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# Nexwlélexm (Bowen Island)

- The Islands Trust Council acknowledges that the lands and waters that encompass the Islands Trust Area have been **home to Indigenous peoples** since **time immemorial** and honours the **rich history, stewardship, and cultural heritage** that embody this place we all call home.
- The Islands Trust Council is committed to establishing and maintaining mutually **respectful relationships** between Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples. Islands Trust states a **commitment to Reconciliation** with the understanding that this commitment is a **long-term relationship-building and healing process**.
- The Islands Trust Council will strive to **create opportunities for knowledge-sharing** and understanding as people come together to **preserve and protect** the special nature of the islands within the **Salish**



# Welcome!

## Our Plan Together

December 5: Guiding Condition #1: All Students are **presumed competent**

February 13: Guiding Condition #2: All students are **placed** in inclusive classrooms

March 19: Guiding Condition #3: All students are within **proximity to** and **participating in** learning with **peers**

April 24: Guiding Condition #4: All students have meaningful **purpose** in inclusive classrooms

May 30: Guiding Condition #5: All students are **planned for** from the start

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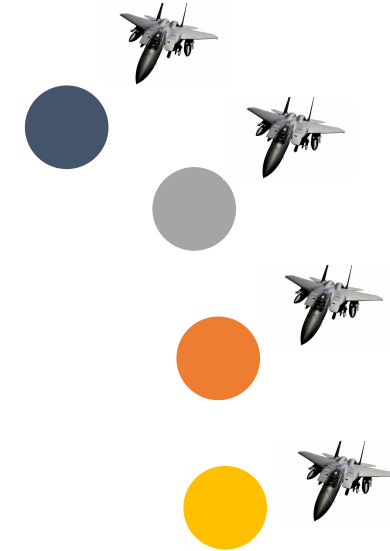
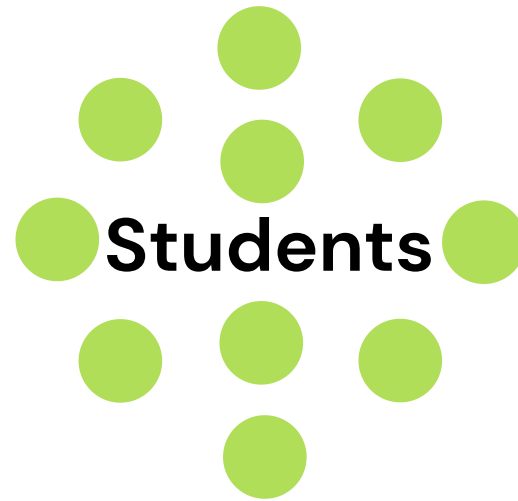
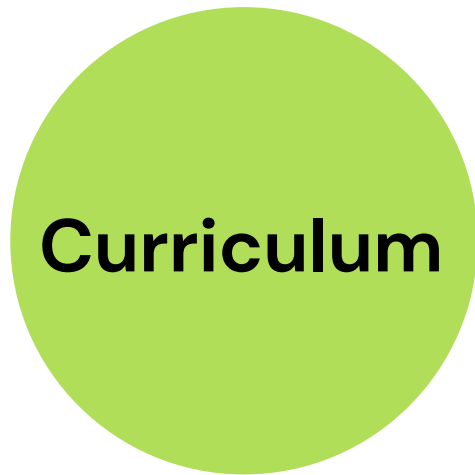


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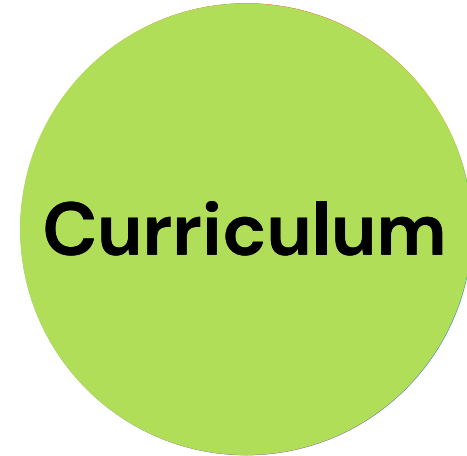
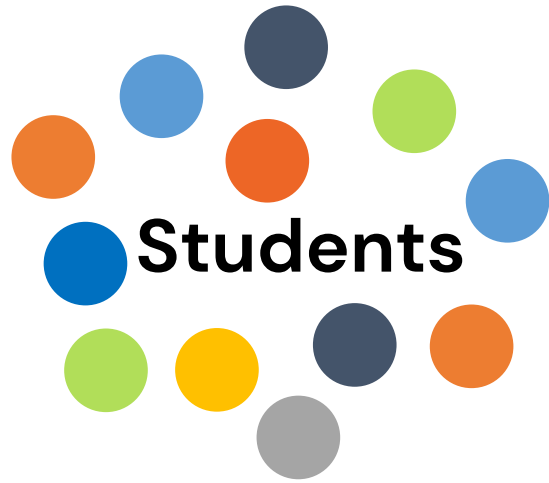
What does it mean to

*plan* for *ALL*?

# WHAT & HOW WE WERE TAUGHT...



# WHAT IF WE ANTICIPATED *variability*



# INSTEAD OF *homogeneity*?

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Tumwater, Washington

Peter G Schmidt Elementary School

Grade 5 - Science

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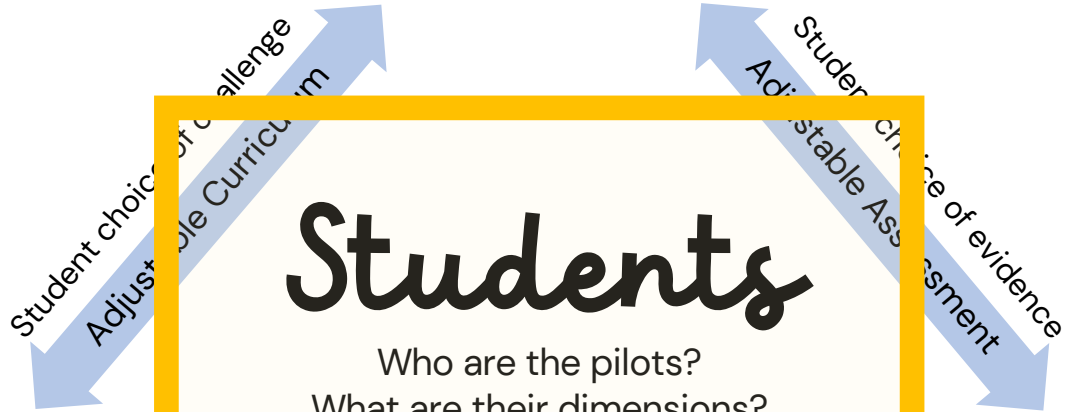
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# Getting to know and making decisions to support students

## Strategies:

- The Class Review
- Needs Based Reflection
- Needs Based Support Plan

<b>Class Dimensions</b>			
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<b>Class Identities:</b> Families – half are in split families 2 families navigating cancer, 1 parent in rehab Grade – 4/5 combined Cultures: Kenyan, Caucasian, Japanese, Ethiopia, Hispanic, Pacific Islander, Religion: Christian, Language: English	<b>Class Interests:</b> Competition, trivia, puzzles, word games, brain teasers, riddles, working with friends, choice, being creative, stories and read aloud, art, service, kindergarten buddies	<b>Classroom Strengths:</b> Creating, social, healthy competition, fair, protective, aware, helping others, working with others, leadership, being aware of others, allowing others to lead, socially awareness & responsible, understanding, strong academically overall (gr 4), reading, motivated intrinsically	<b>Classroom Stretches:</b> Waiting, their turn, not always getting your way/ what you want, being aware that what is “easy” is not easy for everyone, being aware of diverse abilities, empathy and mindful of how what we say affects others, stamina, justifying their learning, deep thinking and sharing of their learning, too comfortable sometimes
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<b>Targeted Class Needs</b>			
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<b>Need: Anxiety/ Emotional Regulation</b> <b>GA, LB, JA, ES, KR, GS</b>	<b>Need: Engagement/ Motivation</b> <b>LB, JA, ES, NS</b>	<b>Need: Trauma/ Family Needs</b> <b>GA, LB, JA, ES, JK, LE</b>	<b>Need: Literacy</b> <b>GA, MA, KR, TP, AB</b>
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<b>Collaborative Team Questions</b>			
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**E:** How to support literacy needs? How do we make sure they are ready for middle school?  
**S:** How do we teach them to manage their needs (anxiety etc.) so they are ready for middle school and have to navigate such a different context?  
**C:** How to support students who are not participating and often not attending? How to engage and motivate without pushing too hard?

<b>Collaborative Team Decisions:</b>			
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<b>What works well for this class?</b> - Natural consequences, honesty & fairness, competition, roles & responsibilities as students, conversations	<b>What do we still want to try?</b> Strategies to increase self advocacy UDL Strategies to reduce barriers to engagement - Make learning relevant to students’ lives - Scaffolding learning (access to challenge)	UDL Strategies to reduce barriers to representation - Highlighting patterns in language systems - Using multi-media - Focus on building prior knowledge - Include processing tasks in lesson design UDL Strategies to reduce barriers to Expression - Guiding students through self assessment and goal setting - Model the use of supports and strategies
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## Coaching Session 1: Tumwater

School District: Tumwater SD		School: Peter J Schmidt Elementary	
Participant	Role	Target Class: Gr 4/5	Target Subject Area(s): Science 5
E. Crabtree	CT	<b>Target Student(s):</b>  <b>Gabby A</b> – Autism, Oct 2023 – first included, decoding and writing strong, anxiety, difficulty talking to peers, musically talented, scripted language, pairs well with - Mason, Lorelei, motivated by James, needs access points  <b>Mason A</b> – newly diagnosed, mild intellectual, loves fitting in, peers are motivators, likes adult attention, needs access points  <b>Lorelei B</b> – needs academic support, gives up, some personal and family medical needs – lots of emotions, anxiety, withdraws, overwhelmed, loves animals, approaching grade level  <b>James A</b> – attendance needs – family needs & trauma, medical needs, motivates Gabby, loves helping, task oriented, loves jobs, food, closer to grade level  <b>Elijah S</b> – bullied at another school, very angry, always feeling like everything is his fault/everyone is against him, long time to build trust, event can snowball to feel overwhelmed, pairs well with Mason	
S. Wernke	ST		
C. Luce	PE		
K. Doughty	Principal		
S. Bentley	Psychology		
Ms. Gina	Para		

