



Science 150



SCHEDULE PLUS



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Thank you for downloading this sample of Sonlight's Science A Instructor's Guide (what we affectionately refer to as an IG). In order to give you a full perspective on our Instructor's Guides, this sample will include parts from every section that is included in the full IG.

Here's a quick overview of what you'll find in this sample.

- A Quick Start Guide **START HERE**
- A 3-week Schedule

SONLIGHT'S "SECRET" COMES DOWN TO THIS:

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Blessings!

Sarita Holzmann,
Co-founder and president
of Sonlight Curriculum

Dear Prospective Sonlighter,

Thank you so much for downloading this sample Sonlight Instructor’s Guide (referred to as the Science Schedule Plus at this level). Here’s a quick overview of what you’ll find in the full IG...and in this sample.

Science consists of two main pieces:

- A weekly SCHEDULE
- Plus some EXTRA HELPS


SCHEDULE Overview

- The Science Schedule Plus weekly schedules let you see your entire week at a glance.
- The first column lists the titles of each book or assignment. Follow either the Textbook OR the CD-ROM version (but not both).
- The remaining columns include the day-by-day assigned pages or tasks.
- Check off or date each assignment as you go to create instant records of what you and your children have done.

Some customers follow our schedules rigidly: they do everything listed for the day during that day. Others read ahead, or drop an assignment, or work through several days’ worth of one type of assignment one day, and several days’ worth of another subject on another day. . . .

It’s your Instructor’s Guide. Use it as best suits your needs.

Book



The amount/task that needs to be done each day

Date:	Day 1	Day 2
<i>Exploring Creation with General Science</i>	pp. 1-3 (through "On Your Own")	pp. 3-5 (through 5th para. after Experiment 1.1)
<i>Exploring Creation with General Science-CD ROM</i>	"Introduction" through "On Your Own"	"True Science Begins to Emerge"

We list all Science supplies needed for hands-on experiments

Supplies ¹	You Provide: safety glasses, vegi vinegar, baking soda, red/purple ter jars (the same size), pan and s clear plastic 2-liter bottle, ice cub
Shopping/Planning List	For next week (by Tuesday): You Provide: safety glasses, pen the size of the sheet of paper. We Provide: HSKA —6 thumbsta

Date:	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5
<i>Exploring Creation with General Science</i>	pp. 1-3 (through "On Your Own")	pp. 3-5 (through 5th para. after Experiment 1.1)	pp. 5-7 (through "On Your Own")	pp. 8-11 (through "On Your Own")	pp. 12-13 (through Experiment 1.3)
<i>Exploring Creation with General Science-CD ROM</i>	through one "On Your Own"	"True Science Begins to Emerge" through 5th para. of "True Science ... 2"	"True Science Begins to Emerge ... 2" (pp. para. 1 through two "On Your Own")	"Three Other Notable Greek Scientists" through two "On Your Own"	"The Progress of Science Skills For A While" through "The Progress ... 2" (through 3rd para.)
<i>On Your Own</i>	1	1.1	1.2-1.3	1.4-1.5	
<i>Multimedia Companion CD Experiments</i>		1.1	Related to experiment 1.2	Related to geocentric system	1.3
<i>Vocabulary²</i>					
<i>Supplies³</i>	You Provide: safety glasses, vegetable oil, water, mug/le or corn syrup, a grape, food coloring, clear vinegar, baking soda, red/purple cabbage (a few leaves), tall glass, two glass canning jars or peanut butter jars (the same size), pan and stove to boil water, funnel or butter knife, measuring cups, small rock, clear plastic 2-liter bottles, ice cubes. We Provide: HSKA —balloon (8-9"), piece of cork				
<i>Shopping/Planning List</i>	For next week (by Tuesday): You Provide: safety glasses, pencil, sheet of paper, piece of string (8" long), piece of cardboard at least the size of the sheet of paper. We Provide: HSKA —6 thumbsticks.				

OTHER NOTES

Note to Mom or Dad: Module 1 is a general introduction to the history of science and scientists. There are many names and terms introduced in this module. Do not become overwhelmed with all this information. Subsequent modules do not have such a large number of names and/or terms. This is a good module to begin practicing vocabulary and other important information by making flash cards with the appropriate information. Remember to memorize words that are centered and become familiar with words that are bold in the text.

1. The "Exploring Creation with General Science-CD ROM" schedule is for the full course CD ROM version of the text. It is identical to the page design, but green for the text. Exploring Creation with General Science. You will use either the textbook Exploring Creation with General Science or the CD ROM version. You do not need both versions to complete this course.
2. Define vocabulary terms and names found in each day's reading; then place a check in the box.
3. When supplies are listed as "We provide," they are materials found in your Science H Supplies Kit (HSKA). When supplies are listed as "You provide," they are materials you can generally find around your home.

