

Science Curriculum

Sixth Grade

We start with lab safety, scientific inquiry. Students will practice using the metric system throughout the school year. Writing activities will be incorporated on a daily basis. Sixth grade science deals mostly with earth science. Topics include rocks, minerals, weather, plate tectonics, Earth, and exploring space. Life Science topics include ecology, food webs, and the environment. We will also be doing monthly STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math) challenges to incorporate more of the Next Generation Science Standards into our curriculum.