## Grade: 6 <br> Content Area: Mathematics

## Introduction:

Students in 6th grade will complete 5 critical areas.

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Chapter 3: Algebraic Expressions and Properties
Covers NJSLA Critical Area 3

Focus:

- Algebraic Expressions
- Writing Expressions
- Properties of Addition and Multiplication
- The Distributive Property

Chapter 4: Areas of Polygon
Covers NJSLA Critical Area 4
Focus:
15 Days

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- Areas of Parallelograms
- Areas of Triangles
- Areas of Trapezoids
- Polygons in Coordinate Plane

Chapter 5: Ratios and Rates
Covers NJSLA Critical Area 1

## Focus:

- Ratios
- Ratio Tables
- Rates
- Comparing and Graphic Ratios
- Percents
- Solving Percent Problems
- Converting Measures

Chapter 6: Integers and the Coordinate Plane Covers NJSLA Critical Area 2

## Focus:

- Integers
- Comparing and Ordering Integers
- Fractions and Decimals on the Number Line
- Absolute Value
- The Coordinate Plane

Chapter 7: Equations and Inequalities
Covers NJSLA Critical Area 3
Focus:

- Writing Equations in One Variable
- Solving Equations Using Addition or Subtraction
- Solving Equations Using Multiplication or Division
- Writing Equations in Two Variables
- Writing and Graphing Inequalities
- Solving Inequalities Using Addition or Subtraction
- Solving Inequalities Using Multiplication or Division

20 Days

| Chapter 8: Surface Area and Volume Covers NJSLA Critical Area 4 <br> Focus: <br> - 3D Figures <br> - Surface Area of Prisms <br> - Surface Areas of Pyramids <br> - Volumes of Rectangular Prisms | 15 Days |
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| Chapter 9: Statistical Measures Covers NJSLA Critical Area 5 <br> Focus: <br> - Introduction to Statistics <br> - Mean <br> - Measures of Center <br> - Measures of Variations <br> - Mean Absolute Deviation | 15 Days |
| Chapter 10: Data Displays Covers NJSLA Critical Area 5 <br> Focus: <br> - Stem-and-Leaf Plots <br> - Histograms <br> - Shapes of Distributions <br> - Box-and-Whisker Plots | 15 Days |


| Chapter 1: Numerical Expressions and Factors | Duration: 25 Days- ongoing |
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## Standards/Learning Targets

## New Jersey Student Learning Standards:

- 6.NS. 2 Fluently divide multi-digit numbers using the standard algorithm
- 6.NS.4 Find the greatest common factor of two whole numbers less than or equal to 100 and the least common multiple of two whole numbers less than or equal to 12. Use the distributive property to express a sum of two whole numbers 1-100 with a common factor as a multiple of a sum of two whole numbers with no common factor.
- 6.EE. 1 Write and evaluate numerical expressions involving whole-number exponents.
- 6.EE.2b Write, read, and evaluate expressions in which letters stand for numbers. b. Identify parts of an expression using mathematical terms (sum, term, product, factor, quotient, coefficient); view one or more parts of an expression as a single entity


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## Knowledge \& Skills

## Essential Questions/ Enduring Understandings:

- How do you know which operation to choose when solving a real-life problem?
- How can you use repeated factors in real-life situations?
- What is the effect of inserting parentheses into a numerical expression?
- Without dividing, how can you tell if a number is divisible by another number?
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- How can you find the greatest common factor of two or more numbers?
- How can you find the least common multiple of two or more numbers?

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## Benchmark Assessments:

- Beginning of the year, mid year, and end of the year


## Chapter 2: Fractions and Decimals

## Duration: 20 Days- ongoing

## Standards/Learning Targets

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- 6.NS. 1 Interpret and compute quotients of fractions, and solve word problems involving division of fractions by fractions.
- 6.NS.3 Fluently add, subtract, multiply, and divide multi-digit decimals using the standard algorithm for each operation.