General Science | Section Two | Week 1 | 1

Illustrations from the Sonlight 2018 Science H Schedule Plus

EXTRA HELP Overview

Immediately following each week's schedule page, you will find vocabulary your children will need to memorize.

Your primary task: read the assigned pages in the Textbook or on the computer (CD-ROM) listed in the schedule, then memorize the vocabulary terms.

You'll find comprehension questions throughout the textbook or CD-ROM as well as tests for each module. Tests can be printed out from the CD-ROM or sold as a separate packet with the Textbook version.

The back section of the Science Schedule Plus includes experiment write-ups to use in conjunction with the labs you complete each week. Each experiment is scheduled out for you.

Enjoy your sample. . . . And we look forward to serving you in the very near future.

Sincerely,

Sarita Holzmann, President

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Vocabulary →
Tackle scientific terms little by little each week. Make note cards and check off on the schedule page when your student learns them all.

Vocabulary | Terms and Names

Introduction

Science: An endeavor dedicated to the accumulation and classification of observable facts in order to formulate general laws about the natural world. [p. 1]

The First Inklings of Science

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The First Inklings of Science

Papyrus: An ancient form of paper, made from a plant of the same name. [p. 2]

True Science Begins to Emerge

Thales, Anaximander, and Anaximenes: Viewed as first real scientists. [p. 3]

Leucippus and Democritus: Ancient Greek scientists who proposed all matter was really made of little units called "atoms." [p. 4]

True Science Begins to Emerge 2

Density: How tightly packed the matter in a substance is. [p. 6]

Three Other Notable Greek Scientists

Classification: Ordering facts in a reasonable and systematic way. [p. 8]

Spontaneous generation: The idea that living organisms can be spontaneously formed from non-living substances. [p. 8]

Aristotle: Father of life sciences—also believed in spontaneous generation. [pp. 8–9]

Ptolemy: Thought the earth was the center of the universe and the planets and stars orbited about the earth in a series of circles. Also called the Ptolemaic system or geocentric system and does not move. [p. 10]

Geocentric: The thought that the earth was at the center of the universe and does not move. [p. 11]

The Progress Of Science Stalls For A While

Alchemy: A way by which lead (or other inexpensive substance) could be transformed into gold (or other precious substances). [p. 12] ■

Experiment Write-Ups →

Use the examples to help your student record pertinent information from their labs. Feel free to copy as many as your student needs.

Week 1—Module 1

Date: _____

Experiment: _____

Hypothesis: _____

Observation: _____

Inference: _____

Advanced Biology | Lab Write-Up Form

Science

Physical Science Schedule Plus

By Sandy Hotz

Section Two

Schedule and Notes

Week 1—Module 1

Date:	Day 1 ¹	Day 2 ²	Day 3 ³	Day 4 ⁴	Day 5 ⁵
Exploring Creation with Physical Science	pp. 1–4 (through Figure 1.1)	pp. 4–7 (mid-page)	pp. 7–11 (bottom)	pp. 11–14 (mid-page)	pp. 14–17 (mid-page)
Exploring Creation with Physical Science-CD ROM¹	“Introduction” through Figure 1.1 in “Atoms and Molecules 2”	“Atoms and Molecules 2” (after Figure 1.1) through “Atoms and Molecules 3” through two “On Your Own”	“Measurement and Units” through “Manipulating Units”	“Converting Between Units” through three “On Your Own”	“Converting Between Systems” through “Converting Between Systems 3” through three “On Your Own”
Multimedia Companion CD		Related to Figure 1.2		Example 1.1	Example 1.2
On Your Own		1.1–1.2		1.3–1.5	1.6–1.8
Experiments	Perform & write-up Experiment 1.1				Perform & write-up Experiment 1.2
Vocabulary²	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		
Supplies³	We Provide: 150-35 —9-volt battery, insulated wire. You Provide: small glass, baking soda, tap water, scissors, tape (preferably electrical tape), spoon, long piece of string, large table top, cellophane tape, pencil, helper.				
Shopping/Planning List	For next week: We provide: 150-35 —6 calcium carbonate tablets (such as TUMS®). You provide: vinegar (approx. 4 cups), water, measuring cups, 3 large glasses, spoon.				
Other Notes					

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- The “Exploring Creation with Physical Science–CD ROM” schedule is for the full course CD ROM version of the text. It is identical to the page designations given for the text, *Exploring Creation with Physical Science*. You will use either the textbook *Exploring Creation with Physical Science* or the CD ROM version. You do not need both versions to complete this course.
- Define Vocabulary terms and names found in each day’s reading, then place a check in the box.
- When supplies are listed as “**We provide:**” they are materials found in your Science Supplies Kit 150 (**150-35**). When supplies are listed as “**You provide:**” they are materials you can generally find around your home.

