**PUD/ESD Energy Education Program**

First Grade Teacher Notes

We have provided your class with We’re Talking Electricity. These materials are provided on behalf of your county’s Public Utility District (PUD) in an effort to instill electrical safety and basic electricity education to students at an early age.

Science Connections

**Influence of Engineering, Technology, and Science on Society and the Natural World**

* People depend on various technologies in their lives (have students identify the technologies they use that require electricity)
* Human life would be very different without technology (ask students how things would be different if we could not access electricity)

Literacy Connections

**CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RI.1.6 Distinguish between information provided by pictures or other illustrations and information provided by the words in a text.**

* Ask students to identify things they learned from the pictures and things they learned from the text.

Listed below are ways to integrate these materials into your classroom while still covering the indispensable information provided by your county PUD:

* K-W-L Chart
* Electrical scavenger hunt (identify objects that use electricity)
* Create flash cards of electrical equipment/ label electrical equipment in classroom
* Create own electrical safety book to ‘read’ at home

We thank you for being a part of the PUD/ESD Energy Education Program. If there are any questions regarding these materials or teaching instruction, do not hesitate to call.

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