



# 2011-2012 Grade 7 Science Blueprint

## Distribution of Science Content

Reporting Category	Standards Included	Number of Items
1 Nature of Science	Strand 1, BM I-III	12
2 Physical and Earth Science	Strand II, CS 1, BM I-III Strand II, CS 3, BM I-II	12
3 Life Science	Strand II, CS 2, BM I	8
4 Life Science	Strand II, CS 2, BM II	8
5 Life Science	Strand II, CS 2, BM III Strand 3, BM I	8

Total 48

## Distribution of Item Types

Item Type	Multiple Choice	Short Answer	Open Ended
Number of Operational Items	40	4	4

Estimated Testing Time Including Field Test Items = 135 minutes