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126.9.c.1	4.1	Computational thinking – foundations. The student explores the core concepts of computational thinking, a set of problem-solving processes that involve decomposition, pattern recognition, abstraction, and algorithms.	A knowledge and skills statement is a broad statement of what students must know and be able to do.								
126.9.c.1.A	4.1.A	decompose story problems into smaller, manageable subproblems and discuss and document various solutions to the problems	Direct alignment between student expectations	Science.4.1.A ask questions and define problems based on observations or information from text, phenomena, models, or investigations Science.4.1.B use scientific practices to plan and conduct descriptive investigations and use engineering practices to design solutions to problems	Math.4.1.B use a problem-solving model that incorporates analyzing given information, formulating a plan or strategy, determining a solution, justifying the solution, and evaluating the problem-solving process and the reasonableness of the solution	SS.4.22.B use problem-solving and decision-making processes to identify a problem, gather information, list and consider options, consider advantages and disadvantages, choose and implement a solution, and evaluate the effectiveness of the solution	ELAR.4.13.B develop and follow a research plan with adult assistance				
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126.9.c.1.B	4.1.B	identify patterns in story problems and make predictions based on the pattern	Direct alignment between student expectations	Science.4.2.B analyze data by identifying any significant features, patterns, or sources of error Science.4.5.A identify and use patterns to explain scientific phenomena or to design solutions	Math.4.5.B represent problems using an input-output table and numerical expressions to generate a number pattern that follows a given rule representing the relationship of the values in the resulting sequence and their position in the sequence		ELAR.4.6.C make and correct or confirm predictions using text features, characteristics of genre, and structures		Music.4.1.D identify and label small and large musical forms such as, abac, AB, ABA, and rondo presented aurally in simple songs and larger works		
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126.9.c.1.C	4.1.C	communicate design plans and solutions using a variety of options	Direct alignment between student expectations	Science.4.1.B use scientific practices to plan and conduct descriptive investigations and use engineering practices to design solutions to problems	Math.4.1.B use a problem-solving model that incorporates analyzing given information, formulating a plan or strategy, determining a solution, justifying the solution, and evaluating the problem-solving process and the reasonableness of the solution	SS.4.22.B use problem-solving and decision-making processes to identify a problem, gather information, list and consider options, consider advantages and disadvantages, choose and implement a solution, and evaluate the effectiveness of the solution	ELAR.4.13.B develop and follow a research plan with adult assistance				
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126.9.c.1.D	4.1.D	debug algorithms (set of procedures) by identifying and removing errors	Direct alignment between student expectations	Science.4.2.B analyze data by identifying any significant features, patterns, or sources of error							
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126.9.c.2	4.2	Computational thinking – applications. The student applies the fundamentals of computer science.	A knowledge and skills statement is a broad statement of what students must know and be able to do.								

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126.9.c.2.A	4.2.A	use variables within a program to modify data	Direct alignment between student expectations	Science.4.2.B analyze data by identifying any significant features, patterns, or sources of error							
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126.9.c.2.B	4.2.B	use a design process to create programs that include sequences, loops, and conditionals to express ideas or address a problem	Direct alignment between student expectations						Music.4.4.A create rhythmic phrases through improvisation and composition Music.4.4.B create melodic phrases through improvisation and composition		
			Use this space to identify additional connections between technology applications standards and other content standards. Some illustrative examples are provided.	Science.4.8.C demonstrate and describe how electrical energy travels in a closed path that can produce light and thermal energy Math.4.9.B describe the relationship between the availability or scarcity of resources and how that impacts cost SS.4.19.C analyze information by applying absolute and relative chronology through sequencing, categorizing, identifying cause-and-effect relationships, comparing, contrasting, finding the main idea, summarizing, making generalizations and predictions, and drawing inferences and conclusions							
126.9.c.3	4.3	Creativity and Innovation– innovative design process. The student takes an active role in learning by using a design process to solve authentic problems for a local or global audience, using a variety of technologies.	A knowledge and skills statement is a broad statement of what students must know and be able to do.								
126.9.c.3.A	4.3.A	explain the importance of and demonstrate personal skills and behaviors, including problem solving and questioning, effective communication, following directions, mental agility, and metacognition, that are needed to implement a design process successfully	Direct alignment between student expectations	Science.4.3.C listen actively to others' explanations to identify relevant evidence and engage respectfully in scientific discussion		SS.4.21.E apply foundational language skills to engage in civil discourse about social studies topics, including those with multiple perspectives	ELAR.4.1.A listen actively, ask relevant questions to clarify information, and make pertinent comments				
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126.9.c.3.B	4.3.B	apply an appropriate design process that includes components to improve processes and refine original products for authentic problems	Direct alignment between student expectations	Science.4.1.B use scientific practices to plan and conduct descriptive investigations and use engineering practices to design solutions to problems	Math.4.1.B use a problem-solving model that incorporates analyzing given information, formulating a plan or strategy, determining a solution, justifying the solution, and evaluating the problem-solving process and the reasonableness of the solution	SS.4.22.B use problem-solving and decision-making processes to identify a problem, gather information, list and consider options, consider advantages and disadvantages, choose and implement a solution, and evaluate the effectiveness of the solution	ELAR.4.11.C revise drafts to improve sentence structure and word choice by adding, deleting, combining, and rearranging ideas for coherence and clarity				
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126.9.c.4	4.4	<i>Creativity and innovation</i> —emerging technologies. The student demonstrates an understanding that technology is dynamic and impacts different communities.	A knowledge and skills statement is a broad statement of what students must know and be able to do.								