## Classroom Support Planning: Collaborative Needs Based Reflection

**Target Classroom:**

**Classroom Teacher(s):**

**Support Teachers/Staff:**

**Date:**

1. Look at the following areas of need as a team
2. Record needs for students who have IEPs (Individual education plan) and/or LSPs (learning support plan)
3. You can refer to individual assessments and recommendations as well as specialists to determine needs if useful
4. Record needs for students in class who do not have IEP or LSP
5. Look for clusters of need and reflect on community impact
6. Determine priority classroom needs to develop Classroom Support Plan



Areas of Need	Students who have this need (underline students who have <u>IEP/504</u> )	This need impacts the community and/or there is a cluster of students who have this need	This need can be managed over time and/or not critical	This is an individual need area and/or community does not need support in this area
Addiction				
Attendance/ Lateness	JA			x
Attention	JA, RM		x	
Anxiety/ Depression	GA, LB, JA, ES, KR, GS	x		
Bullying				
Communication (receptive)				
Communication (expressive)	GA, LB		x	
Eating/Food/Allergies	LB			x
Engagement/Motivation	LB, JA, ES, NS	x		
Executive Functioning	MA, LB, JA	x		
Family/Community/Identity	JA, ES, JK, LE	x		
Frustration/ Anger	JA, ES		x	
Greif/ Trauma	GA, LB, JA, ES, KK	x		
Gross/Fine Motor Skills	LB, BB			x
Intellectual Ability (access)	GA, MA		x	
Intellectual Ability (extend)	BW, IM, MB		x	

Language				
Literacy (decoding)	MA, KR, TP, AD		x	
Literacy (understanding)	GA, MA, KR, TP, AD		x	
Literacy (written output)	MA, LB, KR, TP, AD		x	
Literacy (oral language/speaking)	GA		x	
Medical				
Memory				
Mental Health				
Numeracy	ES, KR			
Personal Care	GA			x
Personal Safety				
Physical/Mobility				
Self-Advocacy	LB			x
Self-Regulation (emotional)	GA, JA, ES	x		
Self-Regulation (behavioural)	ES	x		
Self-Regulation (learning)				
Self Esteem	LB, JA, ES	x		
Self-Harm/ Self Injurious Behaviour				
Sensory				
Social Skills	GA, LB, JA, ES	x		
Transitioning	JA, ES	x		
Other:				
Other:				

Priority Community Needs	Specialists/Individuals to connect to	Priority Individual Needs	Specialists/Individuals to connect to
Anxiety/ emotional self- Regulation	Counsellors – Jessica		
Family support/ trauma	Counsellors – Jessica, Community Schools – Diana		
Literacy	Title – Kori, Mica, Melissa		
Engagement/ Motivation	Sarah, Shelley, Jasmine, Kim		

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Who needs the MOST support?

What supports & strategies are useful for ONE?  
(Individualized)

- Reading IEP
- 3/4 x week individual intervention with CT or parent volunteer (one on one)
- G (replacement literacy instruction - comprehension)

Essential

What supports & strategies are useful for SOME? (Choice for ALL)

- Title reading intervention (decoding) 4 x week
- (UDL strategies to help student choose)

Targeted

What supports & strategies are useful for MOST/ALL?

- Access to grade level curriculum
- Fluency passage (at independent level) – at home
- Weekly read with parent volunteers
- Vocabulary support & practice (word ladders/activities/plexer)
- Classroom read aloud every day
- Library
- Different levels of text level for assessment
- Strategic intervention time
- WIN time

Universal

Students in Mind

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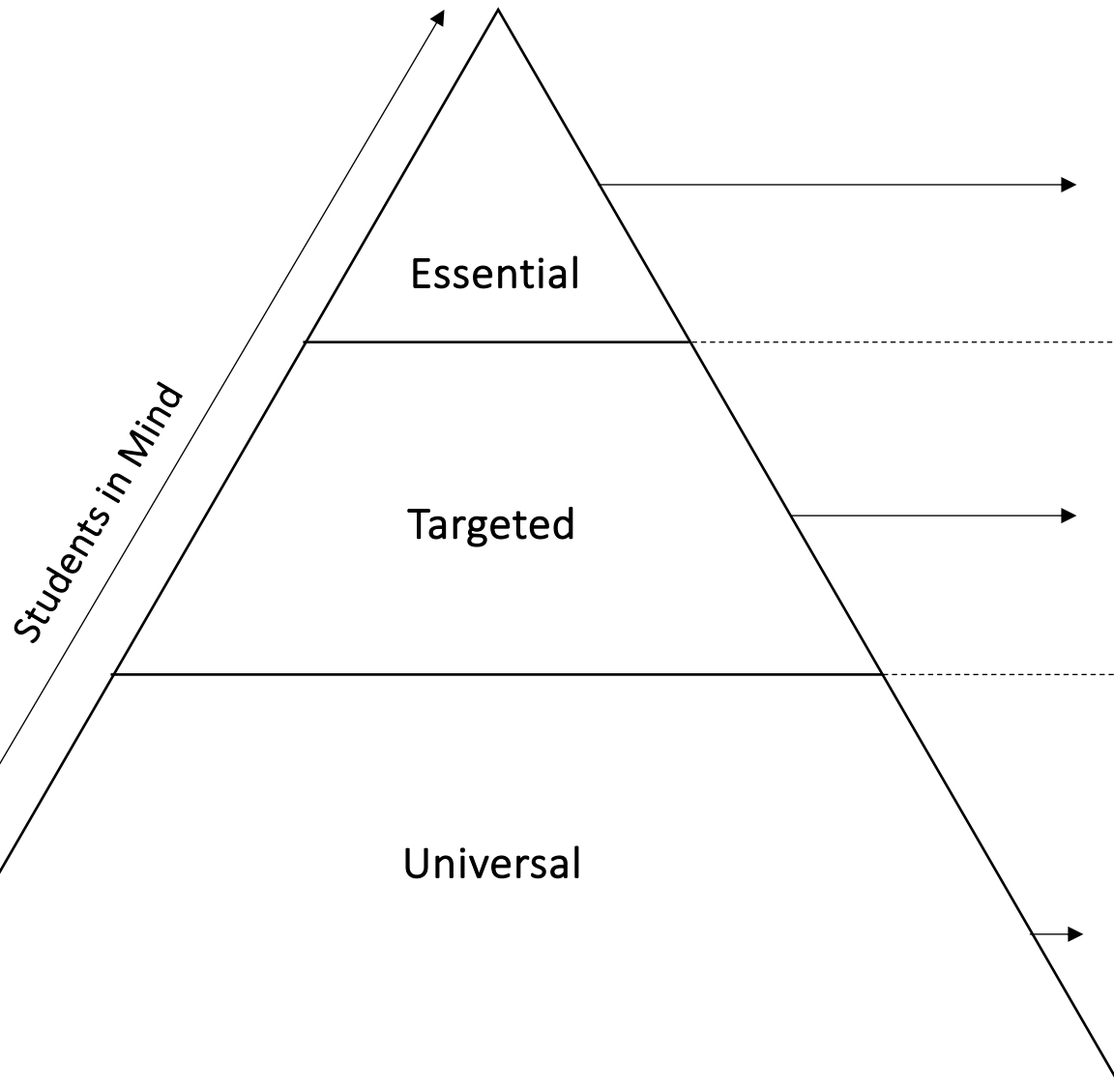
- Communication with school team (set up other places to go if needed)
- Individual debriefing
- Check in/ check out system (with resource)
- Built in time at The Nest in schedule
- G: Level of problem (1-5 and how to respond, reinforcement system)

What supports & strategies are useful for SOME? (Choice for ALL)

- Calming kit
- Take a break (check in)
- Sensory tools (e.g. fidgets, items from home)
- Choice to go The Nest

What supports & strategies are useful for MOST/ALL?

- Morning meeting, classroom conversations
- Mindful minutes – teaching a strategy
- Routines & structures
- Technology – all practice a strategy (e.g. 5 finger breathing)
- Lessons with counsellor (tools in toolbox)
- Classroom conversations (power of yet, Factor of fear)
- Trust when they need something
- Open communication with families (e.g. Dojo)
- Access to The Nest (SEL space)



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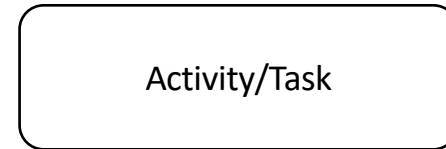
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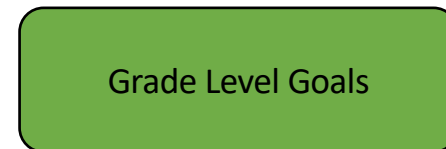
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<b>Grade:</b>	<b>Subject Area: Science</b>	<b>Strand/Topic:</b>
<b>Learning Standard:</b>		<b>Unit Guiding Question(s):</b>
<b>Key Vocabulary:</b>		
<b>Learning Goals</b>	<b>Curricular Language What do Students need to Know and Do?</b>	<b>Student Friendly Language</b>
<b>Science and Engineering Practices</b>		
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<b>Grade: 5</b>	<b>Subject Area: Science</b>	<b>Strand/Topic: Structure and Properties of Matter</b>
<b>Learning Standard:</b> 5-PS1-1. Develop a <b>model</b> to describe that <b>matter</b> is made of <b>particles</b> too small to be seen		<b>Unit Guiding Question(s):</b> How can I use a <b>model</b> to help me understand that some <b>matter</b> is made up of <b>particles</b> that are <b>too small to see</b> ?
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<b>Learning Goals</b>	<b>Curricular Language What do Students need to Know and Do?</b>	<b>Student Friendly Language</b>
<b>Science and Engineering Practices (skills)</b>	<b>Developing and Using Models</b> building and revising simple models and using models to represent events and design solutions. Use models to describe phenomena.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>I can <b>create</b> and <b>improve</b> a <b>model</b></li> <li>I can use a model to show an <b>idea</b></li> <li>I can use a model to <b>solve a problem</b></li> </ul>
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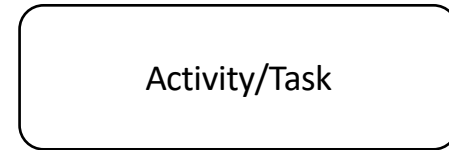
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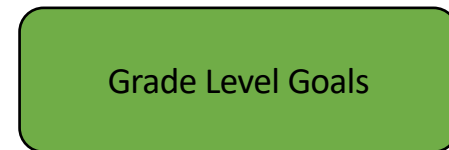
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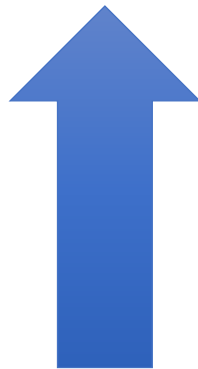
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# Additive and Asset-Based Learning Continuums

- Differentiated curriculum
- Shifts from “benchmark” to “window” of proficiency
- Same entry point for all/ Multiple exit points
- Start from access, add on challenge
- Different from a rubric

# Rubrics vs. Learning Continuum

	deficit	deficit	Most complex description
Grade Level Learning Standard			



# THE SCRUMPTIOUS RUBRIC REFERENCE

## BARELY HANGING ON



The customer wants a refund. Bread alone is not a sandwich. It's like you gave the bread and pop out just to show you were listening.

