



Grades K–2

3.5.K-2.F Technology and Engineering: Influence of Society on Technological Development

Students who demonstrate understanding can *investigate the use of technologies in the home and community.*

Clarifying Statement: Children learn to use their senses to gather data and make observations about technologies in their everyday environment. Toasters, microwaves, stoves, and refrigerators may be used to create breakfasts before going to school in western cultures. In other societies, different food storage and preparation technologies are used for this same purpose.

Assessment Boundary: N/A

Science and Engineering Practices (SEP)	Disciplinary Core Ideas (DCI)	Technology and Engineering Practices (TEP)
Asking Questions and Defining Problems Asking questions and defining problems in K–2 builds on prior experiences and progresses to simple descriptive questions that can be tested. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Define a simple problem that can be solved through the development of a new or improved object or tool. 	Defining and Delimiting Engineering Problems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Asking questions, making observations, and gathering information are helpful in thinking about problems. 	Critical Thinking <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Engages in listening, questioning, and discussing.

Pennsylvania Context: Examples of Pennsylvania context include but are not limited to Pennsylvania's food production industries.

Pennsylvania Career Ready Skills: Demonstrate respect for the uniqueness of others.

Connections to Other Standards Content and Practices

Standard Source	Possible Connections to Other Standard(s) or Practice(s)
PA Core Standards: Reading and Writing in Science and Technical Areas	CC.1.4.K.U: With guidance and support, explore a variety of digital tools to produce and publish writing or in collaboration with peers. CC.1.4.1-2.U: With guidance and support, use a variety of digital tools to produce and publish writing including in collaboration with peers. CC.1.4.K.V: Participate in individual or shared research projects on a topic of interest. CC.1.4.1-2.V: Participate in individual or shared research and writing projects. CC.1.4.K-1.W: With guidance and support, recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question. CC.1.4.2.W: Recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question. CC.1.5.K-2.A: Participate in collaborative conversations with peers and adults in small and larger groups.
PA Core Standards and Practices: Math	MP.2: Reason abstractly and quantitatively. MP.4: Model with mathematics. MP.5: Use appropriate tools strategically.



**Science, Technology &
Engineering, and
Environmental Literacy &
Sustainability Academic
Standards**

3.2.1.C: Use tools and materials to design and build a device that uses light or sound to solve the problem of communicating over a distance.