

### K.6 Life Processes

The student will investigate and understand the differences between living organisms and nonliving objects. Key concepts include

- a) all things can be classified as living or nonliving; and
- b) living organisms have certain characteristics that distinguish them from nonliving objects including growth, movement, response to the environment, having offspring, and the need for food, air, and water.

### K.7 Life Processes

The student will investigate and understand basic needs and life processes of plants and animals. Key concepts include

- a) animals need adequate food, water, shelter, air, and space to survive;
- b) plants need nutrients, water, air, light, and a place to grow to survive;
- c) plants and animals change as they grow, have varied life cycles, and eventually die; and
- d) offspring of plants and animals are similar but not identical to their parents or to one another.

### K.8 Civics (Introduction to History and Social Science)

The student will demonstrate that being a good citizen involves

- a) taking turns and sharing;
- b) taking responsibility for certain classroom chores;
- c) taking care of personal belongings and respecting what belongs to others;
- d) following rules and understanding the consequence of breaking rules;
- e) practicing honesty, self-control, and kindness to others;
- f) participating in decision making in the classroom;
- g) participating successfully in group settings.