## 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Science Pacing Guide 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter 2014-15

**HOP**: Habits of Practice

Practice 1: Asking Questions/Defining Problems

Practice 2: Developing and Using Models

Practice 3: Planning/Carrying Out Investigations

Practice 4: Analyzing/Interpreting Data

Practice 5: Using Math & Computational Thinking

Practice 6: Constructing Explanations/Designing Solutions

Practice 7: Engaging in Argument from Evidence

Practice 8: Obtaining/Evaluating/Communicating Info

Practice 9: Thinking about my Thinking (Metacognition)

Standard	Weeks	SPI/CCSS	Chapter/Pages	Concept	Labs/Activities/ Informational Text	NGSS Connections/ Habits of Practice
Standard 11: Motion	Week 1	sPI 0707.11.3 Apply proper equations to solve basic problems pertaining to distance, time, speed, and velocity.  SPI 0707.Inq.1 Design a simple experimental procedure with an identified control and appropriate variables.  SPI 0707.Inq.2 Select tools and procedures needed to conduct a moderately complex experiment  SPI 0707.Inq.3 Interpret and translate data into a table, graph, or diagram.  SPI 0707.Inq.4 Draw a conclusion that	Chapter 19, Section 1, 2	How do you describe and measure motion	Lab: The Domino Derby  Lab: Bubble Gum Physics  Lab: Balloon Powered Race Cars  Lab: Speed Challenge  Lab: Motion- Speed, Velocity, and Acceleration  Activity: Acceleration Pre-Assessment  Activity: Acceleration Computer Simulation  Activity: Marshmallow Catapult Lab  Information Text and Activity: Virtual Car Velocity and Acceleration	NGSS: Stability and Change, Cause and Effect  HOP: Practice 4 & 5

	establishes a cause and effect relationships supported by evidence.  SPI 0707.Inq.5 Identify a faulty interpretation of data that is due to bias or experimental error  SPI 0707.T/E.1 Identify the tools and				
	procedures needed to test the design features of a prototype.				
Week 2-3	SPI 0707.11.4 Identify and explain how Newton's laws of motion relate to the movement of objects.  SPI 0707.Inq.3 Interpret and translate data into a table, graph, or diagram.  SPI 0707.Inq.4 Draw a conclusion that establishes a cause and effect relationships supported by evidence.	Chapter 20, Section 2	How do Newton's Laws explain the motion of objects, What determines whether a force is balanced or unbalanced	Lab: Force & Acceleration Lab  Lab: Moving Bodies  Lab: Balloon Rockets  Activity: Newton's Laws Discrepant Events  Activity: Moving Man Computer Simulation  Informational Text: On Newton's Laws of Motion  Informational Text: How Helmets and Helmet Laws Can Help  Informational Text: Car	NGSS: Cause & Effect NGSS: Stability and Change HOP: Practice 5 & 6

	SPI 0707.Inq.5 Identify a faulty interpretation of data that is due to bias or experimental error			Performance Article	
	SPI 0707.T/E.3 Distinguish between the intended benefits and the unintended consequences of a new technology.				
	SPI 0707.T/E.4 Differentiate between adaptive and assistive biotechnology.				
	CCSS Reading 3 CCSS Reading 6 CCSS Reading 7 CCSS Writing 5 CCSS Writing 9				
	SPI 0707.11.1 Differentiate between the six simple machines.	Chapter 21, Section 2, 3	How do the six types of simple machines make work easier	Lab: Rotation Lab on Simple Machines  Lab: Inclined to Move	NGSS: Systems and System Models HOP: Practice 5 & 6
Week 4	SPI 0707.Inq.3 Interpret and translate data into a table, graph, or diagram.			Activity: Simple Machines Web-quest  Activity: Ed Heads Simple Machines Computer Activity	
	SPI 0707.Inq.4 Draw a conclusion that establishes a cause and effect			Informational Text: Rube Goldberg Cartoon	

	relationships supported by evidence.  CCSS Reading 2 CCSS Reading 5 CCSS Reading 7 CCSS Writing 2 CCSS Writing 5			Informational Text: Understanding Simple Machines	
Week 5-6	SPI 0707.11.2 Determine the amount of force needed to do work using different simple machines.  SPI 0707.Inq.3 Interpret and translate data into a table, graph, or diagram.  SPI 0707.Inq.4 Draw a conclusion that establishes a cause and effect relationships supported by evidence.	Chapter 19, Section 2; Chapter 21, Section 1	How to calculate the work done by a simple machine	Activity: Work Practice Problem Set	NGSS: N/A HOP: Practice 5 & 6

Week 7-8	SPI 0707.11.5 Compare and contrast the different parts of a wave.  SPI 0707.11.6 Differentiate between transverse and longitudinal waves in terms of how they are produced and transmitted.  SPI 0707.Inq.3 Interpret and translate data into a table, graph, or diagram.  SPI 0707.Inq.4 Draw a conclusion that establishes a cause and effect relationships supported by evidence.  SPI 0707.Inq.5 Identify a faulty interpretation of data that is due to bias or experimental error	Chapter 22, Sections 1-3	What are the two types of waves, how are they produced, and what are their characteristics	Lab: The Wave Machine  Lab: Wave Lab  Activity: Waves, Sound, and Light  Informational Text: Physics for Kids	NGSS: Patterns NGSS: Structure & Function  HOP: Practice 2 & 6