**Translation:** You only did the small stuff to suffice turning it in. The artwork is missing all important details and signs of understanding or perseverance.

## NEEDS SOME UMPH



Your sandwich disappoints the customer. There's no flavor and not enough meat, if any at all. About the only thing great is the Citrus Drop.

**Translation:** You are missing important details within your artwork. Expectations are not met. Improvement is needed and lack of understanding is present.

## GETS THE POINT



Your sandwich met expectations. It has flavor but nothing too exciting. You included the meat but gee, a side of chips would be nice.

**Translation:** Your artwork meets expectations, you went as far as the requirements expected and you used what knowledge you had to do so.

## RIGHT ON!



Your sandwich went beyond expectations. You threw in some extra flavor and tomatoes and surprised the customer with a side of chips.

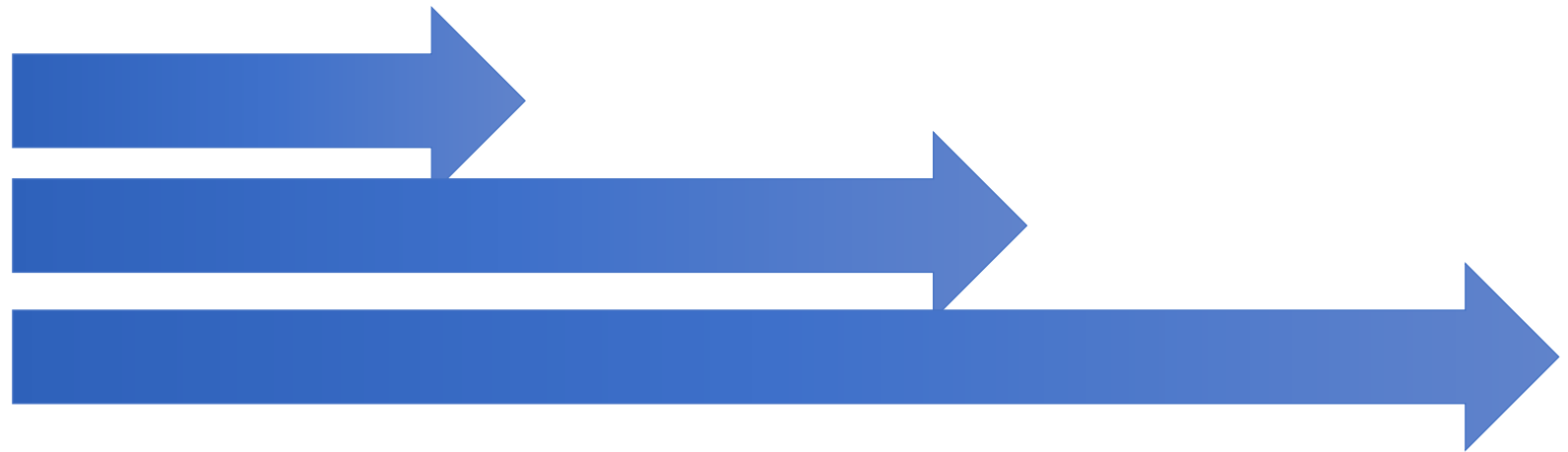
**Translation:** Your artwork exceeds all expectations; you used creativity, went beyond the basic requirements and showed obvious understanding.

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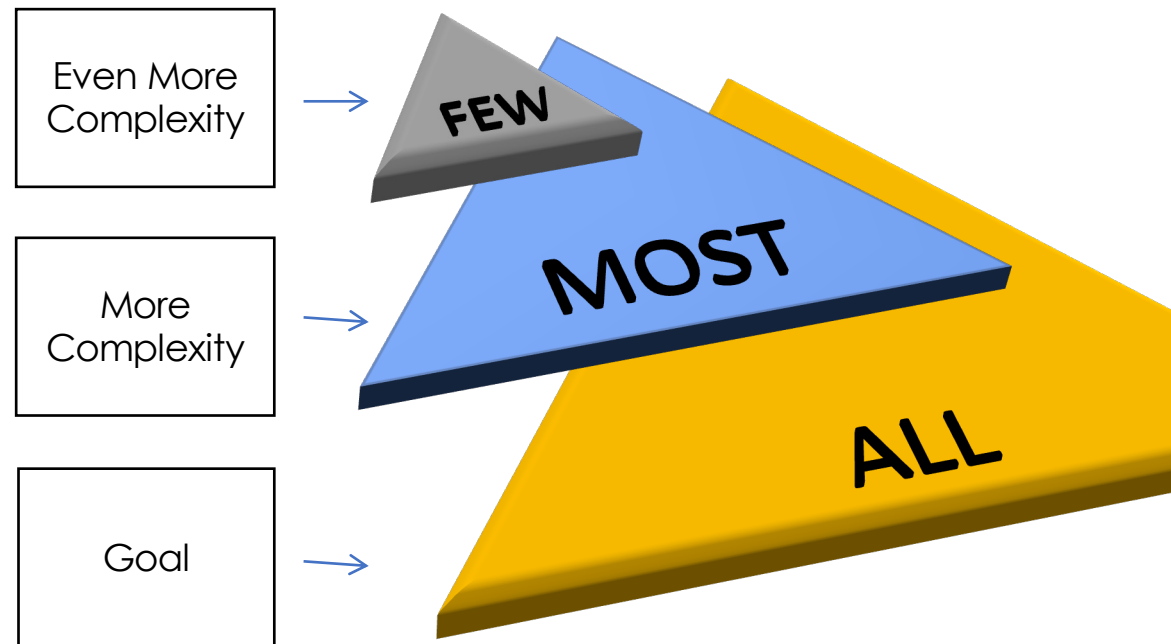
Inclusive Education: It's not more work, it's different work!

# Rubrics vs. Learning Continuum

	Essential	More complex	More complex
Grade Level Learning Standard			



# Planning Pyramid



# Our Co-Planning Journey: Learning Continuums

1. Using the elaborations for each learning outcome, we constructed a **grade-level scaffold** in *student friendly language*

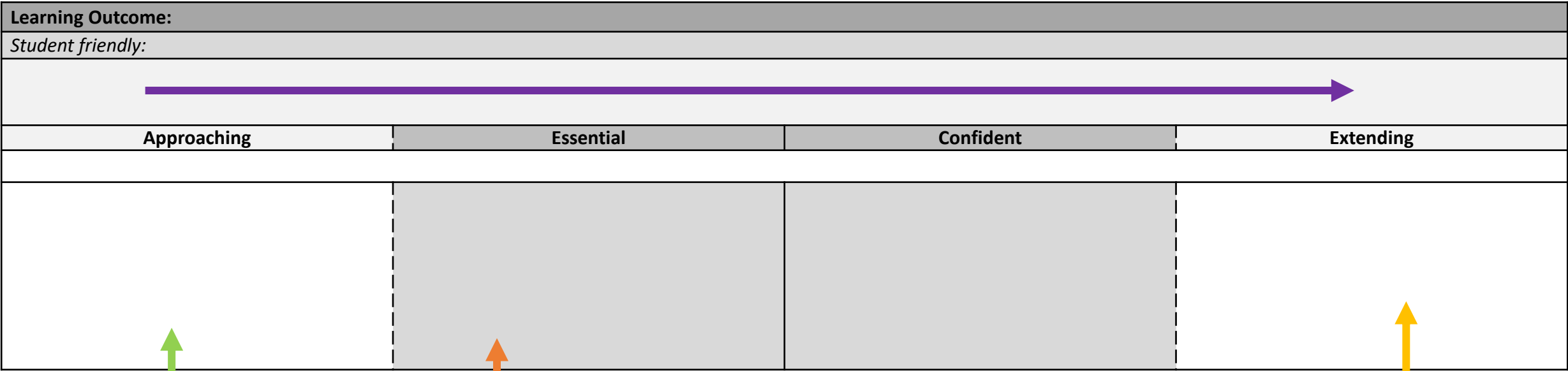
Learning Outcome:				
<i>Student friendly:</i>				
Grade Level				
Approaching	Emerging	Developing	Confident	Extending

2. We started with the **most essential concept** of the outcome and then we **added on complexity**

3. We extended the grade level scaffold to include an **access point** and **challenge point**

# Learning Continuums

1. Choose a Learning Standard and translate it into student friendly language



2. Start with determining the **most essential concept** of the standard and then **add on complexity**

3. Extend the grade level standard to include an **access point** and **challenge point**

## Rubric: Life Sciences 11

### Curricular Competency Goal: [Processing and analyzing data and information](#)

Construct, analyze, and interpret graphs, models, and/or diagrams

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# Additive Learning Continuum: Life Science 11

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I can understand a visual representation of information that is familiar to me	I can understand what a visual is communicating (what is happening?)	I can analyze a visual representation of data (How do I know?)	I can interpret a visual representation of data (why does this matter?)	I can interpret a visual representation of data (what data is missing to get a better understanding of the data?)

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3. Extend the grade level standard to include an **access point** and **challenge point**

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What grade level curriculum are we using?  
What are the learning standards?

# CURRICULUM & ASSESSMENT DESIGN

Student choice of challenge  
Adjustable Curriculum

# Students

Who are the pilots?  
What are their dimensions?  
Where is their agency?

Student choice of evidence  
Adjustable Assessment

# NEEDS BASED DESIGN

What are the student needs?  
What barriers are getting in the way?  
What do student require to navigate needs & barriers?

Adjustable Supports & Strategies  
Student choice of tools and actions

# INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN

How will students show growth within the learning standard?  
How do we know?

