

## Earth Science CAMP TEKS

**The following TEKS are embedded in this CAMP:**

**3.7(B)** investigate rapid changes in Earth's surface, such as volcanic eruptions, earthquakes, and landslides

**4.7(C)** identify and classify Earth's renewable resources, including air, plants, water, and animals; and nonrenewable resources, including coal, oil, and natural gas; and the importance of conservation

**5.7(A)** explore the processes that led to the formation of sedimentary rocks and fossil fuels

**5.7(B)** recognize how landforms such as deltas, canyons, and sand dunes are the result of changes to Earth's surface by wind, water, or ice.

**5.8(C)** demonstrate that Earth rotates on its axis once approximately every 24 hours causing the day/night cycle and the apparent movement of the Sun across the sky

**5.8(D)** identify and compare the physical characteristics of the Sun, Earth, and Moon

**6.11(B)** understand that gravity is the force that governs the motion of our solar system

**7.8(C)** model the effects of human activity on groundwater and surface water in a watershed

**7.10(B)** describe how biodiversity contributes to the sustainability of an ecosystem

**8.7(A)** model and illustrate how the tilted Earth rotates on its axis, causing day and night, and revolves around the Sun causing changes in seasons

**8.8(B)** recognize that the Sun is a medium-sized star located in a spiral arm of the Milky Way galaxy and that the Sun is many thousands of times closer to Earth than any other star

**8.9(B)** relate plate tectonics to the formation of crustal features

**8.9(A)** describe the historical development of evidence that supports plate tectonic theory

**8.10(A)** recognize that the Sun provides the energy that drives convection within the atmosphere and oceans, producing winds

**8.10(C)** identify the role of the oceans in the formation of weather systems such as hurricanes

**8.11(C)** recognize human dependence on ocean systems and explain how human activities such as runoff, artificial reefs, or use of resources have modified these systems

