

Activities and Conversations about Synthetic Biology



Synthetic Biology uses new techniques combining biology and engineering to make new or modified living things and materials.



Four Pillars of Building with Biology

Synthetic biology builds biological systems

Synthetic biology generates new tools and knowledge

Synthetic biology benefits from many voices

Synthetic biology is interconnected with society



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Bio Bistro	LS1 – From Molecules to Organisms: Structures and Processes MS-LS1-5, HS-LS1-1 LS3 – Heredity: Inheritance and Variation of Traits MS-LS3-1, HS-LS3-1, HS-LS3-2 LS4 – Biological Evolution: Unity and Diversity MS-LS4-5 ESS3 – Earth and Human Activity MS-ESS3-3, HS-ESS3-2, HS-ESS3-3, HS-ESS3-4 PS1 – Matter and Its Interactions MS-PS1-3 ETS1 – Engineering Design	 <u>Targeted Content Standards</u> <u>Science & Technology in Society</u> 7.4 - Technology allows us to improve food production and preservation, thus improving our ability to meet the nutritional needs of growing populations. 9.6 - Chemical technologies present both risks and benefits to the health and wellbeing of humans, plants and animals. 9.8 - The use of resources by human populations may affect the quality of the environment. 9.9 - Some materials can be recycled, but others accumulate in the environment and may affect the balance of the Earth systems. 10.2 - Microorganisms have an essential role in life processes and cycles on Earth. 10.3 - Similarities in the chemical and structural properties of DNA in all living organisms allow the transfer of genes from one organism to another. <i>Heredity and Evolution</i> 10.5 - Evolution and biodiversity are the result of genetic changes that occur over time in constantly changing environments.
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Super Organisms L51 – From Molecules to Organisms: Structures and Processes MS-L51-1, MS-L51-2, HS-L51-1, HS-L51-2 Targeted Content Standards Structure and Function L52 – Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics MS-L52-5, HS-L52-7 L52 – Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics MS-L52-5, HS-L52-7 Science & Technologies present both risks and benefits to the health and well-being of humans, plants and animals. L53 – Heredity: Inheritance and Variation of Traits MS-L53-1, HS-L53-1, HS-L53-2 9.6 - Chemical technologies present both risks and benefits to the health and well-being of humans, plants and animals. L54 – Biological Evolution: Unity and Diversity MS-L54-4, MS-L54-5, HS-L54-1, HS-L54-6 9.6 - Chemical technologies present both risks and structural properties of DNA in all living organisms allow the transfer of genes from one organisms, each offspring contains a mix of characteristics inherited from both parents. PS1 - Matter and Its Interactions MS-FS1-1, MS-FS1-3, HS-ETS1-3, HS-ETS1-1, HS-ETS1-2, MS-ETS1-1, HS-ETS1-2, MS-ETS1-3, HS-ETS1-1, HS-ETS1-2, MS-ETS1-3, HS-ETS1-1, HS-ETS1-2, MS-ETS1-3, HS-ETS1-3, HS-ETS1-1, HS-ETS1-2, MS-ETS1-3, HS-ETS1-1, HS-ETS1-2 Targeted Scientific Literacy, Scientific Numeracy Standards p. INQ 1 dentify questions that can be answered through scientific claims in different sources of information.	Module	Next Generation Science Standards (Disciplinary Core Ideas & Potential Performance Expectations)	Connecticut Core State Standards
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