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Knowledge \& Skills

## Enduring Understandings/ Essential Questions:

- What does it mean to multiply fractions?
- How can you divide by a fraction?
- How can you divide by a mixed number?
- How can you add and subtract decimals?
- How can you multiply decimals?
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- How can you write and evaluate an expression that models real-life?
- How can you write an expression that represents an unknown quantity?
- Does the order in which you perform an operation matter?
- How do you use mental math to multiply two numbers?

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## Benchmark Assessments:

- Beginning of the year, mid year, and end of the year


## Chapter 5: Ratios and Rates

## Duration: 25 Days- ongoing

## Standards/Learning Targets

## New Jersey Student Learning Standards:

- 6.RP. 1 Understand the concept of a ratio and use ratio language to describe a ratio relationship between two quantities.
- 6.RP. 2 Understand the concept of $a$ unit rate $a / b$ associated with a ratio $a: b$ with $b \neq 0$, and use rate language in the context of a ratio relationship.
- 6.RP.3a,b,c,d Use ratio and rate reasoning to solve real-world and mathematical problems.
a. Make tables of equivalent ratios relating quantities with whole-number measurements, fi nd missing values in the tables, and plot the pairs of values on the coordinate plane. Use tables to compare ratios.
b. Solve unit rate problems including those involving unit pricing and constant speed.
c. Find a percent of a quantity as a rate per 100; solve problems involving fi nding the whole, given a part and the percent.
d. Use ratio reasoning to convert measurement units; manipulate and transform units appropriately when multiplying or dividing quantities.


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## Interdisciplinary Connections:

## ELA:

- SL.6.3. Deconstruct a speaker's argument and specific claims, distinguishing claims that are supported by reasons and evidence from claims that are not.
Career Ready Practices:
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21st Century Life and Career Standards:

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## Knowledge \& Skills

Enduring Understandings/ Essential Questions:

- How can you represent a relationship between two quantities?
- How can you find two ratios that describe the same relationship?
- How can you use rates to describe changes in real-life problems?
- How can you compare two ratios?
- What is the connection between ratios, fractions, and percents?
- How can you use mental math to find the percent of a number?
- How can you compare lengths between the customary and metric systems?

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## Chapter 6: Integers and Coordinate Plane

## Duration: 15 Days- ongoing

## Standards/Learning Targets

## New Jersey Student Learning Standards:

- 6.NS.5 Understand that positive and negative numbers are used together to describe quantities having opposite directions or values; use positive and negative numbers to represent quantities in real-world contexts, explaining the meaning of 0 in each situation.
- 6.NS.6a,b,c Understand a rational number as a point on the number line. Extend number line diagrams and coordinate axes familiar from previous grades to represent points on the line and in the plane with negative number coordinates.
a. Recognize opposite signs of numbers as indicating locations on opposite sides of 0 on the number line; recognize that the opposite of the opposite of a number is the number itself, and that 0 is its own opposite.
b. Understand signs of numbers in ordered pairs as indicating locations in quadrants of the coordinate plane; recognize that when two ordered pairs differ only by signs, the locations of the points are related by reflections across one or both axes.
c. Find and position integers and other rational numbers on a horizontal or vertical number line diagram; find and position pairs of integers and other rational numbers on a coordinate plane.
- 6.NS. 7 Understand ordering and absolute value of rational numbers.
a. Interpret statements of inequality as statements about the relative position of two numbers on a number line diagram
b. Write, interpret, and explain statements of order for rational numbers in real-world contexts. c. Understand the absolute value of a rational number as its distance from 0 on the number line; interpret absolute value as magnitude for a positive or negative quantity in a real-world situation.
d. Distinguish comparisons of absolute value from statements about order.
- 6.NS. 8 Solve real-world and mathematical problems by graphing points in all four quadrants of the coordinate plane. Include use of coordinates and absolute value to find distance between points with the same first coordinate or the same second coordinate.

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## Knowledge \& Skills

## Enduring Understandings/ Essential Questions:

- How can you represent numbers that are less than 0 ?
- How can you use a number line to order real-life events?
- How can you use a number line to compare positive and negative fractions and decimals?
- How can you describe how far an object is from 0 ?
- How can you graph and locate points that contain negative numbers in a coordinate plane?


