## **Some Sample Student Learning Outcomes**

## Early Years (K to 4) Students will...

Investigate and compare properties of familiar solids.

Include: have mass/weight, take up space, maintain their shape

Conduct experiments to determine how different soils affect the growth of plants.

Examples: compare the same type of plant grown in sand versus potting soil...

Use the design process to construct a game, toy, or useful device that

> uses gravitational, magnetic, or electrostatic forces.

## Middle Years (5 to 8) Students will...

Describe the types of nutrients in foods and their function in maintaining a healthy body. Include: carbohydrates, proteins, fats, vitamins, minerals.

Propose a course of action to protect the habitat of a particular organism within an ecosystem.

Examples: protect the nesting habitat of a given bird in a local wetland...

Demonstrate proper use and care of the microscope to observe the general structure of plant and animal cells.

## Senior Years (S1 to S4) Students will...

Discuss current and potential applications and implications of biotechnologies including their effects on personal and public decision making. Include: genetic engineering, genetic screening, cloning, DNA, Fingerprinting...

Investigate ways in which Canada participates in space research and in international space programs and then use the decision-making process to address a related issue. **Examples: International** Space Station, Canadarm...

Investigate and describe qualitatively the relationship circuit.