126.9.c.4.A	4.4.A	identify examples of emerging technologies	Direct alignment between student expectations	Science.4.4.A explain how scientific discoveries and innovative solutions to problems impact science and society		SS.4.18.B describe how scientific discoveries and innovations such as in aerospace, agriculture, energy, and technology have benefited individuals, businesses, and society in Texas					
			Use this space to identify additional connections between technology applications standards and other content standards. An illustrative example is provided.	Art.4.3.C connect art to career opportunities for positions such as architects, animators, cartoonists, engineers, fashion designers, film makers, graphic artists, illustrators, interior designers, photographers, and web designers							
126.9.c.5	4.5	<i>Data literacy, management, and representation</i> —collect data. The student uses digital strategies to collect and identify data.	A knowledge and skills statement is a broad statement of what students must know and be able to do.								
126.9.c.5.A	4.5.A	classify numerical and non-numerical data	Direct alignment between student expectations	Science.4.2.B analyze data by identifying any significant features, patterns, or sources of error	Math.4.1.D communicate mathematical ideas, reasoning, and their implications using multiple representations, including symbols, diagrams, graphs, and language as appropriate	SS.4.19.D organize and interpret information in outlines, reports, databases, and visuals, including graphs, charts, timelines, and maps					
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126.9.c.5.B	4.5.B	identify and collect data by using various search strategies, including two or more keywords within specific parameters	Direct alignment between student expectations				ELAR.4.13.C identify and gather relevant information from a variety of sources				
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126.9.c.6	4.6	<i>Data literacy, management, and representation</i> —organize, manage, and analyze data. The student uses data to answer questions.	A knowledge and skills statement is a broad statement of what students must know and be able to do.								

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126.9.c.6.A	4.6.A	use digital tools to transform and make inferences about data to answer a question	Direct alignment between student expectations	Science.4.2.B analyze data by identifying any significant features, patterns, or sources of error	Math.4.8.A summarize a data set with multiple categories using a frequency table, dot plot, pictograph, or bar graph with scaled intervals						
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126.9.c.7	4.7	Data literacy, management, and representation--communicate and publish results. The student communicates data through the use of digital tools to inform an audience.	A knowledge and skills statement is a broad statement of what students must know and be able to do.								
126.9.c.7.A	4.7.A	use digital tools to communicate results of an inquiry to inform an intended audience	Direct alignment between student expectations	Science.4.3.B communicate explanations and solutions individually and collaboratively in a variety of settings and formats Math.4.1.D communicate mathematical ideas, reasoning, and their implications using multiple representations, including symbols, diagrams, graphs, and language as appropriate Math.4.1.G display, explain, and justify mathematical ideas and arguments using precise mathematical language in written or oral communication		SS.4.19.G develop and communicate a claim and supporting evidence visually, orally, or in writing related to a social studies topic	ELAR.4.13.H use an appropriate mode of delivery, whether written, oral, or multimodal, to present results		Art.4.2.C produce drawings; paintings; prints; sculpture, including modeled forms; and other art forms such as ceramics, fiber art, constructions, mixed media, installation art, digital art and media, and photographic imagery using a variety of art media and materials		
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126.9.c.8	4.8	Digital citizenship--social interactions. The student understands different styles of digital communication and that a student's actions online can have a long-term impact.	A knowledge and skills statement is a broad statement of what students must know and be able to do.								
126.9.c.8.A	4.8.A	describe how information retained online creates a permanent digital footprint	Direct alignment between student expectations								
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126.9.c.8.B	4.8.B	describe appropriate digital etiquette for various forms of digital communication such as text, email, and online chat	Direct alignment between student expectations	Science.4.3.C listen actively to others' explanations to identify relevant evidence and engage respectfully in scientific discussion	Math.4.1.D communicate mathematical ideas, reasoning, and their implications using multiple representations, including symbols, diagrams, graphs, and language as appropriate	SS.4.21.E apply foundational language skills to engage in civil discourse about social studies topics, including those with multiple perspectives	ELAR.4.1.A listen actively, ask relevant questions to clarify information, and make pertinent comments	Health.4.13.A differentiate between appropriate and inappropriate ways to communicate in digital and online environments			
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126.9.c.8.C	4.8.C	demonstrate appropriate digital etiquette for various forms of digital collaboration such as shared documents, video conferencing, and other platforms	Direct alignment between student expectations	Science.4.8.C listen actively to others' explanations to identify relevant evidence and engage respectfully in scientific discussion		SS.4.21.E apply foundational language skills to engage in civil discourse about social studies topics, including those with multiple perspectives	ELAR.4.1.A listen actively, ask relevant questions to clarify information, and make pertinent comments ELAR.4.1.D work collaboratively with others to develop a plan of shared responsibilities	Health.4.13.A differentiate between appropriate and inappropriate ways to communicate in digital and online environments			
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126.9.c.9	4.9	Digital citizenship--ethics and laws. The student recognizes and practices responsible, legal, and ethical behavior while using digital tools and resources.	A knowledge and skills statement is a broad statement of what students must know and be able to do.								
