

# Wyoming Project Learning Tree

## Correlation Key for Grades K-4

### Wyoming Math Content and Performance Standards

**Introduction:** The purpose of this document is to provide Wyoming educators who use the *Project Learning Tree Pre-K - 8 Environmental Educational Activity Guide* (2006 edition) with a reference guide in how PLT's activities correlate to the Wyoming Math Content and Performance Standards for grades K-4. Educators may use PLT activities to teach or assess mastery of math skills in number operations and concepts, geometry, measurement, algebra, data analysis and probability, and integration of those areas.

#### Key to symbols and abbreviations:

- \* Concept is a main focus of the activity or teaches to the standard.
- o Concept is part of the focus of the activity and supports the standard.
- n/c No correlation
- MA Math

#### MATH, Grades K-4

##### MA 1. NUMBER OPERATIONS AND CONCEPTS:

Students use numbers, number sense, and number relationships in a problem-solving situation.

- MA 4.1.1: Students use the concept of place value to read and write whole numbers up to 999,999 in words, standard, and expanded form.
- MA 4.1.2: Students compare and order whole numbers.
- MA 4.1.3: Students use coins and bills to compare the values, make combinations up to \$10.00, and make change...up to \$5.00.

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- MA 4.1.4: Students demonstrate computational fluency with basic facts....

28	Air Plants	o	3-6
66	Germinating Giants	o	4-6
73	Waste Watchers	o	4-8

**MA 4.1.5: Students add and subtract to thousands and multiply hundreds by a single digit.**

66 Germinating Giants o 4-6

**MA 4.1.6: Students explain their choice of problem solving strategies and justify their results...in problem solving situations.**

73 Waste Watchers o 4-8

**MA 4.1.7: Students recognize commonly used fractions (halves, thirds, fourths) as parts of a whole using an area model.**

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**MA 4.1.8: Students use estimation strategies to solve problems.**

38 Every Drop Counts o 4-8

66 Germinating Giants o 4-6

67 How Big is Your Tree o K-8

73 Waste Watchers o 4-8

**MA 2. GEOMETRY:**

**Students apply geometric concepts, properties, and relationships in a problem-solving situation.**

**MA 4.2.1: Students classify & describe 2- and 3- dimensional objects by their attributes (sides, edges, vertices, and faces).**

1 Shape of Things \* K-3

**MA 4.2.2: Students understand the images resulting from reflections (flips).**

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**MA 4.2.3: Students select, use, and communicate organizational methods in problem-solving situations appropriate to grade level.**

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**MA 4.2.4: Students know characteristics of lines (parallel, perpendicular, and intersecting).**

n/c

**MA 3. MEASUREMENT:**

**Students use a variety of tools and techniques of measurement in a problem-solving situation.**

**MA 4.3.1: Students select and apply appropriate U.S. customary units... to the estimation and measurement of length in real-world problems....**

28	Air Plants	o	3-6
66	Germinating Giants	o	4-6
67	How Big is Your Tree	o	K-8
77	Trees in Trouble	o	1-8
80	Nothing Succeeds Like Succession	o	3-6

**MA 4.3.2: Students select and apply appropriate U.S. customary units...to the estimation and measurement of weight in real-world problems....**

66	Germinating Giants	o	4-6
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**MA 4.3.3: Students select and apply appropriate U.S. customary units...to the estimation and measurement of capacity in real-world problems....**

37	Reduce, Reuse, Recycle	o	1-6
38	Every Drop Counts	o	4-8

**MA 4.3.4: Student demonstrate relationships, within the U.S. customary system, given an equivalence chart, in problem-solving situations.**

67	How Big is Your Tree	o	K-8
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**MA 4.3.5: Students determine area and perimeter of rectangles and squares using models in problem-solving situations.**

**MA 4.3.6: Students use time, in problem-solving situations to: compare relationships among seconds, minutes, and hours; use elapsed time to the nearest minute.**

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**MA 4. ALGEBRA:**

**Students use algebraic methods to investigate, model, and interpret patterns and functions involving numbers, shapes, data, and graphs in a problem-solving situation.**

**MA 4.4.1: Students recognize, describe, extend, create, and generalize patterns by using manipulatives, numbers, and graphic representations.**

**MA 4.4.2: Students apply knowledge of appropriate grade level patterns when solving problems.**

**MA 4.4.3: Students explain a rule given a pattern or sequence.**

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**MA 5. DATA ANALYSIS AND PROBABILITY:**

**Students use data analysis and probability to analyze given situations and the results of experiments.**

**MA 4.5.1: Students collect, organize, and compare data in graphs, Venn diagrams, tables, and charts.**

9	Planet Diversity	*	4-6
16	Pass the Plants	o	K-8
25	Birds and Worms	*	K-6
36	Pollution Search	o	K-6
37	Reduce, Reuse, Recycle	o	1-6
38	Every Drop Counts	*	4-8
41	How Plants Grow	*	4-8
47	Are Vacant Lots Vacant?	*	K-8
48	Field Forest and Stream	*	1-8
66	Germinating Giants	o	4-6
67	How Big is Your Tree	o	K-8
73	Waste Watchers	o	4-8
77	Trees in Trouble	o	1-8
80	Nothing Succeeds Like Succession	o	3-6
81	Living with Fire	o	K-8

**MA 4.5.2: Students communicate conclusions about a set of data by interpreting information using graphs, Venn diagrams, tables, and charts.**

9	Planet Diversity	*	4-6
25	Birds and Worms	*	K-6
38	Every Drop Counts	*	4-8
41	How Plants Grow	*	4-8

**MA 4.5.2: (continued)**

47	Are Vacant Lots Vacant?	*	K-8
48	Field Forest and Stream	*	1-8
66	Germinating Giants	o	4-6
67	How Big is Your Tree	o	K-8
73	Waste Watchers	o	4-8
77	Trees in Trouble	o	1-8
80	Nothing Succeeds Like Succession	o	3-6
81	Living with Fire	o	K-8

**MA 4.5.3: Students predict, perform, and record results of probability experiments.**

25	Birds and Worms	o	K-6
38	Every Drop Counts	*	4-8
41	How Plants Grow	*	4-8
47	Are Vacant Lots Vacant?	*	K-8
73	Waste Watchers	o	4-8

**MA 4.5.4: Students predict all possible outcomes of a given situation or event.**

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