## Jefferson City Public Schools-Curriculum

SUBJECT:	<b>Elementary</b>	

COURSE: EER

STRAND: Undersea University

Objectives	Assessment/Evaluation	Instructional Activities
A) Identify the oceans, seas and the diverse pathways water travels around the globe  Performance: 1.5, 1.8, 2.1 Knowledge: (CA) 3,4 (SC) 5 CAGLE: R.3.Ca,c,f-h; W.1.Aa-e (All Gr. 5) SCGLE: SC5.2.Ea (Gr. 7) NETS: (3-5) 1,5,8 DOK: 1-3	<ul> <li>Teacher observation</li> <li>Questions over Bill Nye video</li> <li>Student will create a water journey trivia clue and summary card – assess using a scoring guide</li> <li>Present clues to the class – assess using a presentation scoring guide</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Oceans and Seas handout</li> <li>Bill Nye Oceanography video</li> <li>Great Water Journeys group activity</li> </ul>
B) Learn about triops and create an ecosystem for them  Performance: 1.3, 2.1  Knowledge: (CA) 3 (SC) 7  SCGLE: SC4.1.A (Gr. 4); SC7.1.D (Gr. 5)  NETS: N/A  DOK: 1-3	Create and record journal entries of triop growth – assess using a scoring guide	<ul> <li>Read: Triops: Your Pets from Dinosaur Days</li> <li>Triops Ecosystem activity</li> </ul>
C) Understand the importance of biodiversity  Performance: 1.5, 1.6, 1.8, 3.1, 3.6 Knowledge: (CA) 1 (SC) 3,4,8 CAGLE: R.3.Ca-l; W.1.Aa-d (All Gr. 6) SCGLE: SC4.2.Da-c (Gr. 6) NETS: (3-5) 8 DOK: 1-3	<ul> <li>Two paragraph essay over the importance of biodiversity – assess using a scoring guide</li> <li>Biodiversity sheet over Bill Nye video – assess using a scoring guide</li> <li>Business letter to the World Wildlife Federation – assess using a scoring guide</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Bill Nye Biodiversity video</li> <li>Read: Extinction, What Can We Do?</li> <li>Tropical Rain Forest fact sheet</li> <li>Exploring Biodiversity activity</li> </ul>

Objectives	Assessment/Evaluation      I Rule the World worksheet – assess using a scoring guide     Students create a food web from Horseshoe Crabs and Shore Birds – assess using a scoring guide	<ul> <li>Instructional Activities</li> <li>Read: <ul> <li>Current Science: Masters of the Sea</li> </ul> </li> <li>Horseshoe Crabs and Shorebirds: The Story of a Food Web</li> <li>PBS Video: Horseshoe Crabs and Red Plover</li> <li>Gulp! Ocean Food Web game</li> </ul>
Performance: 1.8, 4.1 Knowledge: (CA) 3,6 (SC) 3,4 CAGLE: R.3.Ca-l; W.2.A,Ba,b (Gr. 6) SCGLE: SC4.2.Aa,b (Gr. 6) NETS: (3-5) 8 DOK: 1-2		
Explain threats faced by sea turtles  Performance: 1.2, 1.3, 1.5, 1.6, 1.8, 2.1, 3.1, 3.6-3.8, 4.1  Knowledge: (CA) 3,4,5 (SC) 3,4,7,8  CAGLE: R.3.Ca-l; W.2.A-E (All Gr. 5-7)  SCGLE: SC4.1.A-D (Gr. 6)  NETS: N/A  DOK: 1-4	<ul> <li>My Life as a Sea Turtle paper – assess using a scoring guide</li> <li>Each group presents information to the class on the sea turtle researched – assess using a presentation scoring guide</li> <li>My Life as a Sea Turtle data analysis sheet – assess using a scoring guide</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Read:</li> <li>Into the Sea by Brenda Guiberson</li> <li>Current Science: Coast Guards</li> <li>Threats to Sea Turtles handout</li> <li>Divide class into 6 groups – each group reads one of the following:</li> <li>Leatherback Sea Turtle</li> <li>Olive Ridley Sea Turtle</li> <li>Kemp's Ridley Sea Turtle</li> <li>Hawksbill Sea Turtle</li> <li>Green Sea Turtle</li> <li>Loggerhead Sea Turtle</li> <li>Survivor Sea Turtle activity</li> </ul>
F) Research an endangered marine species and develop a persuasive argument to save the species  Performance: 1.1, 1.2, 1.4, 1.8, 1.10, 2.1, 3.1, 3.6, 3.8  Knowledge: (CA) 1,3,4,6 (SC) 4  CAGLE: R.3.Ca-l; W.2.A-E (All Gr. 5-7)  SCGLE: SC3.1.Aa; SC4.1.A-D (All Gr. 6)  NETS: (3-5) 1,5  DOK: 1-4	Species on the Edge Congressional Statement – assess using a scoring guide	<ul> <li>Internet research on an endangered marine species</li> <li>Species on the Edge fact card</li> </ul>

Objectives	Assessment/Evaluation  Lab data sheet – assess using a scoring guide	Instructional Activities  Pressure Streaming lab
(G) Discover the relationship between water pressure and depth		
Performance: 1.1, 1.2, 1.8, 3.1, 3.5 Knowledge: (CA) 1 (MA) 3,4 (SC) 7 CAGLE: W.3.A (Gr. 6) SCGLE: SC7.1.A-D (Gr. 6) NETS: N/A DOK: 3		
(H) • Identify a diversity of issues related to ocean life	Ocean Times news assignment – assess using a scoring guide     Rough draft – assess using a scoring guide	Ocean Times newspaper assignment     Ocean Times planning and rough draft
<ul> <li>Develop own opinions</li> </ul>		
• Design a newspaper		
Performance: 1.1, 1.2, 1.4, 1.8, 2.1 Knowledge: (CA) 1,3,4 (SC) 4,8 CAGLE: R.3.A (Gr. 4,5); R.3.C (Gr. 4-6); W.1.Aa-e (Gr. 6) SCGLE: SC4.1.C,Da-c (Gr. 6) NETS: (3-5) 1,5,10 DOK: 1-3	Ocean Times news article – assess using a scoring guide	
(I) Introduction to dissection. Dissection is an important	Teacher observation	Dissection information and handouts
part of scientific discovery that will enable students to better understand how life works		
Performance: 1.1-1.3 Knowledge: (CA) 4 (SC) 7 SCCLE: SC7.1.B,D (Biology I) NETS: N/A DOK: 1,2		
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