



Idaho Science Standards Timeline

This timeline was created by the Idaho State Department of Education in reference to newly created Science Standards first proposed in 2015.

2018

Approved

New Science Standards approved by Legislative action, followed by

New Science Assessment Creation begins

2019

Creation & Implementation

Creation and implementation of Teacher Professional Learning (PL), materials, booklets, website, BSUWP PL

Regional Hosting of PL by Science Coaches and institution of Higher Education: Summer

Beta Assessment and Science Curricular review materials: April-May-June

2020

Professional Development

Full Regional PL throughout the year. (Science Coaches, iSTEM and BSUWP)

Highlight: Inquiry methods, Science Phenomenon, Performance and formative assessment

Required summative assessment in Elementary, Middle School, and High School