## **ENERGY UNIT SUGGESTED TIMELINE - GRADE 3**

Week #	Core Concepts
1	Energy is the ability to do work  Energy exists in different forms (thermal, mechanical, chemical, light, sound, electrical)
2	Forms of energy  Energy can not be created or destroyed but may be converted from one form to another
3	Heat is the transfer of thermal energy from a warmer object to a colder object  Heat is transferred by conduction
4	Heat is transferred by convection  Heat is transferred by radiation
5	Temperature vs. Heat
	Light travels as ways
6	Light travels as waves  Light can be reflected
7	Light can be refracted  Light can be absorbed
8	Color
9	Cumulative Review: Matter and Energy are neither created or destroyed

## **ENERGY UNIT SUGGESTED TIMELINE - GRADE 4**

Week #	Core Concepts
1 review	Energy is the ability to do work
	Energy exists in different forms
	Energy can not be created or destroyed but may be converted from one form to another
2 review	Heat is the transfer of thermal energy from a warmer object to a colder object
	Heat is transferred by conduction
	Heat is transferred by convection
	Heat is transferred by radiation
3	Light is a form of energy
review	Light travels as waves
	Light can be reflected, refracted, or absorbed (color)
4	Sound is a form of energy that travels as waves through a medium, causing it to vibrate
	Sound travels at different speeds through different mediums
5	Motion is the change in position of an object and can be measured using distance, direction, and time
	Motion can be described using speed, velocity, and acceleration
6	An object's motion will always be the same unless acted upon by one or more forces (pushes or pulls)
	Cumulative Review: up to Newton's Laws of Motion

## **ENERGY UNIT SUGGESTED TIMELINE - GRADE 5**

Week #	Core Concepts
1 review	Energy is the ability to do work and exists in different forms  Energy can not be created or destroyed but may be converted from one form to another
2 review	Heat is the transfer of thermal energy from a warmer object to a colder object by conduction, convection, and/or radiation
3 review	Light is a form of energy that travels as waves which can be reflected, refracted, and/or absorbed  Sound is a form of energy that travels as waves through a medium, causing it to vibrate. Sound travels at different speeds through different mediums
1	Motion is the change in position of an object and can be measured using distance, direction, and time and can be described using speed, velocity, and acceleration
2	An object's motion will always be the same unless acted upon by one or more forces (pushes or pulls)  Newton's 1st Law of Motion
3	Newton's 2nd Law of Motion
4	Newton's 3rd Law of Motion
5	Types of Forces: Gravity & Friction
6	Energy is the ability to do work and exists in different forms  Potential and Kinetic Energy
7, 8, & 9	Simple Machines, <b>Cumulative Review:</b> up to Simple Machines