CA Grade 8 Integrated NGSS Storyline: The process that change Earth systems at different spatial scales today also caused changes in the past.

Instructional Segment Bundles	Anchoring Phenomena	Life Science	Earth & Space Sciences	Physical Science	Engineering, Technology, and Applications to Science		
	Objects move and collide.						
MS-LS4-1 MS-PS2-1 MS-PS2-2 MS-PS3-1 MS-ETS1-1 MS-ETS1-2 MS-ETS1-3 MS-ETS1-4		Living systems are affected by physical changes in the environment. Both the physical and biological changes are recorded in the fossil record.	The fossil record documents the existence, diversity, extinction, and change of life forms throughout Earth's history.	Newton's Laws explain the forces and motions of objects on Earth and in space.  Velocity and mass determine the results of collisions	Design Criteria  Evaluate Solutions  Analyze data  Iteratively test and modify		
	Nonco	ntact forces influen	ce phenomena loca	between objects.  Ily and in the solar sy	stem		
<b>2</b> MS-ESS1-1 MS-ESS1-2 MS-ESS1-3 MS-PS2-3 MS-PS2-4 MS-PSthe2-5 MS-PS3-2		That forces innuen	Models explain lunar phases and eclipses of the Sun and Moon.  Gravity plays the major role in determining motions with the solar system and galaxies.	Gravitational and electromagnetic fields are the basis of noncontact forces.  Changing the arrangement of objects in a system affects the potential energy stored in that system.	Stem		

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	Evolution explains life's unity and diversity.						
<b>3</b> MS-LS3-1 MS-LS4-1 MS-LS4-2 MS-LS4-3 MS-LS4-4 MS-LS4-5 MS-LS4-6 MS-ESS1-4		Mutations in genes affect organisms' structures and functions.  Evidence from fossils, anatomy, and embryos support the theory of biological evolution.  Natural selection is the main mechanism that leads to evolution of species that are adapted to their environment.	Rock layers record Earth's history like pages in a book.	Chemical reactions make new substances.  Mass is conserved in physical changes and chemical reactions.			
	Sustaining Local and Global Biodiversity						
## A MS-LS4-4 MS-LS4-6 MS-ESS1-1 MS-ESS3-4 MS-PS4-1 MS-PS4-2 MS-PS4-3 MS-ETS1-1 MS-ETS1-2		Changes to environments can affect probabilities of survival and reproduction of individual organisms, which can result in significant changes to populations and species.	Annual cycles in the amount of sunlight absorbed cause Earth's seasons.  Increases in human population and percapita consumption impact Earth's systems.	Waves are reflected, absorbed, or transmitted through various materials.  Wave-based digital technologies provide very reliable ways to encode and transmit information.	Design criteria  Evaluate solutions		