

Elementary Science

Grade 4

5th 6 weeks: Animals and Adaptations

TEKS	Vocabulary	Resources	Materials
<p>4.6A Identify patterns of change such as weather, metamorphosis and objects in the sky</p> <p>4.9A Distinguish between inherited traits and learned characteristics</p> <p>4.9B Identify and provide examples of inherited traits and learned characteristics</p> <p>4.10A Identify and observe effects of events that require time for changes to be noticeable including growth, erosion, weathering and flow</p>	<p>Environment</p> <p>metamorphosis</p> <p>egg</p> <p>larva</p> <p>pupae</p> <p>adult</p> <p>nymph</p> <p>adaptation</p> <p>instinct</p> <p>learned behavior</p> <p>trait</p> <p>characteristic</p>	<p><u>Websites</u></p> <p>http://www.tenet.edu/teks/science/instruction/vistas/pdf/grade_4_c&c.pdf</p> <p><u>Virtual Worm</u></p>	<p><u>Leaves</u></p> <p>picture of grasshopper</p> <p>picture of crying baby</p> <p>picture of basketball player</p>

Process Skills 4.1- 4.4 are covered throughout all units. These include safe lab practices, making predictions, creating simple graphs, using science tools,etc.