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Chapter 7: Equations and Inequalities

## Duration: 20 Days- ongoing

## Standards/Learning Targets

## New Jersey Student Learning Standards:

- 6.EE. 5 Understand solving an equation or inequality as a process of answering a question: which values from a specified set, if any, make the equation or inequality true? Use substitution to determine whether a given number in a specified set makes an equation or inequality true.
- 6.EE. 6 Use variables to represent numbers and write expressions when solving a real-world or mathematical problem; understand that a variable can represent an unknown number, or, depending on the purpose at hand, any number in a specified set.
- 6.EE. 7 Solve real-world and mathematical problems by writing and solving equations of the form $x+p=q$ and $p x=q$ for cases in which $p, q$, and $x$ are all nonnegative rational numbers.
- 6.EE. 8 Write an inequality of the form $\mathrm{x}>\mathrm{c}$ or $\mathrm{x}<\mathrm{c}$ to represent a constraint or condition in a real-world or mathematical problem. Recognize that inequalities of the form $x>c$ or $x<c$ have infinitely many solutions; represent solutions of such inequalities on number line diagrams.
- 6.EE. 9 Use variables to represent two quantities in a real-world problem that change in relationship to one another; write an equation to express one quantity thought of as the dependent variable, in terms of the other quantity, thought of as the independent variable. Analyze the relationship between the dependent and independent variables using graphs and tables, and relate these to the equation.


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Knowledge \& Skills

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- How does rewriting a word problem help you solve the word problem?
- How can you use addition or subtraction to solve an equation?
- How can you use multiplication or division to solve an equation?
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Chapter 8: Surface Area and Volume

## Duration: 15 Days- ongoing

## Standards/Learning Targets

## New Jersey Student Learning Standards:

- 6.G.2 Find the volume of a right rectangular prism with fractional edge lengths by packing it with unit cubes of the appropriate unit fraction edge lengths, and show that the volume is the same as would be found by multiplying the edge length of the prism. Apply the formulas $\mathrm{V}=\mathrm{lwh}$ and $\mathrm{V}=\mathrm{bh}$ to find volumes of right rectangular prisms with fractional edge lengths in the context of solving real-world and mathematical problems.
- 6.G.4 Represent three-dimensional figures using nets made up of rectangles and triangles, and use the nets to find the surface area of these figures. Apply these techniques in the context of solving real-world and mathematical problems.


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## Knowledge \& Skills

Enduring Understandings/ Essential Questions:

- How can you draw three-dimensional figures?
- How can you find the area of the entire surface of a prism?
- How can you use a net to find the surface area of a pyramid?
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## Chapter 9: Statistical Measures

## Duration: 15 Days- ongoing

## Standards/Learning Targets

## New Jersey Student Learning Standards:

- 6.SP. 1 Recognize a statistical question as one that anticipates variability in the data related to the question and accounts for it in the answers.
- 6.SP. 2 Understand that a set of data collected to answer a statistical question has a distribution which can be described by its center, spread, and overall shape.
- 6.SP. 3 Recognize that a measure of center for a numerical data set summarizes all of its values with a single number, while a measure of variation describes how its values vary with a single number.
- 6.SP. 4 Display numerical data in plots on a number line, including dot plots, histograms, and box plots.
- 6.SP.5a,b,c Summarize numerical data sets in relation to their context, such as by:
a. Reporting the number of observations.
b. Describing the nature of the attribute under investigation, including how it was measured and its units of measurement.
c. Giving quantitative measures of center (median and/or mean) and variability (interquartile range and/or mean absolute deviation), as well as describing any overall pattern and any striking deviations from the overall pattern with reference to the context in which the data were gathered.
Standards for Mathematical Practice:
- MP. 1 Make sense of problems and persevere in solving them.
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## Interdisciplinary Connections: <br> ELA:

- SL.6.3. Deconstruct a speaker's argument and specific claims, distinguishing claims that are supported by reasons and evidence from claims that are not.