126.9.c.9.A	4.9.A	demonstrate adherence to local acceptable use policy (AUP) and explain the importance of responsible and ethical technology use	Direct alignment between student expectations					Health.4.13.A differentiate between appropriate and inappropriate ways to communicate in digital and online environments			
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126.9.c.9.B	4.9.B	describe the rights and responsibilities of a creator, define copyright law, and explain how copyright law applies to creative work	Direct alignment between student expectations				ELAR.4.13.F recognize the difference between paraphrasing and plagiarism when using source materials				
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126.9.c.9.C	4.9.C	create citations for digital forms of media with assistance	Direct alignment between student expectations				ELAR.4.13.F recognize the difference between paraphrasing and plagiarism when using source materials ELAR.4.13.G develop a bibliography				
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126.9.c.10.A	4.10.A	demonstrate account safety, including creating a strong password and logging off devices, and explain the importance of these practices	Direct alignment between student expectations								

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126.9.c.10.B	4.10.B	Identify and discuss types of data collection tools such as cookies, pop-ups, smart devices, and unsecured networks and explain why it is important to maintain digital privacy	Direct alignment between student expectations					Health 4.13.B explain what information is appropriate to share and who it is appropriate to share information with in digital and online environments			
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126.9.c.10.C	4.10.C	discuss and explain how to respond to cyberbullying, including advocating for self and others	Direct alignment between student expectations					Health 4.13.C discuss the consequences of cyberbullying and inappropriate digital and online communication in relation to home and school environments			
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126.9.c.11	4.11	Practical technology concepts--processes. The student engages with technology systems, concepts, and operations.	A knowledge and skills statement is a broad statement of what students must know and be able to do.								
126.9.c.11.A	4.11.A	evaluate and choose applications for relevance to an assigned task	Direct alignment between student expectations	Science 4.1.F construct appropriate graphic organizers to collect data, including tables, bar graphs, line graphs, tree maps, concept maps, Venn diagrams, flow charts or sequence maps, and input-output tables that show cause and effect	Math 4.1.G display, explain, and justify mathematical ideas and arguments using precise mathematical language in written or oral communication	SS 4.19.D organize and interpret information in outlines, reports, databases, and visuals, including graphs, charts, timelines, and maps	ELAR 4.13.H use an appropriate mode of delivery, whether written, oral, or multimodal, to present results				
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126.9.c.11.B	4.11.B	perform software application functions such as outline options, bulleting, and numbering lists, and perform editing functions such as finding and replacing	Direct alignment between student expectations	Science 4.1.F construct appropriate graphic organizers to collect data, including tables, bar graphs, line graphs, tree maps, concept maps, Venn diagrams, flow charts or sequence maps, and input-output tables that show cause and effect	Math 4.1.G display, explain, and justify mathematical ideas and arguments using precise mathematical language in written or oral communication	SS 4.19.D organize and interpret information in outlines, reports, databases, and visuals, including graphs, charts, timelines, and maps	ELAR 4.11.C revise drafts to improve sentence structure and word choice by adding, deleting, combining, and rearranging ideas for coherence and clarity ELAR 4.11.D edit drafts using standard English conventions				
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126.9.c.12	4.12	Practical technology concepts –skills and tools. The student selects appropriate methods or techniques for an assigned task and identifies and solves simple hardware and software problems using common troubleshooting strategies.	A knowledge and skills statement is a broad statement of what students must know and be able to do.								
126.9.c.12.A	4.12.A	communicate an understanding of terminology related to virtual systems such as video conferencing, augmented reality, and virtual reality environments	Direct alignment between student expectations								
			Use this space to identify additional connections between technology applications standards and other content standards. An illustrative example is provided.	Science.4.3.B communicate explanations and solutions individually and collaboratively in a variety of settings and formats							
126.9.c.12.B	4.12.B	evaluate where and how to save, including the use of appropriate naming conventions and effective file management strategies and folder structures	Direct alignment between student expectations								
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126.9.c.12.C	4.12.C	demonstrate proper touch keyboarding techniques with speed and accuracy and ergonomic strategies such as correct hand and body positions	Direct alignment between student expectations								
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126.9.c.12.D	4.12.D	identify and practice using cross-curricular symbols or other input device shortcuts on a keyboard	Direct alignment between student expectations	Science.4.6.A classify and describe matter using observable physical properties, including temperature, mass, magnetism, relative density (the ability to sink or float in water), and physical state (solid, liquid, gas)	Math.4.1.D communicate mathematical ideas, reasoning, and their implications using multiple representations, including symbols, diagrams, graphs, and language as appropriate						
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126.9.c.12.E	4.12.E	use troubleshooting strategies to solve minor technical problems with hardware and software such as restarting software or rebooting hardware	Direct alignment between student expectations								

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