



Delaware Standards Alignment

The presentations offered by The Educated Choices Program provide support for teaching and learning of the following standards:

English Language Arts Grades 7-8		Environment and Modern Agriculture	Healthful Eating	Future of Food
Grade 7 Speaking and Listening	CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.7.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 7 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.	✓	✓	✓
Grade 7 Speaking and Listening	CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.7.1.C Pose questions that elicit elaboration and respond to others' questions and comments with relevant observations and ideas that bring the discussion back on topic as needed.	✓	✓	✓
Grade 7 Speaking and Listening	CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.7.1.D Acknowledge new information expressed by others and, when warranted, modify their own views.	✓	✓	✓

<p>Grade 7 Speaking and Listening</p>	<p>CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.7.2</p> <p>Analyze the main ideas and supporting details presented in diverse media and formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively, orally) and explain how the ideas clarify a topic, text, or issue under study.</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>✓</p>
<p>Grade 7 Speaking and Listening</p>	<p>CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.7.3</p> <p>Delineate a speaker's argument and specific claims, evaluating the soundness of the reasoning and the relevance and sufficiency of the evidence.</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>✓</p>
<p>Grade 8 Speaking and Listening</p>	<p>CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.8.1</p> <p>Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 8 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>✓</p>
<p>Grade 8 Speaking and Listening</p>	<p>CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.8.1.C</p> <p>Pose questions that connect the ideas of several speakers and respond to others' questions and comments with relevant evidence, observations, and ideas.</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>✓</p>

<p>Grade 8 Speaking and Listening</p>	<p>CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.8.1.D</p> <p>Acknowledge new information expressed by others, and, when warranted, qualify or justify their own views in light of the evidence presented.</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>✓</p>
<p>Grade 8 Speaking and Listening</p>	<p>CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.8.2</p> <p>Analyze the purpose of information presented in diverse media and formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively, orally) and evaluate the motives (e.g., social, commercial, political) behind its presentation.</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>✓</p>
<p>Grade 8 Speaking and Listening</p>	<p>CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.SL.8.3</p> <p>Delineate a speaker's argument and specific claims, evaluating the soundness of the reasoning and relevance and sufficiency of the evidence and identifying when irrelevant evidence is introduced.</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>✓</p>

Physical Education Grades 7-8		Environment and Modern Agriculture	Healthful Eating	Future of Food
Delaware Health Education Standards	1 Students will understand essential health concepts in order to transfer knowledge into healthy actions for life.		✓	
Delaware Health Education Standards	2 Students will analyze the influence of family, peers, culture, media, technology and other factors on health behaviors.		✓	
Delaware Health Education Standards	5 Students will demonstrate the ability to use decision-making skills to enhance health.		✓	
Delaware Health Education Standards	6 Students will demonstrate the ability to use goal-setting skills to enhance health.	✓	✓	✓
Delaware Health Education Standards	8 Students will demonstrate the ability to advocate for personal, family and community health.	✓	✓	✓

Science Grades 7-8		Environment and Modern Agriculture	Healthful Eating	Future of Food
Life Science	MS-LS2-1 Analyze and interpret data to provide evidence for the effects of resource availability on organisms and populations of organisms in an ecosystem.	✓		✓
Life Science	MS-LS2-4 Construct an argument supported by empirical evidence that changes to physical or biological components of an ecosystem affect populations.	✓		
Life Science	MS-LS2-5 Evaluate competing design solutions for maintaining biodiversity and ecosystem services.			✓
Earth and Space Sciences	MS-ESS3-3 Apply scientific principles to design a method for monitoring and minimizing a human impact on the environment.	✓		✓

Earth and Space Sciences	MS-ESS3-4 Construct an argument supported by evidence for how increases in human population and per-capita consumption of natural resources impact Earth's systems.	✓		
Earth and Space Sciences	MS-ESS3-5 Ask questions to clarify evidence of the factors that have caused the rise in global temperatures over the past century.	✓		✓
Engineering, Technology and Applications of Science	MS-ETS1-1 Define the criteria and constraints of a design problem with sufficient precision to ensure a successful solution, taking into account relevant scientific principles and potential impacts on people and the natural environment that may limit possible solutions.	✓	✓	✓

SOCIAL STUDIES 7-8		Environment and Modern Agriculture	Healthful Eating	Future of Food
Economics	<p>Anchor Standard Three</p> <p>Students will demonstrate the ways in which the means of production, distribution, and exchange in different economic systems have a relationship to cultural values, resources, and technologies.</p>	✓	✓	✓