## Career Ready Practices:

- CRP1. Act as a responsible and contributing citizen and employee.
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## 21st Century Life and Career Standards:

- 9.1.4.A.1- Explain the difference between a career and a job, and identify various jobs in the community and the related earnings.
Technology:
- 8.1.2.A. 1 Identify the basic features of a digital device and explain its purpose.
- 8.1.2.A. 4 Demonstrate developmentally appropriate navigation skills in virtual environments (i.e. games, museums).
- 8.2.2.C. 1 Brainstorm ideas on how to solve a problem or build a product
- 8.1.2.E. 1 Use digital tools and online resources to explore a problem or issue.
- 8.2.2.E. 1 List and demonstrate the steps to an everyday task


## Modifications and Accommodations

## English Language Learners:

- Simplify written and verbal instructions
- Provide written directions with models and diagrams when possible
- Build in more group work to allow ELL students to interact and communicate with peers
- Provide vocabulary ahead of time
- Use sentence frames to give students practice with academic language
- Pre-teach as often as possible- share videos, articles, vocabulary etc. with ELL students prior to use in class
- Utilize visual charts/cues
- Highlight key words
- Provide manipulatives
- Frequently check for understanding


## Special Education/Students with Disabilities:

- Follow specific students accommodations and modifications as listed in individual student IEP
- Provide opportunities for movement
- Have manipulatives and other math resources available for student use
- Incorporate small group instruction
- Utilize visual charts/cues
- Facilitate successful experiences
- Provide tutoring if needed
- Provide positive praise to increase motivation
- Answers to be dictated
- Frequent rest breaks
- Additional time
- Oral testing
- Untimed tests
- Choice of test format (multiple-choice, essay, true-false)

504:

- Follow specific students accommodations and modifications as listed in individual student 504
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Students at Risk of Failure:

- Ensure child has access to all appropriate academic resources both in school and at home
- Provide structure and adhere to a consistent daily routine with clear and concise rules
- Facilitate successful experiences
- Provide tutoring if needed
- Allow students to complete assignments in school
- Do not penalize for late or missing assignments/materials
- Offer encouragement and understanding
- Allow students to have personal possessions and property in school
- Give choice to provide a sense of control


## Economically Disadvantaged:

- Provide clear, achievable expectations, do not lower academic requirements for them.
- Build a safe and nurturing atmosphere
- Be flexible with assignments
- Offer several alternatives from which all students can choose.
- Allow students to finish assignments independently, or give them the opportunity to complete tasks at their own pace.
- Use real-world examples and create mental models for abstract idea
- Provide increased knowledge base and vocabulary use about real world experiences.
- Share the decision making in class.
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## Culturally Diverse:

- Involve families in student learning
- Provide social/emotional support
- Respect cultural traditions
- Build in more group work to encourage interaction with peers
- Show photos, videos, and definitions when possible for culturally unique vocabulary
- Teach study skills
- Provided students with necessary academic resources and materials
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- Provide visuals
- Assign peer tutor
- Support verbal explanations with non verbal cues: Gestures/ facial expressions, props, realia, manipulatives, concrete materials, visuals, graphs, pictures, maps
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- Integrate the arts into learning activities


## Knowledge \& Skills

## Enduring Understandings/ Essential Questions:

- How can you tell whether a question is a statistical question?
- How can you find an average value of a data set?
- In what other ways can you describe an average of a data set?
- How can you describe the spread of a data set?
- How can you use the distances between each data value and the mean of a data set to measure the spread of a data set?


## Core Instructional \& Supplemental Materials

Suggested Activities/Resources:

- Self-reflection
- Math Center Activities
- Math Games
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## Evidence of Student Learning

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- Solve and Share
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- Analysis of student work
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- Self-reflection
- Math journals

Summative Assessments:

- Topic tests
- Extension Projects
- Topic Performance Assessment

Alternative Assessments:

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## Benchmark Assessments:

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## Chapter 10: Data Displays

## Duration: 15 Days- ongoing

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Knowledge \& Skills

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- How can you use place values to represent data graphically?
- How can you use intervals, tables, and graphs to organize data?
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- How can you use quartiles to represent data graphically?


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