



Pre-Algebra Pacing Guide 2020-2021

4.0 Target	3.0 Target	2.0 Target	Pacing & Unit Dates
Unit # 1: Ratios and Proportions			
Priority Targets			<p>25 days</p> <p>Unit Dates: August 15 - September 28</p> <p>Benchmark Dates: September 21 - September 28</p> <p>Trimester #1</p>
Use ratio relationships to solve more complex problems.	7.RP.2 - Use a ratio table or graph in a real-world context to write the equation that describes the line.	Interpret the relationship shown by a given point on a graph.	
Use proportional reasoning to evaluate more complex problems.	7.RP.3 - Use real-world proportional relationships to solve problems with rational numbers, including those with unit rates.	Use real-world proportional relationships to solve problems.	
Apply percents to complex problems.	6.RP.3c - Solve an applied percent problem.	Apply ratios and unit rate reasoning to solve real-world problems with percents.	
Non-Priority Targets			
	6.RP.1 - Use ratios, including those with rational numbers, to solve real-world problems.		
Unit # 2: Introduction to Rational Numbers			
Priority Targets:			<p>35 days</p> <p>Unit Dates: September 25- November 20</p> <p>Benchmark Dates: November 14 - November 20</p> <p>Trimester #2</p>
Solve for missing values in a problem involving addition and subtraction of rational numbers.	7.NS.1 - Add and subtract rational numbers.	Add and subtract positive and negative integers.	
Solve for missing values in a problem involving multiplication and division of rational numbers.	7.NS.2 - Multiply and divide rational numbers.	Multiply and divide positive and negative integers.	
Explain how changing the base or exponent changes the outcome. (Quiz 1: 2^4 vs 5^2 ; Quiz 2: $(1/2)^{17}$ vs $(1/2)^{18}$; Quiz 3: $(0.432)^{20}$ vs $(0.432)^{21}$)	6.EE.1 - Evaluate numerical expressions using order of operations, including exponents and rational numbers.	Evaluate whole number expressions using order of operations, including whole number exponents.	
N/A	6.LT.0 - Demonstrate the ability to retain content knowledge when solving problems with ratios.	Demonstrate ability to partially retain content knowledge over time.	
Non-Priority Targets:			
Order a list of absolute values requiring computations of rational numbers.	6.NS.7 - Order a list of absolute values of rational numbers.	Define absolute value and interpret the absolute value of rational numbers in real-world situations.	
Find the distance between points from a reflected shape.	6.NS.8 - Determine distances on the coordinate plane.	Graph an ordered pair on the coordinate plane.	
Unit # 3: Expressions			
Solve for missing values in a problem involving two equivalent expressions.	7.EE.1 - Apply properties of operations to generate equivalent expressions, including those with rational numbers.	Apply properties of operations to generate equivalent expressions with integers.	<p>14 days</p> <p>Unit Dates: November 21 - December 20</p> <p>Benchmark Dates: December 16 - December 20</p> <p>Trimester #2</p>
Solve for a missing value in an expression in which letters stand for numbers.	6.EE.2 - Write expressions in which letters stand for numbers in a real-world context.	Write simple expressions in which letters stand for numbers.	
N/A	6.LT.0 - Demonstrate the ability to retain content knowledge when solving problems with rational numbers.	Demonstrate ability to partially retain content knowledge over time.	
Unit # 4: Equations			
Priority Targets:			<p>25 days</p> <p>Unit Dates: January 6 - February 14</p> <p>Benchmark Dates: February 10 - February 14</p> <p>Trimester #2</p>
Graph an absolute value equation with two variables.	6.EE.9 - Write and use the equation of a line.	Describe the relationship between dependent and independent variables as displayed in graphs or tables.	
Solve an equation where the variable is in the denominator of a fraction.	7.EE.4.a - Solve a real life problem which first requires writing a multi-step equation, with variables on both sides of the equal sign.	Solve multi-step equations with variables on both sides of the equal sign.	
Solve a compound inequality.	7.EE.4.b - Solve a two-step inequality, including those in a real-world context.	Write an inequality of the form $x > c$ or $x < c$ to represent a constraint in real-world context using $<$, $>$, \leq , \geq .	
N/A	6.LT.0 - Demonstrate the ability to retain content knowledge when solving problems with expressions.	Demonstrate ability to partially retain content knowledge over time.	

Non-Priority Targets:			
	6.EE.6/7 - Write and solve one-step equations in a real-world context with rational numbers. (LESS)		
	6.EE.8 - Write an inequality of the form $x > c$ or $x < c$ to represent a constraint in real-world context using $<$, $>$, \leq , \geq .		
Unit # 5: Geometry			
Part A: Priority Targets			
Solve complex surface area problems (missing measurements, combined shapes)	7.G.4 - Find the surface area of three-dimensional shapes in real-world contexts, including those with fractional sides.	Calculate the area given the circumference of a circle and vice versa.	Part A 15 days Unit Dates: February 15 - March 10 Benchmark Dates: March 4 - March 10 Trimester #3
Solve complex problems involving the volume of three-dimensional shapes. (Including compound shapes and unit conversions. Ex. sandbox filled with an unknown number of bags of sand)	7.G.6 - Given the volume, find the length of a missing measurement or find the volume of a combined shape.	Calculate the volume of three-dimensional shapes in a real-world context, including those with fractional sides.	
N/A	6.LT.0 - Demonstrate the ability to retain content knowledge when solving problems with equations.	Demonstrate ability to partially retain content knowledge over time.	
Part B: Priority Targets			
Solve a complex problem requiring multi-step algebraic equations.	7.G.5 - Solve multi-step mathematical problems involving angle measures requiring multi-step algebraic equations and rational numbers.	Use angle relationships (ie. supplementary, complementary, adjacent, and vertical angles, and angle sum and exterior angle of triangles) to solve for missing values.	Part B 15 days Unit Dates: March 11 - April 9 Benchmark Dates: April 2 - April 9 Trimester #3
Solve a complex problem using Pythagorean Theorem.	8.G.7 - Apply the Pythagorean Theorem to solve problems, including distance problems.	Apply the Pythagorean Theorem to determine unknown side lengths in right triangles in real-life problems in 2 dimensions, including sides that have lengths that are rational numbers.	
N/A	6.LT.0 - Demonstrate the ability to retain content knowledge over time. Demonstrate the ability to retain content knowledge when solving problems with expressions.	Demonstrate ability to partially retain content knowledge over time.	
Part C: Priority Targets			
Perform complex transformations. (Ex. rotate 45° or reflect over $y=x$)	8.G.2/3/4 - Demonstrate that two figures are congruent or similar using the properties of rotations, reflections, translations, or dilations of 2D figures.	Perform all four transformations (dilations, translations, rotations, and reflections) on two-dimensional figures using coordinates.	Part C 17 Days Unit Dates: April 10 - May 15 Benchmark Dates: May 9 - May 15 Trimester #3
N/A	6.LT.0 - Demonstrate the ability to retain content knowledge over time. Demonstrate the ability to retain content knowledge when solving problems with equations.	Demonstrate ability to partially retain content knowledge over time.	
Non-Priority Targets			
	6.G.1/6.G.3 - Find the area of irregular polygons, with fractional sides, using composition and decomposition in real world contexts.		
	8.G.1 - Verify experimentally the properties of rotations, reflections, and translations as lines are taken to lines, angles to angles, and parallel lines are taken to parallel lines.		
	8.G.6 - Explain a proof of the Pythagorean Theorem and its converse.		