

**MOUNT HOLLY TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT  
SIXTH GRADE MATHEMATICS CURRICULUM**



**2016 Mathematics Standards with companion June 2020 NJSLS  
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Mathematics Curriculum	Grade 6
<b>Interdisciplinary Connections:</b> The Mathematics Program, My Math/Glencoe Math, links mathematics instruction across multiple disciplines. These interdisciplinary standards are incorporated into each grade level, providing purposeful application and meaningful learning.	
<i>Math Discipline</i>	<i>Connection to other Disciplines</i>
Domain 1: NS. The Number System	<p>NJSLSA.R3. Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.</p> <p>NJSLSA.R7. Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words.</p> <p>NJSLSA.W1. Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL1. Prepare for and participate effectively in a range of conversations and collaborations with diverse partners, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL2. Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL5. Make strategic use of digital media and visual displays of data to express information and enhance understanding</p>

	of presentations.
Domain 2: RP. Ratios and Proportions	<p>NJSLSA.R3. Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.</p> <p>NJSLSA.R7. Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words.</p> <p>NJSLSA.W1. Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL1. Prepare for and participate effectively in a range of conversations and collaborations with diverse partners, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL2. Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL5. Make strategic use of digital media and visual displays of data to express information and enhance understanding of presentations.</p> <p>MS-ESS1-3. Analyze and interpret data to determine scale properties of objects in the solar system.</p>
Domain 3: EE. Expressions and Equations	<p>NJSLSA.R3. Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.</p> <p>NJSLSA.R7. Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words.</p> <p>NJSLSA.W1. Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL1. Prepare for and participate effectively in a range of conversations and collaborations with diverse partners, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL2. Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL5. Make strategic use of digital media and visual displays of data to express information and enhance understanding of presentations.</p> <p>MS-PS1-4. Develop a model that predicts and describes changes in particle motion, temperature, and state of a pure substance when thermal energy is added or removed.</p>

Domain 4: G. Geometry	<p>NJSLSA.R3. Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.</p> <p>NJSLSA.R7. Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words.</p> <p>NJSLSA.W1. Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL1. Prepare for and participate effectively in a range of conversations and collaborations with diverse partners, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL2. Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL5. Make strategic use of digital media and visual displays of data to express information and enhance understanding of presentations.</p>
Domain 5: SP. Statistics and Probability	<p>NJSLSA.R3. Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.</p> <p>NJSLSA.R7. Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words.</p> <p>NJSLSA.W1. Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL1. Prepare for and participate effectively in a range of conversations and collaborations with diverse partners, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL2. Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.</p> <p>NJSLSA.SL5. Make strategic use of digital media and visual displays of data to express information and enhance understanding of presentations.</p> <p>MS-ETS1-3. Analyze data from tests to determine similarities and differences among several design solutions to identify the best characteristics of each that can be combined into a new solution to better meet the criteria for success.</p> <p>MS-LS2-2. Construct an explanation that predicts patterns of interactions among organisms across multiple ecosystems.</p>

<b>Computer Science and Design Thinking</b>	
<b>Core Ideas</b>	<b>Performance Expectations</b>
People use digital devices and tools to automate the collection, use, and transformation of data. The manner in which data is collected and transformed is influenced by the type of digital device(s) available and the intended use of the data.	8.1.8.DA.1: Organize and transform data collected using computational tools to make it usable for a specific purpose.
Computer models can be used to simulate events, examine theories and inferences, or make predictions.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 8.1.8.DA.5: Test, analyze, and refine computational models.</li> <li>• 8.1.8.DA.6: Analyze climate change computational models and propose refinements.</li> </ul>
Individuals design algorithms that are reusable in many situations. Algorithms that are readable are easier to follow, test, and debug.	8.1.8.AP.1: Design and illustrate algorithms that solve complex problems using flowcharts and/or pseudocode.
<b>Career Readiness, Life Literacies, and Key Skills</b>	
<b>Financial Institutions/Psychology</b>	
<b>Core Ideas</b>	<b>Performance Expectations</b>
There are a variety of factors that influence how well suited a financial institution and/or service will be in meeting an individual's financial needs.	9.1.8.FI.1: Identify the factors to consider when selecting various financial service providers. 9.1.8.FI.2: Determine the most appropriate use of various financial products and services to borrow and access money for making purchases (e.g., ATM, debit cards, credit cards, check books, online/mobile banking). 9.1.8.FI.3: Evaluate the most appropriate financial institutions to assist with meeting various personal financial needs and goals.