# Lesson in instructional resource

## MATERIALS

### Student

- 1 Science notebook\*
- 1 [Student Investigation Sheet 2A: What Are the States of Matter?](#)
- 1 Pair of safety goggles\*

### Team of four students

- 1 Clear plastic container with lid, 24-oz
- 20 Marbles

### Teacher

- 1 Student Investigation Sheet 2A: *What Are the States of Matter?* (Teacher's Version)
- 1 Balloon
- 1 Glass beaker (100 mL) filled with ice
- 1 Glass beaker (100 mL) filled two-thirds with water
- 3 Clear containers of different shapes, filled with equal volumes of water\*
- 3 Clear plastic containers with lids, 24 oz
- 3 Colors of food coloring\*
- 1 Graduated cylinder, 1,000 mL
- 1 Hot plate\*
- 1 Modeling-clay lump (shape and size to resemble the small, rigid, solid object below)
- 1 Oven mitt\*
- 1 Pair of safety goggles\*
- 1 Resealable plastic bag, 1 gal\*
- 1 Small, rigid, solid object\* (e.g., a plastic toy car)
- 1 Thermometer
- Chart paper or whiteboard\*
- Marbles
- Markers\*

\*These materials are needed but not supplied.

1. Distribute a copy of [Student Investigation Sheet 2A: What Are the States of Matter?](#) to each student. As a brief review, instruct students to complete the first two rows of the chart individually. Ask students to share their responses.

2. Conduct Demonstration #1 where all students can observe. During the demonstration, allow students to ask questions to refine their understanding of these three states of matter.

a. Solids: Display the toy car and the lump of modeling clay. Squeeze the lump of modeling clay to change its shape. Ask:

- What did you observe when I squeezed each solid object? (*The clay changed shape, but the car did not.*)
- Did the masses of these solid objects change? Did the volumes change? (*No, the mass and volume did not change. If students do not recognize this, you may wish to form the clay back into a ball, and measure the mass and volume of both the clay and the car in front of the class. Squeeze the clay again and remeasure to demonstrate there is no change in mass or volume.*)
- Recall from the previous lesson that all matter is made of tiny building blocks called particles. If the volume or mass did not change, do you think the number of particles making up each object changed when the objects were squeezed? Explain your answer. (*No, because adding or removing particles would cause the object's volume or mass to change.*)

b. Liquids: Display the three containers of colored water you prepared, and ask students to observe the volume of liquid in each container. Pour the water from the containers of different shapes into three identical clear plastic containers to demonstrate that the quantities of liquid have equal volume. Pour the water back into the original containers to demonstrate that the volume stays the same but the liquid takes the shape of the container. Ask:

- What did you notice about the volume of each liquid? (*Students should notice that it looked like the volumes of the three liquids were different because the water levels were unequal, but when the liquids were poured into identical containers, it was obvious that they all had the same volume.*)
- What can you conclude about the volume of a liquid and the shape of its container? (*A liquid takes the shape of its container, but its volume does not change when the size of the container is changed.*)

c. Gases: Gently squeeze the balloon to demonstrate that the gas inside changes shape with the balloon. Do the same with the bag of air, and then open the seal to demonstrate that the air leaves the bag and disperses into the room. Ask:

- What did you notice when I squeezed the balloon and the bag of air? (*The gas seemed to move around inside both the balloon and the bag.*)
- How did the bag of air change when I opened it? Predict what happened to the gas inside. (*Students should predict that because the bag seemed to deflate when it was opened, the air left the bag.*)

3. Write the following statements on the board in a single column:

- A material that has definite shape and volume.
- A material that has definite volume but takes the shape of its container.
- A material that has no definite shape or volume and can expand freely to fill a container of any size or shape.

In a second column, write "solid," "liquid," and "gas." As a class, match each state of matter to one of the descriptions you wrote on the board. Instruct students to copy the descriptions into the first row of Student Investigation Sheet 2A.

#### Teaching Tip

Students may struggle to understand that solids like modeling clay have a definite shape. Explain that the modeling clay is malleable, or can change its shape, but that the individual particles that make up the modeling clay do not change in shape.

4. Explain that the next demonstration will utilize the same type of matter, water, in three different states. Students will observe phase changes, or the changes from one state of matter to another. Provide a pair of safety goggles for each student. Once you and the students have the goggles on, display the beaker of ice cubes and the beaker of water. Pour a little water from the water beaker into the beaker of ice and insert the thermometer. Measure the temperature of the ice water and record it on the board.

#### Teaching Tip

Dispel misconceptions that a material's temperature is increased only by extremes such as boiling or cooking. Bringing a glass of ice to room temperature is also an example of heating the material.

5. Place the beaker on a hot plate and begin to heat the ice water. Record the temperature every minute until all the ice has melted and the water is at a full boil. As the beaker heats up, ask students to observe what is happening and share their observations with the class. Students should notice that as the hot plate raises the temperature, the ice melts into water. The liquid water begins to boil, and some of the water turns into water vapor.

#### Teaching Tip

Exercise caution when using the hot plate. Do not touch or allow students to touch the hot plate. Also use caution when handling the beaker. Use an oven mitt or allow the beaker to cool completely before handling.

6. Turn off the hot plate and provide time for students to discuss what they observed in their groups. After some time, facilitate a class discussion using the following questions:

- How did the water change during this demonstration? How many phase changes occurred? (*Students should be able to identify two state changes: ice was heated until it became water. Water was boiled until it became water vapor.*)
- What pattern do you notice with these phase changes? (*Both of the phase changes were the result of adding heat.*)
- How can you make ice? (*Freeze water.*)

# Lesson in instructional resource

## Teaching Tip

Make sure students understand that heat energy was added to cause the phase changes they observed. Explain that when water is frozen, heat energy is removed from the system.

7. Discuss melting point, freezing point, and boiling point. Write the following definitions on the board. Direct students to copy each into their science notebooks.

- A material's freezing point is the temperature at which it changes from a liquid to a solid. For water, this is 0°C (32°F).
- A material's melting point is the temperature at which it changes from a solid to a liquid. For water, this is 0°C (32°F).
- A material's boiling point is the temperature at which it changes from a liquid to a gas. For water, this is 100°C (212°F).

Encourage students to provide examples of phenomena related to these terms, such as creating popsicles, melting ice cream, or steaming soup.

8. Ask students if they observed any particles during the demonstration. Make sure students understand that particles are too small to be seen with the eye and require a powerful microscope to view. Ask:

- Think about the ice, water, and vapor. Are these materials made of the same particles? *(Yes)*
- Do you think the number of particles changed as the water changed state? *(Answers will vary. Explain that the number of particles did not change.)*

9. Distribute 20 marbles and a clear plastic container to each group. Instruct students to work in groups of four to develop a model to describe the movement and attraction of the particles in each state of matter. Provide the following rules for students:

- You must demonstrate how particles become more or less attracted while changing from a solid to a liquid to a gas.
- You may use the container or the surface of your desk to demonstrate each state of matter.

## Teaching Tip

Instruct students to shake their containers quietly and to make sure the floor is clear of marbles at the end of the investigation. You may want to provide a shallow box if the desks are not flat.

10. Provide time for groups to develop their models. Allow students to struggle with the challenge before intervening, but use the following question to guide students toward an understanding particle behavior:

- Think about adding energy to something, like we added heat energy to ice and water. What typically happens when something has more energy? *(Objects with more energy tend to move faster than objects with less energy. Guide students to this conclusion by asking them to describe the behavior of a person who has a lot of energy.)*

11. Allow each group to share its model. Draw attention to similarities and differences among the models, but identify models that accurately show particles becoming less attracted and moving faster. Once all groups have shared, ask:

- What happens to particles' attraction and movement as energy is added to a system of matter? *(The particles become less attracted and move faster.)*
- Relate the models to the definitions of each state of matter. *(Students' models will vary, but they should be able to describe how their model represents the following: Solids keep their shape, so their particles are strongly attracted and do not move very much. Liquids maintain the same volume but can take the shape of their container, so their particles have less attraction and more movement. Gases have no definite shape or volume and can spread out, suggesting they are less attracted and move around the most.)*

12. Draw on the board a simple diagram of these particle arrangements. Use Figure 2.1 as a reference.

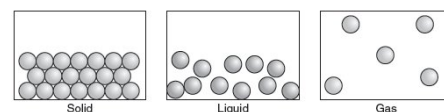


Figure 2.1: Particles are arranged differently in solids, liquids, and gases.

**Guiding Unit Question:**

**Lesson Goal(s):**



**Date**

**Connecting Activity:**

**Supports**

**Mini Lesson:**

**Processing Tasks**

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The diagram shows a horizontal arrow pointing to the right, indicating a progression of difficulty or skill level. Below the arrow, four categories are defined by vertical dashed lines: 'I Need to...' (Access), 'I Must...' (All), 'I Can...' (Most), and 'I Could...' (Few). Each category is associated with a bowling pin icon, with the first pin on the left and the last on the right.

**Transforming & Personalizing Activity:**



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**Lesson Goal(s):** I know that matter can be broken apart into tiny particles that are too small to see

**Date**

**Connecting Activity: picture set**

What do all these pictures have in common: states of matter

**Additional supports & strategies to ensure all students meet the "ALL"**  
- Provide vocab list, sentence stems, options for verbal explanation

**Mini Lesson: students watch a demonstration experiment (3 beakers)**

**Processing Tasks – graphic organizer connected to demonstration**

I need to...	I must...	I can...	I could...	I can try to...
Watch a science demonstration  Draw what you observe and label it with vocab words	Label which beaker is solid, liquid, gas	Draw the arrangement of particles in each state of matter	Show how the particles move in each drawing	Explain how particles break down in this experiment (E.g., What did we do to the matter)
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**Transforming & Personalizing Activity: Exit Slip (post it notes or partner share)**

One new word you learned today?  
What is one new idea you learned today?  
What is an example of solid/liquid/gas?

