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Disease Prevention and Control Unit				
Lesson Number	Lesson Topic	Lesson Objective		
1	Communicable Diseases Day 1	Identify diseases as communicable		
2	Communicable Diseases Day 2	Identify diseases as communicable		
3	Communicable Diseases Day 3	Identify diseases as communicable (flu, cold, strep throat)		
4	Non-Communicable Diseases	Identify diseases as non-communicable (asthma, allergies)		

Nutrition and Fitness Unit				
Lesson Number	Lesson Topic	Lesson Objective		
1	Nutrients	Identify and define functions of nutrients		
2	Food and Health	 Demonstrate the relationship among food intake, physical activity, and weight management (See PE department for coordination and resources) 		
	Nutrition and Physical Activity Guidelines	Analyze the Nutrition Facts Label		
4	Body Image	Identify and describe body image		
5	Goal-Setting	Apply information using MyPlate to choose a healthy breakfast		

Tobacco, Alcohol, and Other Drugs Unit				
Lesson Number	Lesson Topic	Lesson Objective		
1	Medicine	Identify safe practices for using prescription and OTC drugs.		
2	Tobacco	Identify and examine physical consequences of the use of tobacco		
3	Alcohol	Identify and examine physical consequences of alcohol use		
4	Caffeine	Identify caffeine as a drug		

As of 1/2023, there are four units in grade 3 health education. Grade 3 health education curriculum is currently under HCPS review for alignment to MSDE Comprehensive Health Education Framework.

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	Safety & Injury Prevention Unit			
Lesson Number		Lesson Objective		
1	Abuse	Lesson delivered by school counselor		