

**2016–2017 ISTAR Blueprint Overview
Grade 4 Science**

The following table provides an overview of the ISTAR Grade 4 Science blueprint.

Strands Assessed	Percent Range*
The Nature of Science, The Design Process, Science, Engineering, and Technology	19% – 49%
Physical Science, Earth and Space Science	23% – 43%
Life Science	18% – 28%

*This range represents the approximate emphasis for each reporting category on the assessment.