Commonalities Among the Practices in Science, Mathematics and English Language Arts

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Math

M1: Make sense of problems and persevere in solving them
M2: Reason abstractly & quantitatively
M6: Attend to precision
M7: Look for & make use of structure
M8: Look for & make use of regularity in repeated reasoning

S1: Ask questions and define problems
S2: Develop & use models
S5: Use mathematics & computational thinking

S3: Plan & carry out investigations
S4: Analyze & interpret data
S6: Construct explanations & design solutions

E1: Demonstrate independence in reading complex texts, and writing and speaking about them
E2: Build a strong base of knowledge through content rich texts
E3: Obtain, synthesize, and report findings clearly and effectively in response to task and purpose
E4: Construct viable arguments and critique reasoning of others
E5: Read, write, and speak grounded in evidence
E6: Use technology & digital media strategically & capably
E7: Come to understand other perspectives and cultures through reading, listening, and collaborations
E8: Obtain, evaluate, & communicate information

Science

M4: Models with mathematics
S2: Develop & use models
S5: Use mathematics & computational thinking

S3: Plan & carry out investigations
S4: Analyze & interpret data
S6: Construct explanations & design solutions

ELA

M5: Use appropriate tools strategically
M3 & E4: Construct viable arguments and critique reasoning of others
S7: Engage in argument from evidence

S8: Obtain, evaluate, & communicate information

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* The Common Core English Language Arts uses the term “student capacities” rather than the term “practices” used in Common Core Mathematics and the Next Generation Science Standards.