This is lesson creates evidence for: 5-PS1-1 (NGSS)

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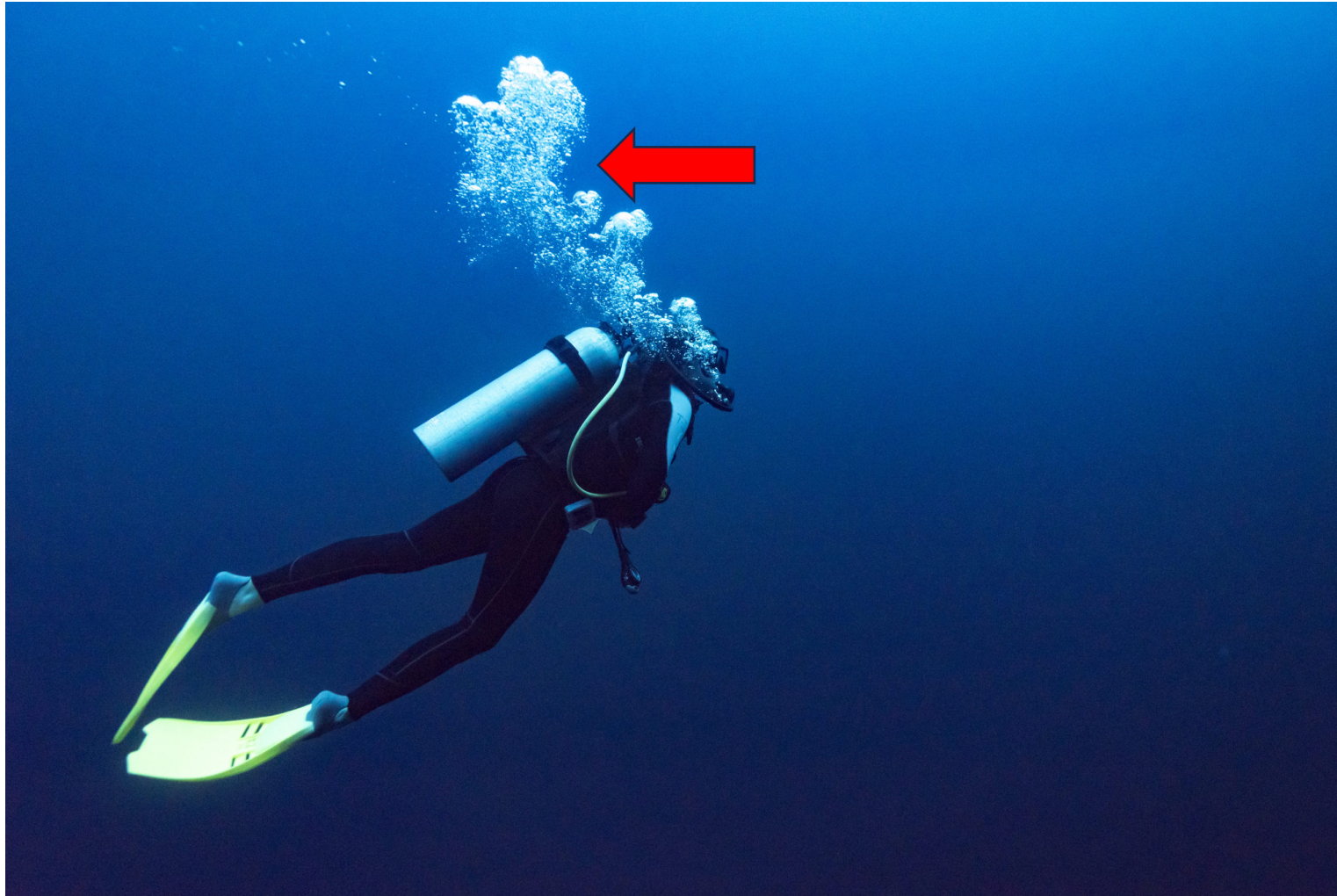
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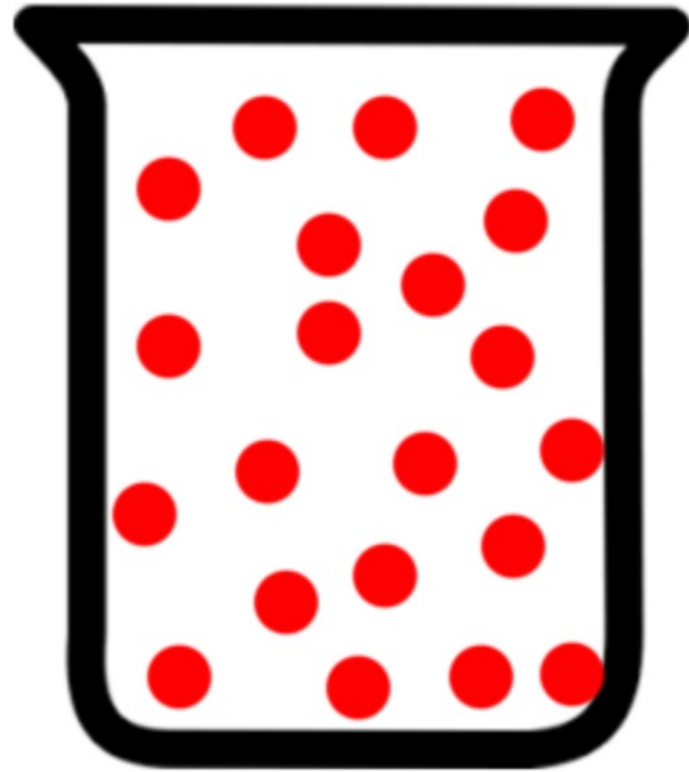
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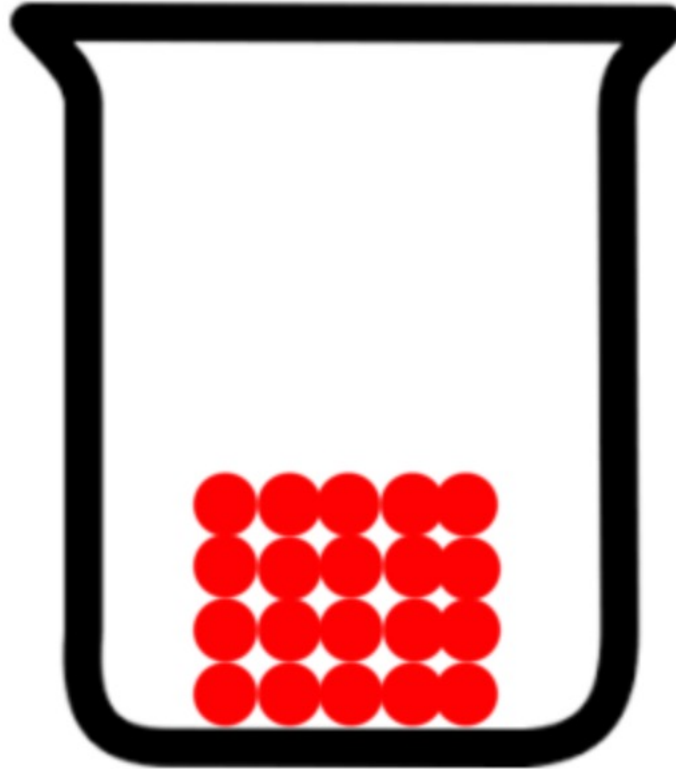
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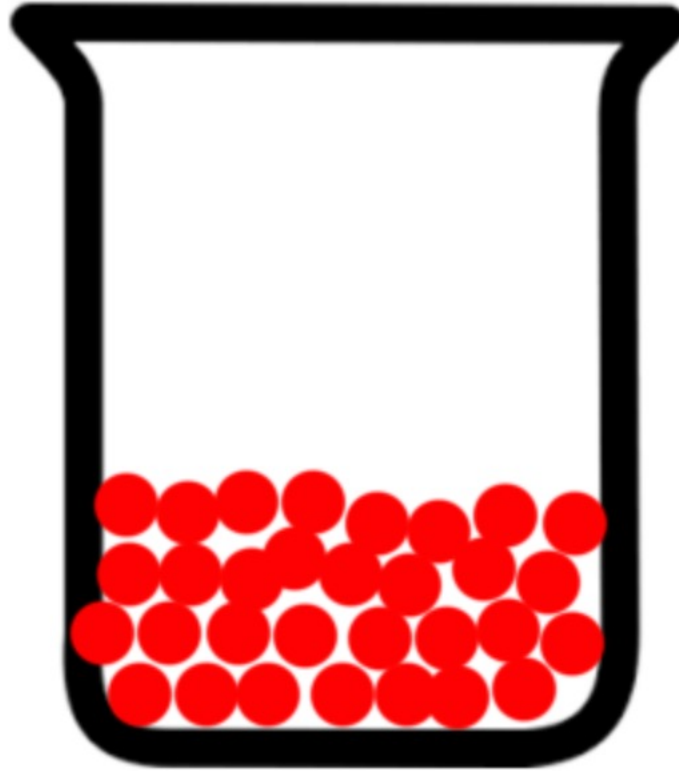
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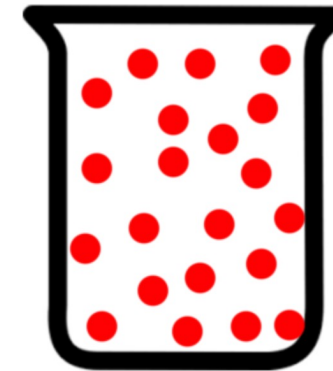
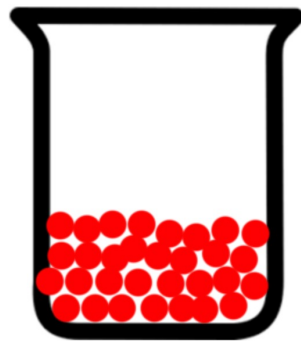
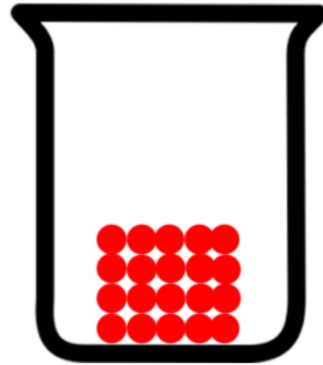
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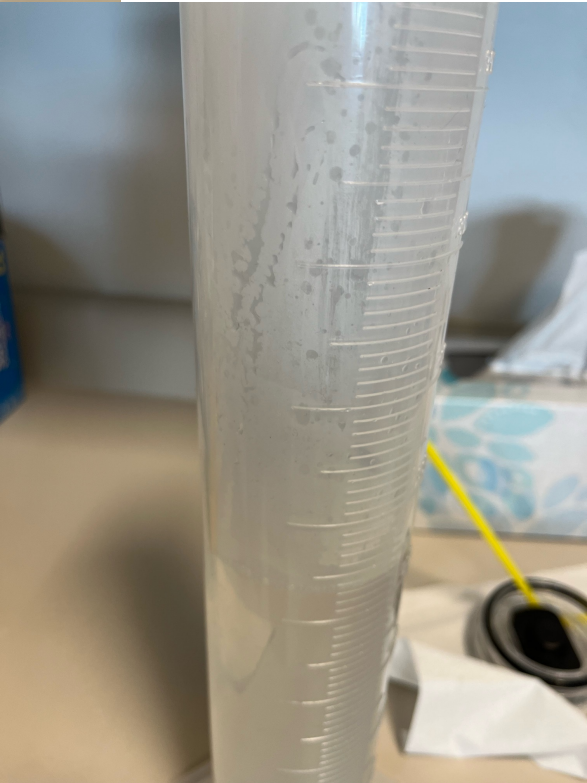
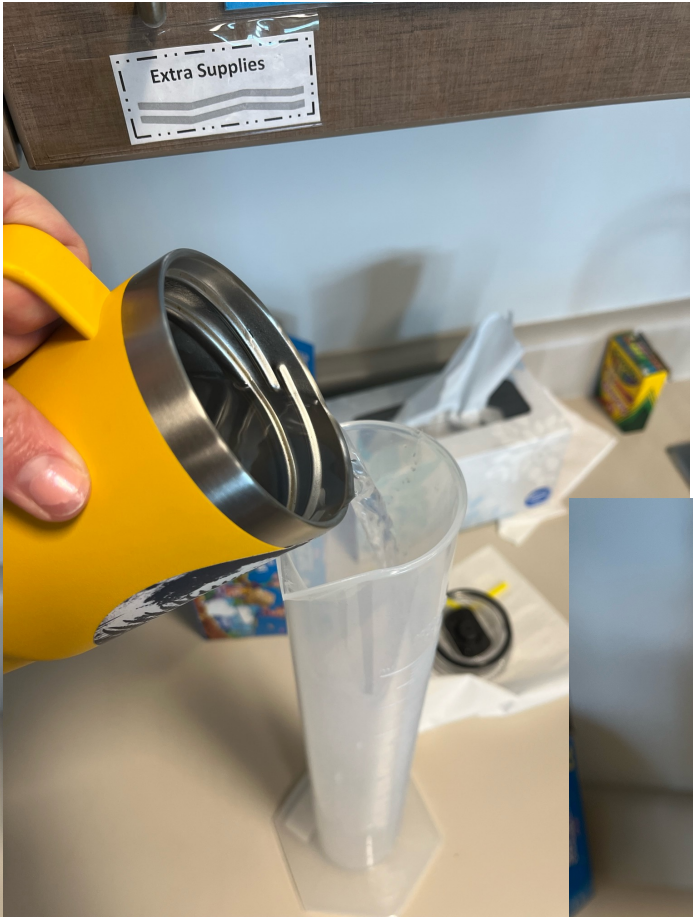
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# UDL Lesson Plan: Connect Phase

