## **Iowa Common Core Standards for Science**

4-H Youth Development Curriculum and Kits from Iowa State University Extension and Outreach, Scott County

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Growing in the Garden: Insects	K-5	6	Life Science Physical Science Earth & Space Sciences Engineering, Technology & Applications of Science	Kindergarten  Use observations to describe patterns of what plants and animals (including humans) need to survive. (K-LS1-1)  Make observations to determine the effect of sunlight on Earth's surface. (K-PS3-1)  Construct an argument supported by evidence for how plants and animals (including humans) can change the environment to meet their needs. (K-ESS2-2)  Use a model to represent the relationship between the needs of different plants or animals (including humans) and the places they live. (K-ESS3-1)  Communicate solutions that will reduce the impact of humans on the land, water, air, and/or other living things in the local environment.(K-ESS3-3)  Grade One  Plan and conduct investigations to provide evidence that vibrating materials can make sound and that sound can make materials vibrate. (1-PS4-1)  Grade Two  Develop a simple model that mimics the function of an animal in dispersing seeds or pollinating plants. (2-LS2-2)  Make observations of plants and animals to compare the diversity of life in different habitats. (2-LS4-1)  Develop a simple sketch, drawing, or physical model to illustrate how the shape of an object helps it function as needed to solve a given problem. (K-2-ETS1-2)  Grade Three  Develop models to describe that organisms have unique and diverse life cycles but all have in common birth, growth, reproduction, and death. (3-LS1-1)  Construct an argument that some animals form groups that help members survive. (3-LS2-1)  Use evidence to support the explanation that traits can be influenced by the environment. (3-LS3-2)Use evidence to construct an explanation for how the

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Growing in the Garden: Insects	K-5	6	Life Science Physical Science Earth & Space Sciences Engineering, Technology & Applications of Science	variations in characteristics among individuals of the same species may provide advantages in surviving, finding mates, and reproducing. (3-LS4-2) Construct an argument with evidence that in a particular habitat some organisms can survive well, some survive less well, and some cannot survive at all. (3-LS4-3) Make a claim about the merit of a solution to a problem caused when the environment changes and the types of plants and animals that live there may change. (3-LS4-4) Obtain and combine information to describe climates in different regions of the world. (3-ESS2-2) Grade Four Construct an argument that plants and animals have internal and external structures that function to support survival, growth, behavior, and reproduction. (4-LS1-1) Use a model to describe that animals receive different types of information through their senses, process the information in their brain, and respond to the information in different ways. (4-LS1-2) Grade Five Use models to describe that energy in animals' food (used for body repair, growth, motion, and to maintain body warmth) was once energy from the sun. (5-PS3-1) Support an argument that plants get the materials they need for growth chiefly from air and water. (5-LS1-1) Develop a model to describe the movement of matter among plants, animals, decomposers, and the environment. (5-LS2-1) Obtain and combine information about ways individual communities use science ideas to protect the Earth's resources and environment. (5-ESS3-1)