Week 1—Module 1

Vocabulary | Terms and Names

Atoms and Molecules

Atom: The smallest chemical unit of matter. [p. 3]

Molecule: Two or more atoms linked together to make a substance with unique properties. [p. 4]

The Metric System

Metric measurements: mass = gram;
weight = Newton; distance = meter; volume = liter;
time = seconds. [p. 9]

English units of measurement: mass = slug; weight = pounds; distance = foot; volume = gallon;
time = seconds. [p. 9]

Milli (m): 0.001 (thousandths). [p. 11]

Centi (c): 0.01 (hundredths). [p. 11]

Kilo (k): 1,000 (thousand). [p. 11] ■

Week 2—Module 1

Date:	Day 1 ⁶	Day 2 ⁷	Day 3 ⁸	Day 4 ⁹	Day 5 ¹⁰
Exploring Creation with Physical Science	pp. 17–20	Study Guide p. 24 Questions #1–6; Review	Study Guide p. 24 Questions #7–14; Review	Summary of Module 1 pp. 449–450; Review	Test for Module 1
Exploring Creation with Physical Science-CD ROM	“Concentration” through “Concentration 3” through two “On Your Own”	Study Guide Questions #1–6; Review	Study Guide Questions #7–14; Review	Summary of Module 1; Review	Test for Module 1
Multimedia Companion CD	Concentration can affect a chemical's behavior				
On Your Own	1.9–1.10				
Experiments	Perform & write- up Experiment 1.3				
Vocabulary	□				
Supplies	We Provide: 150-35 —6 calcium carbonate tablets (such as TUMS®). You Provide: vinegar (approx. 4 cups), water, measuring cups, 3 large glasses, spoon.				
Shopping/Planning List	For next week: We provide: 150-35 —candle, matches, thermometer, yeast, balloon. You provide: small glass, 2 cotton balls, water, small piece of plastic; large glass or jar, 2 cups hydrogen peroxide, bottle (plastic, 1-liter soda bottle, for example), teaspoon, large clear Ziploc® freezer bag, vinegar, baking soda, safety glasses.				
Other Notes					

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Vocabulary | Terms and Names

Concentration

Concentration: The quantity of a substance within a certain volume. [p. 17] ■

Week 3—Module 2

Date:	Day 1 ¹¹	Day 2 ¹²	Day 3 ¹³	Day 4 ¹⁴	Day 5 ¹⁵
Exploring Creation with Physical Science	pp. 25–27	pp. 28–32 (top)	pp. 32–36 (mid-page)	pp. 36–41 (top)	pp. 41–44 (bottom)
Exploring Creation with Physical Science-CD ROM	“Introduction” and “Air and Humidity” through two “On Your Own”	“The Composition of Air” through two “On Your Own”	“Carbon Dioxide in the Air” through two “On Your Own”	“Global Warming” through one “On Your Own”	“Parts per Million” through “Ozone 2” through three “On Your Own”
Multimedia Companion CD		Related to Figure 2.1 & “extreme” Experiment 2.2	Related to Figure 2.4		Example 2.1 & Related to Figure 2.8
On Your Own	2.1–2.2	2.3–2.4	2.5–2.6	2.7	2.8–2.10
Experiments	Perform & write-up Experiment 2.1	Perform & write-up Experiment 2.2	Perform & write-up Experiment 2.3		
Vocabulary	☐		☐	☐	☐
Supplies	We Provide: 150-35 —candle, matches, thermometer, yeast, balloon. You Provide: small glass, 2 cotton balls, water, small piece of plastic; large glass or jar, 2 cups hydrogen peroxide, bottle (plastic, 1-liter soda bottle, for example), teaspoon, large clear Ziploc® freezer bag, vinegar, baking soda, safety glasses.				

Other Notes

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Vocabulary | Terms and Names

The Air and Humidity

Humidity: The moisture content of air. [p. 25]

Heat index: A combination of temperature and humidity. [p. 26]

Absolute humidity: The mass of water vapor contained in a certain volume of air. [p. 27]

Relative humidity: The ratio of the mass of water vapor in the air at a given temperature to the maximum mass of water vapor the air could hold at that temperature, expressed as a percentage. [p. 27]

Carbon Dioxide in the Air

Greenhouse effect: The process by which certain gases (principally water vapor, carbon dioxide, and methane) trap heat that radiates from the earth. [p. 32]

Global Warming

Global warming: If the concentration of carbon dioxide (and the other greenhouse gases) were to increase too much, the earth would get too warm. [p. 36]

Parts Per Million

Parts per million: (ppm) The number of molecules (or atoms) of a substance in a mixture for every one million molecules (or atoms) in that mixture. [p. 41] ■

Forms for Experiment Write-Ups

Physical Science Experiment Write-Up—Example 1

Date: _____

Experiment #: _____

Title/Purpose: _____

Supplies: _____

Procedure: _____

Hypothesis: _____

Data/Observation: _____

Inference: (What was learned)

Physical Science Experiment Write-Up—Example 2

Date:

Experiment: #

Purpose (from the introduction):

Supplies:

Procedure:

Observation/Data:
(what happened)

Conclusion:
(what was learned)



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