

TIMSS 2011

The TIMSS 2011 Students Engaged in Chemistry Lessons Scale, Eighth Grade

The Students Engaged in Chemistry Lessons (ESC) scale was created based on students' degree of agreement to the five statements described below. This scale was administered in countries where the sciences are taught as separate subjects. See [Creating and Interpreting TIMSS and PIRLS 2011 Context Questionnaire Scales](#) for more information on how the scales were formed.

Exhibit 1: Items in the TIMSS 2011 Students Engaged in Chemistry Lessons Scale, Eighth Grade

How much do you agree with these statements about your chemistry lesson?				
	Agree a lot	Agree a little	Disagree a little	Disagree a lot
1) I know what my teacher expects me to do	△	△	△	△
2) I think of things not related to the lesson*	△	△	△	△
3) My teacher is easy to understand	△	△	△	

