# **Earth Science / Physical Science Outline**

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## I. Introduction To Earth Science

- 1. The Nature Of Science
- 2. Science All Around

# **II. Weathering & Energy Resources**

- 1. Weathering
- 2. Erosion (HS-ESS-2-5)
- 3. Minerals
- 4. Mineral Identification
- 5. Mineral Exploration (HS-ESS-3-2)
- 6. Energy Resources
- 7. Water Quality
- 8. Air Quality
- 9. Land Quality (HS-ESS-3-4)

# III. Paleontology

- 1. Fossils
- 2. Ages Of Rocks (HS-ESS-1-6)
- 3. Life & Geologic Time
- 4. Early Earth History
- 5. Middle & Recent Earth History (HS-ESS-2-7)

#### IV. Meteorology

- 1. What Is Weather?
- 2. Weather Forecasts
- 3. Weather Patterns (HS-ESS-3-1)
- 4. Earth's Atmosphere
- 5. Energy Transfer In The Atmosphere
- 6. Air Movement
- 7. What Is Climate? (HS-ESS-2-4)
- 8. Climatic Changes (HS-ESS-3-5)

## V. Waves

- 1. Types Of Waves
- 2. Characteristics Of Waves
- 3. Wave Interactions (HS-PS4-1)
- 4. Sound
- 5. The Nature Of Light (HS-PS3-5)
- 6. Reflection & Color
- 7. Refraction, Lenses, & Prisms (HS-PS4-4)

# VI. Electricity & Magnetism

- 1. Electrical Charge (HS-PS1-3)
- 2. Electric Current (HS-PS2-5)
- 3. Electrical Energy
- 4. Magnetism
- 5. Electricity & Magnetism
- 6. Producing Electric Current (HS-PS3-5)

## VII. Plate Tectonics

- 1. Continental Drift
- 2. Seafloor Spreading
- 3. Plate Tectonics (HS-ESS-1-5)
- 4. Features Of Earthquakes
- 5. People & Earthquakes (HS-ESS-2-1)
- 6. Volcanoes & Moving Plates
- 7. Types Of Volcanoes (HS-ESS-2-3)

#### VIII. Matter

- 1. Classifying Matter
- 2. Properties Of Matter
- 3. Changes Of Matter (HS-PS3-4)
- 4. Matter & Energy
- 5. Changes Of State (HS-PS3-2)
- 6. Pressure & Buoyant Force
- 7. Fluids In Motion