Universal Strategies	UDL Indicators Targeted	Support Needs Impacted	Students in Mind
Picture set	7.2, 8.3, 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 2.4, 2.5, 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 4.1, 5.1, 5.3	Attention, anxiety, communication, engagement/ motivation, executive functioning, intellectual ability, language, literacy, memory, self regulation, self esteem, social skills	GA, MA, LB, JA, ES, RM, NS, KR, TP, AD
Highlighting key words	2.1, 2.4, 3.1, 3.2, 3.4, 5.2	Communication, engagement/ motivation, executive functioning, intellectual ability, literacy, language, memory, self regulation, self esteem,	GA, LB, ES, NS
Student Friendly Learning Goal	8.1, 3.2, 3.4, 6.1, 6.4	Anxiety, communication, engagement/motivation, executive functioning, intellectual ability, literacy, memory, self regulation, self advocacy	GA, MA, LB, JA, ES, ES, KR, GS, MA

# Demonstration



# UDL Lesson Plan: Mini Lesson Phase

Universal Strategies	UDL Indicators Targeted	Support Needs Impacted	Students in Mind
Modelling (concrete learning)	1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 2.4, 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 7.3	Attention, Communication, Engagement, Intellectual Ability, Literacy, Memory, Self Regulation,	JA, RM, LB, ES, NS, GA, MA, KR, TP, AD

**Guiding Question:** How can I use a **model** to help me understand that some **matter** is made up of **particles** that are too small to see?

**Learning Goal:** I know that **matter** can be **broken apart** into **tiny particles** that are too small to see

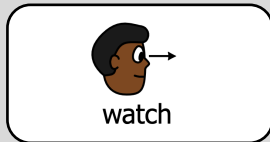
**Task:** Observe a science demonstration

Everyone starts together

Go as far as you can!

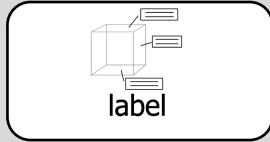
**I NEED to:**

- Watch the **science demonstration**
- Create a **diagram** that shows the **science demonstration** that you watched



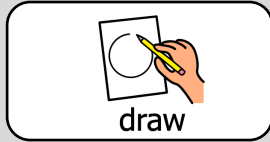
**I MUST:**

- Label your **diagram** with vocabulary **words**



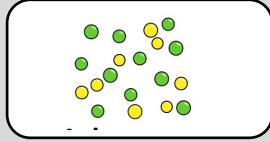
**I CAN:**

- For each state of **matter**, **draw** the **tiny particles** that are **too small to see**



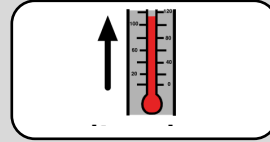
**I COULD:**

- Show on your drawing, how the **tiny particles move**

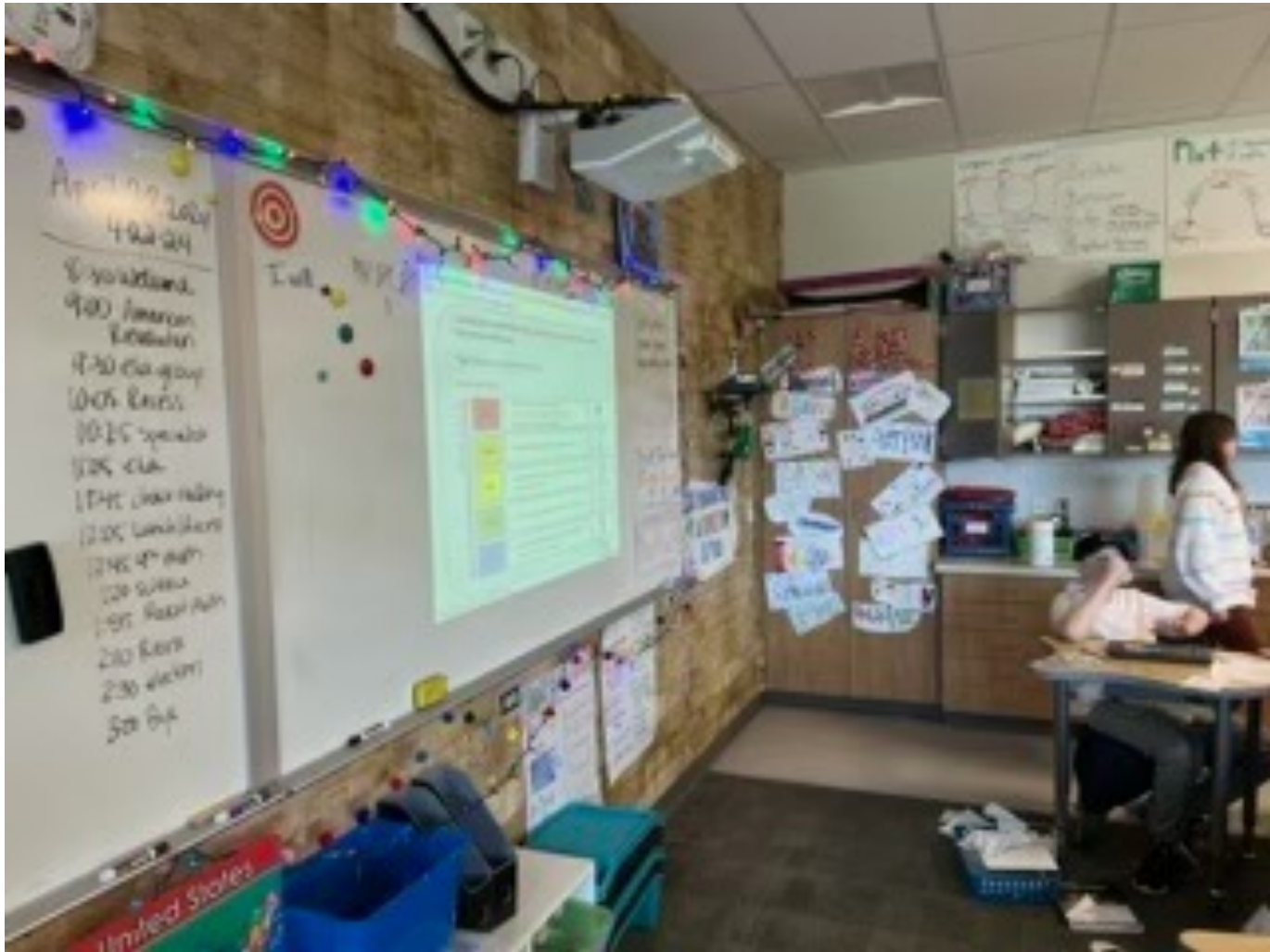


I can **TRY** to:

- Using words and drawings, show what made the **break down the tiny particles**



# MUST/CAN/COULD Visual Reference



# Graphic Organizer in instructional resources

## Student Investigation Sheet 2A

Name \_\_\_\_\_

What Are the States of Matter?

Date \_\_\_\_\_

	<b>Solid</b>	<b>Liquid</b>	<b>Gas</b>
<b>Definition</b>			
<b>Examples</b>			
<b>Description of arrangement of particles</b>			
<b>Drawing of arrangement of particles</b>			

# MUST/CAN/COULD Graphic Organizer

**Guiding Question:** How can I use a **model** to help me understand that some **matter** is made up of **particles** that are too small to see?

<b>Learning Goal:</b> I know that <b>matter</b> can be <b>broken apart</b> into tiny <b>particles</b> that are too small to see	
Name:	Date:
<b>Need:</b> Watch the <b>science demonstration</b> . Create a <b>diagram</b> that shows the <b>science demonstration</b> that you watched.	<b>Must:</b> Label your <b>diagram</b> with vocabulary <b>words</b> :  matter solid liquid gas beaker heat water ice steam

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<b>Learning Goal:</b> I know that <b>matter</b> can be <b>broken apart</b> into tiny <b>particles</b> that are too small to see	
Name:	Date:
<b>Can:</b> For each state of <b>matter</b> , draw the <b>tiny particles</b> that are <b>too small to see</b>	<b>Can Try:</b> Using words and drawings, show <b>what was used to make the tiny particles move</b>  _____ _____ _____
<b>Could:</b> Show on your drawing, how the <b>tiny particles move</b>	

## Vocab List

**Guiding Question:** How can I use a **model** to help me understand that some **matter** is made up of **particles** that are too small to see?

