

Year at A Glance: Advanced 8th Grade Science 2017-2018

	Week	Major Concepts / Topics	Possible Resources
Quarter 1	1	Beginning Science skills including Lab safety, review of lab equipment and lab practices.	Cpalms. Org for all topics. Florida Student.org: all topics
	2-5	SC.8.N.1.1-1.6, 2.2 : The Nature and Processes of Science	
	6-7	SC.8.P. 8.1, 8.7, 3.1, 3.2: Scientific theory of atoms, atomic parts, matter, scientific models, SC.912.P.8.1.	
	8-9	SC.8.P.8.2-8.4, 9.2,: Physical/Chemical Properties of Matter.	
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Quarter 2	1-4	SC.8.P.8.5-6, SC.912.P.8.5: Periodic table elements, writing/naming Chemical Compounds, properties of atoms.	Bozemanscience: Props of Matter, Atoms & the PTE, Chemical bonds. Phet.com: pH Scale: Basics
	5-7	SC.8.P.8.8-9, SC.912.P.8.11: Classifying chemical compounds, solutions, acidity, basicity.	
	8-9	SC.8.P.9.2-3,SC.912.P.8.2 : Physical and Chemical changes & factors that influence them.	
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Quarter 3	1-4	SC.8.L.18.1-4,SC.8.P.9.1, SC.912.L.18.7-18.9: Photosynthesis, Cellular Respiration, interrelatedness of the processes.	Bozemanscience: Photosynthesis, Cellular Respiration.
	5-6.5	SC.8.E.5.1-5.3: The universe, astronomical bodies.	
	6.5-8	SC.8.E.5.4, 5.5, SC 8.P. 8.2: Gravitational forces, properties of our stars.	
	8-9	SC.8.E5.6: Solar Properties	
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Quarter 4	1	Revisit Scientific Method Standards	
	2-3	SC.8.E.5.7-5.8, SC.912.E.5.4: Properties of objects in the Solar System , properties of the sun & connections to Earth's occurrences.	
	4-5	SC.8.E.5.9: Moon phases, tides, eclipses.	
	6	FCAT review	
	7-9	SC.8.E.5.10-11: Technological applications in space	

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