# Algebra 2

# Functions - Spiral throughout the curriculum

# **Recognize Function vs. Non-Function**

Vertical line test

## Notation

 Using function notation in context of problem ex: C(t) = cost as a function of time

## Evaluate

- Algebraically
- Graphically

### **Multiple Representations**

• Mapping diagram, ordered pairs, words, graph, table, equation

## Domain & Range

- Inequality notation
- Interval notation
- Discrete vs. continuous
- Identify from all representations

# Operations

- Add, subtract functions
- Multiply functions (introduce FOILing)

## Increasing vs. Decreasing vs. Constant

• Language

# Foundation Concepts--Revisit Linear

- Solving Linear Equations
- Solving Literal Equations
- Graphing Linear Functions (from diff. forms)
- Writing Linear Functions (using diff. forms)
- Slope (rate of change)
- Applications

# Foundation Concepts--Revisit Functions

- evaluating functions (from graph and equation)
- using function notation in context of problem
  ex: C(t) = cost as a function of time
- Composition (algebraically and graphically)
- Domain & Range

# Absolute Value

- Revisit Solving Linear Inequalities (simple & compound)
- Solving Absolute Value Equations
- Solving Absolute Value Inequalities
- Graph: f(x) = |x|

• Absolute Value as a Piecewise Function (Just mention to make connection--address details of piecewise functions in Quadratics Unit)

- Domain & Range (inequality notation)
- Transformations
- Equation to Graph
- Graph to Equation
- Interval Notation

# **Quadratics**

#### Linear vs. Non-Linear (toothpick activity) Spiral Function Topics

- Function Notation
- Evaluating Functions (algebraically, graphically)
- Composition
- Domain & Range
- Operations

#### **Graphing Quadratic Functions**

- Vertex Form (revisit transformations)
- Intercept Form
- Standard Form (y-int)
- Identify Vertex from Equation (all 3 forms)
- Writing Equations (from graph, vertex + point, x-ints. + point)

# Changing Between Forms

### Solving

- Graphing
- Factoring
- Square Rooting
- Completing the Square
- Quadratic Formula
- Vocab: x-int, zeros, roots, solutions
- Simplifying Radicals, Radical Operations

#### **Imaginary Numbers**

- Imaginary solutions
- Nature of Solutions (discriminant, on graph)
- Complex number operations

#### Piecewise Functions (revisit linear, introduce quadratic)

- Notation
- Evaluate
- Equation to Graph
- Graph to Equation

# **Quadratics (continued)**

## Applications

- Modeling
- Velocity
- Min/Max, Zeros
- Area (with fence, garden against house, etc.)
- Area (borders)
- Regression
- Revenue
- "Find the Numbers"
- Piecewise Applications

### Systems

- Revisit Solving Linear Systems (3 methods + applications)
- Linear-Quadratic
- Quadratic-Quadratic

### **Quadratic Inequalities (1 variable)**

- Solving Graphically
- Solving Algebraically (test point)

Recursion

2nd finite difference

# **Conics**

Recognize Function vs. Non-Function Distance & Midpoint Circles • Translated center Ellipses • Translated center Hyperbolas • Translated center Systems Classifying Conics

# **Exponents & Radicals**

- Properties of Integer Exponents
- Properties of Rational Exponents
- Converting between Exponent/Radical Notation

### Simplifying Radicals (index >2)

- Understand "2 of a kind" vs. "3 of kind" for simplifying (cubed root vs. square root)
- Rationalize Square Root & Cube Root only

### **Radical Operations**

Addition, Subtraction

### **Graphing Square Roots & Cube Roots**

Transformations

# Exponents & Radicals (continued)

### **Solving Equations**

- Common Base  $2^{x+1} = 8$
- Exponents > 2
- Rational Exponents
- Equations with Radicals
- Extraneous Solutions
- Scientific Notation

### Applications

# **Polynomials**

## **Spiral Function Topics**

- Function Notation
- Evaluating Functions (algebraically, graphically)
- Composition
- Domain & Range
- Operations

### **Characteristics of Polynomials**

- Definition
- Standard Form
- Degree/Name (constant, cubic, quartic, etc.)
- Classify by # of terms

### Polynomial Operations

- Addition, Subtraction
- Multiplication
- Long Division
- Synthetic Division

### Composition

Algebraic manipulations

### **Finding Zeros**

- Factoring
- Synthetic Division
- Inequalities (1 variable)
- Solving Graphically
- Solving Algebraically (test point)

## Graphing Polynomials

- End Behavior
- Transformations
- Multiplicity at Zeros
- Relative/absolute min. and max.
- Write Equation based on Graph
- Applications (including regression)

## Fundamental Theorem of Algebra

- Degree = # Zeros
- Imaginary Solutions occur in pairs

# **Rational Expressions & Equations**

### **Algebraic Manipulations**

- Simplifying Rational Expressions
- Multiplying & Dividing Rational Expressions
- Adding & Subtracting Rational Expressions
- Simplifying Complex Fractions
- Solving Rational Equations

## Inverses

- Introduce by talking about sideways parabola
- Graphic Relationship (reflect over y = x)
- Composition f(g(x)) = g(f(x)) = x
- Algebraically finding Inverses
- Graphs of Square Root and Cube Roots
- Piecewise Functions

# **Matrices**

#### Operations

- Add, Subtract
- Multiply by a Scalar
- Matrix Multiplication (with applications)
- **Inverse & Identity**
- Solving Equations

**Solving Systems** 

Applications

Sequences and Series Introduction to Sequences & Series Arithmetic Sequences & Series Geometric Sequences & Series Recursive rules for Sequences