**Learning Goal:** I know that **matter** can be **broken apart** into tiny **particles** that are too small to see

Name:

Date:

**Need:** Watch the **science demonstration**. Create a **diagram** that shows the **science demonstration** that you watched.

**Must:** Label your **diagram** with vocabulary **words**:

matter

solid

liquid

gas

beaker

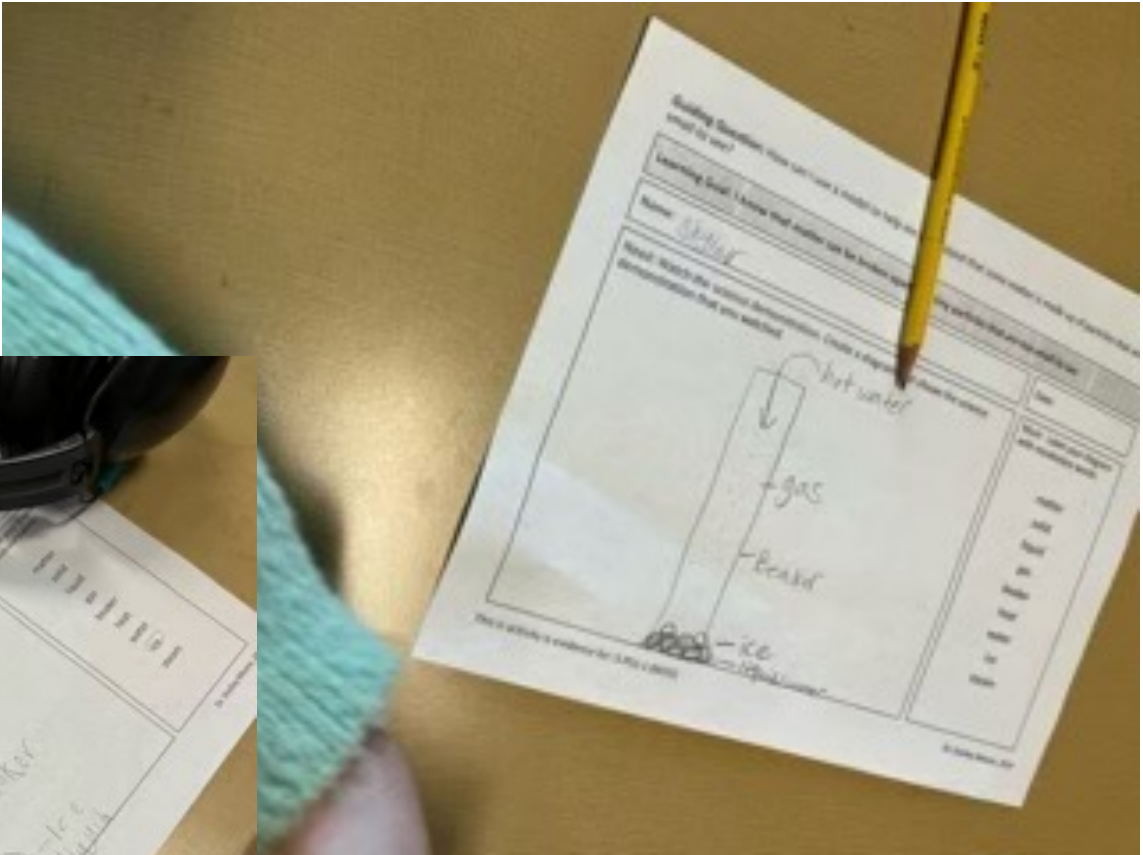
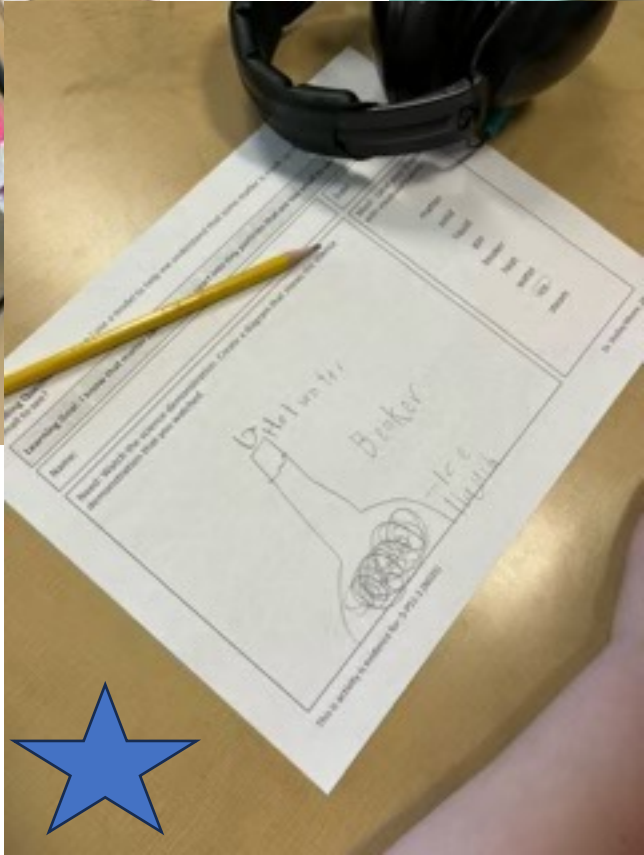
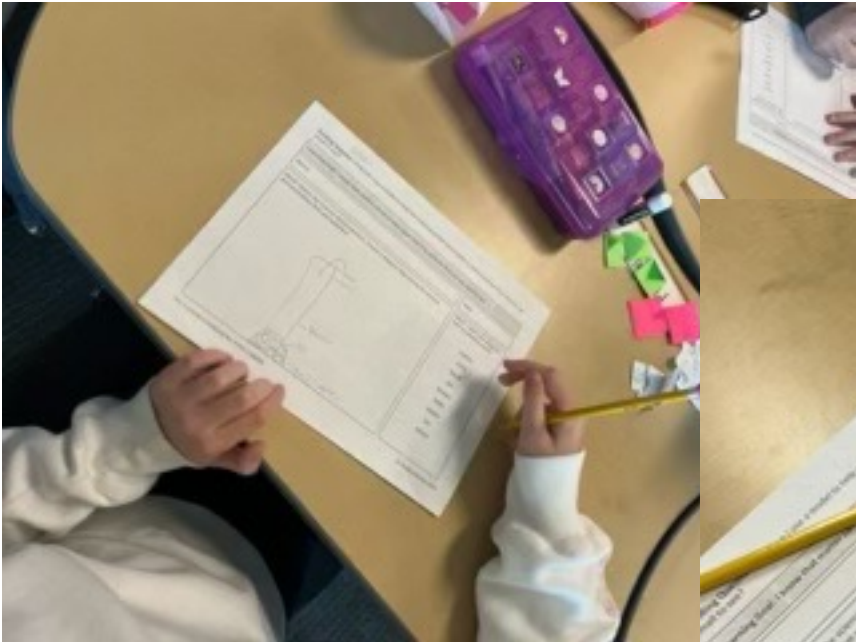
heat

water

ice

steam

# Need/ Must



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**Learning Goal:** I know that **matter** can be **broken apart** into **tiny particles** that are too small to see

Name:

Date:

Can: For each state of **matter**, **draw** the **tiny particles** that are **too small to see**

Can Try: Using words and drawings, show **what was used** to **make the tiny particles move**

