- **109-1** Tell how organisms in an ecosystem can be classified by identifying similar characteristics.
- **109-12** Identify when a term has a scientific meaning.
- **109-13** Explain why it is important to use words with precise scientific meanings.
- **208-2** Propose questions from practical problems that can be investigated.
- **208-3** Clarify questions to help in choosing what the procedure of investigations should be.
- **209-1** Carry out procedures controlling the major variables.
- **209-4** Organize data in a way that is appropriate for the investigation.
- **211-5** Using your findings, explain and support your conclusions.
- **304-2** Identify the roles of producers, consumers, and decomposers in a local ecosystem, and describe both their diversity and their interactions.
- **306-2** Describe how matter is recycled in an ecosystem through interactions among living things
- **306-3** Describe interactions between biotic and abiotic factors in an ecosystem

HEAT TRANSFER

- 111-5 Explain heat transfer in heating systems in houses.
- **113-4** Describe how heating technologies has affected lives.
- **209-1** Carry out procedures controlling the major variables.
- **209-3** Use instruments accurately for collecting data.
- **210-10** Identify potential sources of error in data while investigating heat.
- **210-11** Make conclusions, based on data, and explain how the data relates to the initial question.
- **210-12** Relate how experiments involving colour and heat absorption can be applied to the real world.
- **211-2** Communicate questions, ideas, intentions, plans, and results using a variety of means.
- **308-5** Compare transfer of heat by conduction, convection, and radiation.
- **308-6** Explain how colour and texture of surfaces affects heat absorption.

EARTH'S CRUST- PLATE TECTONICS

- **110-4** Describe how plate tectonic theory has changed because of additional geological evidence.
- **209-4** Organize data in a way that makes sense for the problem or question being solved.
- 209-6 Use tools and apparatus safely
- **210-6** Make conclusions based on patterns and trends in data, and explain relationships.
- **210-12** Relate how experiments with models can explain changes in the Earth's surface.
- **311-1** Explain how mountains are formed as a result of forces acting on the Earth's surface.
- **311-4** Compare the effects of various earthquakes and volcanic eruptions.
- **311-5** Look at data of catastrophic events to determine patterns and trends.

- **109-7** Tell different ways that questions are answered, problems are solved or decisions are made
- **112-7** Tell how science and technology affects your life and community
- 209-3 Use instruments accurately for collecting data.
- 209-6 Use instruments and materials safely
- **210-16** Write new questions about mixtures that could be investigated scientifically.
- **307-1** Use the particle model of matter to explain the difference between pure substances and mixtures.
- **307-2** Identify and separate the components of mixtures
- **307-3** Describe the characteristics of solutions, using the particle model of matter