Rowland Water District's Education Program Next Generation Science Standards & Common Core Alignment

Activity	NGSS	Disciplinary Core Idea	Common Core
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Water Cycle	K-ESS2	ESS2D: Weather & Climate	RI.K.1
Bracelet	(Earth's	Weather is the combination of sunlight,	W.K.1
	Systems)	wind, snow or rain and temperature in a	W.K.2
		particular region at a particular time. People	K.MD.A.1
		measure these conditions to describe and	
		record the weather and to notice patterns	
		over time. (K-ESS2-1)	
		ESS3.C: Human Impacts on Earth Systems	
		Things that people do to live comfortable	
		can affect the world around them. But they	
		can make choices that reduce their impacts	
		on land, water, air and other living things.	
Water Cycle	K-ESS3	ESS3.A: Natural Resources	RI.K.1
Bracelet	(Earth and	Living things need water, air, and resources	SL.K.3
	Human	from the land, and they live in places that	
	Activity)	they need. Humans use natural resources	
	0.004	for everything they do. (K-ESS301)	
-Water Cycle	2-PS1	PS1.A: Structure and Properties of Matter	W.2.8
Bracelet	(Matter	-Different kinds of matter exist and many of	MP.5
-States of	and its	them can be either solid or liquid, depending	
Water	Interactions)	on temperature. Matter can be described	
Activity		and classified by its observable properties. (2-PS1-1)	
		(2-P31-1) -Different properties are suited to different	
		purposes. (2-PS1-2), (2-PS1-3)	
		-A great variety of objects can be built up	
		from a small set of pieces. (2-PS1-3)	
		PS1.B: Chemical Reactions	
		Heating or cooling a substance may cause	
		changes that can be observed. Sometimes	
		these changes are reversible and sometimes	
		they are not. (2-PS1-4)	
Water Cycle	2-ESS2	ESS2.A: Earth Materials and Systems	RI.2.3
Bracelet	(Earth's	Wind and water can change the shape of the	W.2.8
	Systems)	land. (2-ESS2-1)	-
	, ,	ESS2.C: The Roles of Water in Earth's	
		Surface Processes	
		Water is found in the ocean, rivers, lakes	
		and ponds. Water exists as solid ice and in	
		liquid form. (2-ESS2-3)	

-Water Cycle	2-LS2	LS2.A: Interdependent Relationships in	W.2.8
Bracelet	(Ecosystems:	Ecosystems	
-Wendy	Interactions,	Plants depend on water and light to grow.	
Water Wise	Energy and	(2-LS2-1)	
Curriculum	Dynamics)		
Water Cycle	4-ESS2	ESS2.A: Earth Materials and Systems	W.4.8
Bracelet	(Earth's	Rainfall helps to shape the land and affects	
	Systems)	the types of living things found in a region.	
		Water, ice, wind, living organisms and	
		gravity break rocks, soils, and sediments into	
		smaller particles and move them around.	
		(4-ESS2-1)	
Water Cycle	5-ESS2	ESS2.c: The Roles of Water in Earth's	W.5.8
Bracelet	(Earth's	Surface Processes	SL.5.5
	Systems)	Nearly all of Earth's available water is in the	
		ocean Most fresh water is in glaciers or	
		underground; only a tiny fraction is in	
		streams, lakes, wetlands and the	
		atmosphere. (5-ESS2-2)	