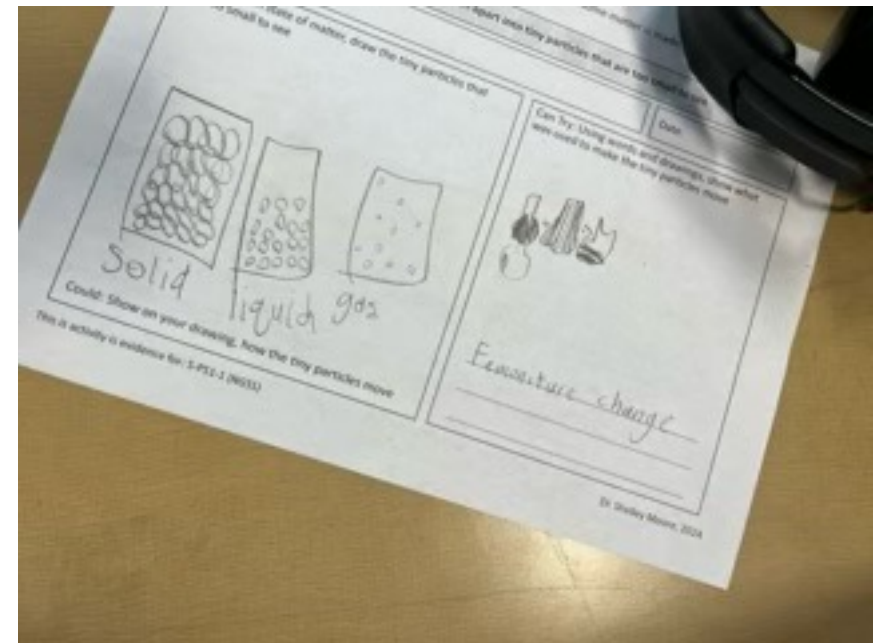
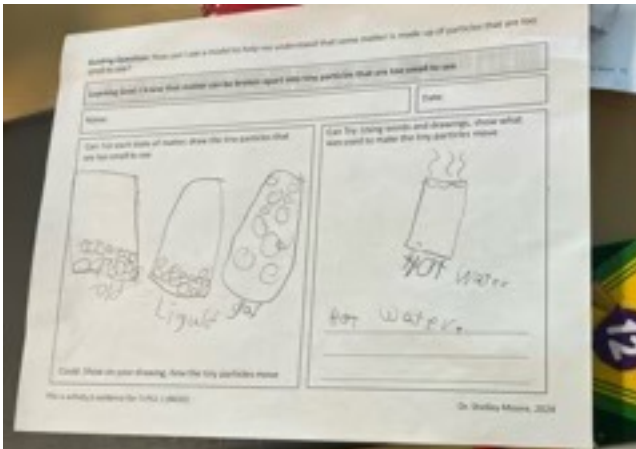
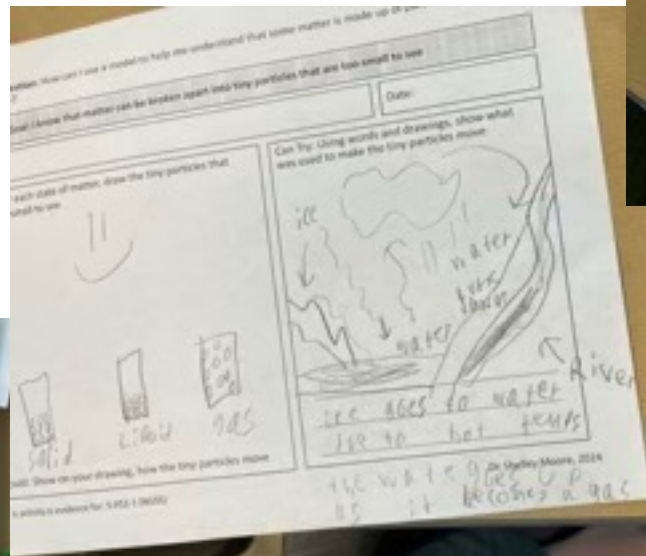
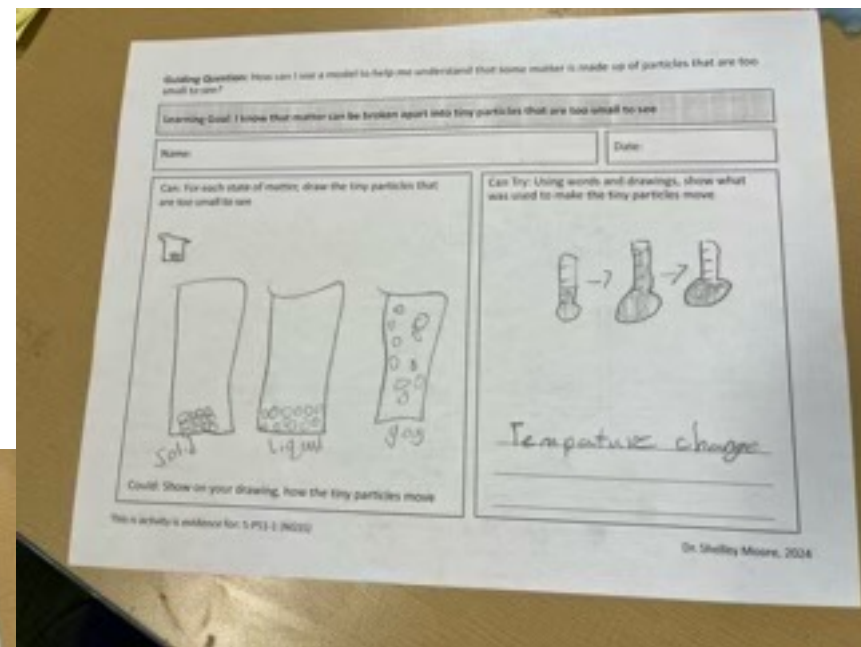
Could: **Show** on your drawing, how the **tiny particles move**

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# Can/Could/Try



Next Generation Science Standards (NGSS)		
Subject Area: Science	Strand: Matter and Its Interactions	Grade: 5
<b>Performance Expectation: 5-PS1-1</b> Students can develop a model to describe that matter is made of particles too small to be seen		<b>Guiding Unit Question:</b> How do we know that something exists if we cannot see it?
<b>Unit Vocabulary (Content):</b> properties, structures, scale, proportion, quantity, models, particles, bulk matter,		<b>Unit Vocabulary (Skills):</b> make, observe



Foundations	Student Friendly Language	Access Point	Essential	Confident	Extend
Science & Engineering Practices	I can make a model to help me understand an idea by:	following/ participating in creating a model	planning and creating a model	creating a model to solve a problem	Adjusting or revising a model I have created
Disciplinary Core Ideas	I know that matter is made up of particles that are too small to see by:  I know that models can help us see particles that are too small to see by:	describing what matter is  describing that there are different states of matter  describing examples of different kinds of matter in the world	describing what bulk matter is  describing that matter (that I can see) is made up of tiny particles (that are too small to see)  describing examples of models that help to observe particles that are too small to see	describing how collecting many tiny particles can help us observe how matter takes up space  describing which part of the model is bulk matter, and which part of the model is particles	describing the relationship between matter and particles  using the model to describe the relationship between matter and how particles move when they are collected
Crosscutting Concepts	I know that objects in the world can be very large and very small by:	describing objects in the world that are very small and very large	describing what microscopic and macroscopic is and examples of each in the world	describing what is similar and what is different between microscopic and macroscopic objects in the world	describing what scale is and how it helps us understand microscopic and macroscopic objects

\*Description: can include but are not limited to written, oral, pictorial, and kinesthetic

# UDL Lesson Plan: Processing Phase

Universal Strategies	UDL Indicators Targeted	Support Needs Impacted	Students in Mind
Scaffolded Processing Task	7.1, 8.1, 8.2, 8.4, 9.1, 9.3, 4.1, 5.3, 6.1, 6.4, 3.1, 2.1, 3.2,	Attention, Anxiety, Engagement, Frustration, Intellectual Ability, Literacy, Self-Regulation, Self Esteem, Executive Functioning, Memory, Transitioning	JA, RM, GA, LB, ES, KR, GS, NS, MA, BW, IM, MB
MUST/ CAN/ COULD Task checklist	2.4, 2.1, 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 7.1, 7.3, 8.1, 8.2, 8.4, 9.1, 9.2, 9.3, 5.3, 6.1, 6.3, 6.4	Attention, Anxiety, Engagement, Frustration, Intellectual Ability, Literacy, Self-Regulation, Self Esteem, Executive Functioning, Memory, Transitioning, Self Advocacy, Literacy	JA, RM, GA, LB, ES, KR, GS, NS, MA, BW, IM, MB, TP, AD
MUST/ CAN/ COULD graphic organizer	5.1, 5.3, 6.1, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4, 7.1, 8.1, 8.2, 8.4, 9.1, 9.3, 1.1, 2.1, 2.3, 2.4, 3.1, 3.2, 3.4	Attention, Anxiety, Communication, Engagement, Frustration, Intellectual Ability, Literacy, Self-Regulation, Self Esteem, Executive Functioning, Memory, Transitioning, Self Advocacy, Literacy	JA, RM, GA, LB, ES, KR, GS, NS, MA, BW, IM, MB, TP, AD
Vocab list	1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 2.1, 2.3, 2.4, 3.2, 4.1, 4.2, 5.2, 7.3,	Attention, Anxiety, Communication, Engagement, Frustration, Intellectual Ability, Language, Literacy, Memory, Self regulation, Self Esteem	JA, RM, GA, LB, ES, KR, GS, NS, MA, BW, IM, MB, TP, AD

# UDL Lesson Plan: Transforming & Personalizing Phase

Universal Strategies	UDL Indicators Targeted	Support Needs Impacted	Students in Mind
Exit Slip Reflection	3.4, 6.4, 5.1, 9.3	Communication, Engagement, Intellectual Ability, Literacy, Self Regulation	JA, RM, GA, LB, ES, KR, GS, NS, MA, BW, IM, MB

<b>Class Dimensions</b>			
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<b>Class Identities:</b> Families – half are in split families 2 families navigating cancer, 1 parent in rehab Grade – 4/5 combined Cultures: Kenyan, Caucasian, Japanese, Ethiopia, Hispanic, Pacific Islander, Religion: Christian, Language: English	<b>Class Interests:</b> Competition, trivia, puzzles, word games, brain teasers, riddles, working with friends, choice, being creative, stories and read aloud, art, service, kindergarten buddies	<b>Classroom Strengths:</b> Creating, social, healthy competition, fair, protective, aware, helping others, working with others, leadership, being aware of others, allowing others to lead, socially awareness & responsible, understanding, strong academically overall (gr 4), reading, motivated intrinsically	<b>Classroom Stretches:</b> Waiting, their turn, not always getting your way/ what you want, being aware that what is “easy” is not easy for everyone, being aware of diverse abilities, empathy and mindful of how what we say affects others, stamina, justifying their learning, deep thinking and sharing of their learning, too comfortable sometimes
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<b>Targeted Class Needs</b>			
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<b>Need: Anxiety/ Emotional Regulation</b> <b>GA, LB, JA, ES, KR, GS</b>	<b>Need: Engagement/ Motivation</b> <b>LB, JA, ES, NS</b>	<b>Need: Trauma/ Family Needs</b> <b>GA, LB, JA, ES, JK, LE</b>	<b>Need: Literacy</b> <b>GA, MA, KR, TP, AB</b>
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<b>Collaborative Team Questions</b>			
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**E:** How to support literacy needs? How do we make sure they are ready for middle school?  
**S:** How do we teach them to manage their needs (anxiety etc.) so they are ready for middle school and have to navigate such a different context?  
**C:** How to support students who are not participating and often not attending? How to engage and motivate without pushing too hard?

<b>Collaborative Team Decisions:</b>			
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<b>What works well for this class?</b> - Natural consequences, honesty & fairness, competition, roles & responsibilities as students, conversations	<b>What do we still want to try?</b> Strategies to increase self advocacy UDL Strategies to reduce barriers to engagement - Make learning relevant to students’ lives - Scaffolding learning (access to challenge)	UDL Strategies to reduce barriers to representation - Highlighting patterns in language systems - Using multi-media - Focus on building prior knowledge - Include processing tasks in lesson design UDL Strategies to reduce barriers to Expression - Guiding students through self assessment and goal setting - Model the use of supports and strategies
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What grade level curriculum are we using?  
What are the learning standards?

# CURRICULUM & ASSESSMENT DESIGN

Student choice of challenge  
Adjustable Curriculum

Student choice of evidence  
Adjustable Assessment

# Students

Who are the pilots?  
What are their dimensions?  
Where is their agency?

Adjustable Supports & Strategies  
Student choice of tools and actions

# NEEDS BASED DESIGN

What are the student needs?  
What barriers are getting in the way?  
What do student require to navigate needs & barriers?

# INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN

How will students show growth within the learning standard?  
How do we know?



**Choose your reflection:**

**1. I used to think....but now....**

**2. I am learning more about....**

**3. A take away from this series that was useful?**



**THANK YOU!**



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