, Non-uniform motion</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Ideal versus real waves</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Scalar versus vector quantities</li> </ul>
• Periodic motion, Quantifying wave motion	<ul> <li>Distance, Position, Displacement, Speed</li> </ul>
• Simple pendulum, Frequency, Amplitude	• Motion with graphs, Position-time graphs
• Universal wave equation	Accelerated Motion
• Speed of a wave, Reflection of waves	• Constant velocity, Average velocity, Instantaneous velocity
Transmission of Waves	• Acceleration, Kinematics equations
• Sound as a wave	Projectile Motion
• Sound travels in air, Speed of sound in air, Sound	• Projectiles, Vertical and Horizontal projectiles
travels in various materials	• Finding the initial velocity components
• Sound is a longitudinal wave	• Forces
• The Doppler effect	• Ouantifying forces
• Ultrasound	• Mass versus weight
• Sonar	• Free-body diagrams
Interference of Wayes	• Net force
• Wave Constructive and Destructive interference	• States of Motion
• Principle of superposition	o Inertia
<ul> <li>Beats Standing waves Sonic booms</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Investigating Newton's Laws</li> </ul>
Resonance	• Force mass and acceleration
<ul> <li>Mechanical resonance</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Newton's Second Law of Motion</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Sympathetic vibrations</li> </ul>	• Newton's Third Law
<ul> <li>Resonance in strings</li> </ul>	• Action-reaction nairs
• Air columns Closed air columns Open air columns	• Force of friction
Unit 3: Energy and Society	Unit 4 : Electricity and Magnetism
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