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SCIENCE TEXTBOOK RECOMMENDATIONS  
FOR 2012-2013

SUBJECT	GRADE	TITLE PUBLISHER	QTY	UNIT COST	TOTAL COST	NOTES
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