	9.1.8.FI.4: Analyze the interest rates and fees associated with financial products.
An individual's values and emotions will influence the ability to modify financial behavior (when appropriate), which will impact one's financial well-being.	<p>9.1.8.FP.1: Describe the impact of personal values on various financial scenarios.</p> <p>9.1.8.FP.2: Evaluate the role of emotions, attitudes, and behavior (rational and irrational) in making financial decisions.</p> <p>9.1.8.FP.3: Explain how self-regulation is important to managing money (e.g., delayed gratification, impulse buying, peer pressure, etc.).</p> <p>9.1.8.FP.4: Analyze how familial and cultural values influence savings rates, spending, and other financial decisions.</p> <p>9.1.8.FP.5: Determine how spending, investing, and using credit wisely contributes to financial well-being.</p>
<b>Planning and Budgeting</b>	
A budget aligned with an individual's financial goals can help prepare for life events.	<p>9.1.8.PB.1: Predict future expenses or opportunities that should be included in the budget planning process.</p> <p>9.1.8.PB.2: Explain how different circumstances can affect one's personal budget.</p> <p>9.1.8.PB.3: Explain how to create budget that aligns with financial goals.</p> <p>9.1.8.PB.4: Construct a simple personal savings and spending plan based on various sources of income and different stages of life (e.g. teenager, young adult, family).</p>
Saving money can impact an individual's ability to address emergencies and accomplish their short-and long-term goals.	9.1.5.PB.2: Describe choices consumers have with money (e.g., save, spend, donate).
<b>Career Awareness, Exploration, Preparation, and Training</b>	
An individual's strengths, lifestyle goals, choices, and interests affect employment and income	9.2.8.CAP.1: Identify offerings such as high school and county career and technical school courses, apprenticeships, military

	<p>programs, and dual enrollment courses that support career or occupational areas of interest.</p> <p>9.2.8.CAP.2: Develop a plan that includes information about career areas of interest.</p> <p>9.2.8.CAP.3: Explain how career choices, educational choices, skills, economic conditions, and personal behavior affect income.</p> <p>9.2.8.CAP.4: Explain how an individual's online behavior (e.g., social networking, photo exchanges, video postings) may impact opportunities for employment or advancement.</p>
There are resources to help an individual create a business plan to start or expand a business.	9.2.8.CAP.20: Identify the items to consider when estimating the cost of funding a business.
<b>Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion:</b>	
<b>Culturally Responsive Practices in Mathematics Education:</b> <u><a href="#">8 Powerful Ways to Promote Equity in the Classroom</a></u>  <u><a href="#">Who Do You Call On? Rooting Out Implicit Bias'</a></u>  <u><a href="#">Why Representation Matters</a></u>	
<p>Examining Poverty, Inequity, and Hidden Biases: Lessons addressing financial psychology in Grades 6-8 will include explicit media, lessons, and topics related to the following <b>essential questions</b>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What problems arise when we relate to people as members of a group, rather than as unique individuals?</li> <li>• How do power and privilege shape the relationships people have with each other as well as with institutions?</li> <li>• How is empathy a seed of social action?</li> </ul>	<p>Resources:</p> <p><u><a href="#">Ben DeSoto 'Understanding Poverty' exhibit</a></u></p> <p><u><a href="#">Why Chicken Means So Much to Me</a></u></p> <p><u><a href="#">How Rich are the Super Rich?</a></u></p> <p><u><a href="#">Average Household Income Graphic</a></u></p>



<b>Domain 1: The Number System</b>	
<b>Pacing Guide</b> <b>Grade 6</b> <a href="#">Mathematics Pacing Guide</a>	Chapter 1: Chapter 3: Chapter 4: Chapter 5: Chapter 9:
<b>NJ 2016 Student Learning Standards: Mathematics Grade 6</b>  <u>A. Apply and extend previous understandings of multiplication and division to divide fractions by fractions.</u> 1. Interpret and compute quotients of fractions, and solve word problems involving division of fractions by fractions, e.g., by using visual fraction models and equations to represent the problem. <i>For example, create a story context for <math>(2/3) \div (3/4)</math> and use a visual fraction model to show the quotient; use the relationship between multiplication and division to explain that <math>(2/3) \div (3/4) = 8/9</math> because <math>3/4</math> of <math>8/9</math> is <math>2/3</math>. (In general, <math>(a/b) \div (c/d) = ad/bc</math>). How much chocolate will each person get if 3 people share <math>1/2</math> lb of chocolate equally? How many <math>3/4</math>-cup servings are in <math>2/3</math> of a cup of yogurt? How wide is a rectangular strip of land with length <math>3/4</math> mi and area <math>1/2</math> square mi?</i> <u>B. Compute fluently with multi-digit numbers and find common factors and multiples.</u> 2. Fluently divide multi-digit numbers using the standard algorithm. 3. Fluently add, subtract, multiply, and divide multi-digit decimals using the standard algorithm for each operation. 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. <i>For example, express <math>36 + 8</math> as <math>4(9 + 2)</math>.</i> <u>C. Apply and extend previous understandings of numbers to the system of rational numbers.</u>	

5. Understand that positive and negative numbers are used together to describe quantities having opposite directions or values (e.g., temperature above/below zero, elevation above/below sea level, credits/debits, positive/negative electric charge); use positive and negative numbers to represent quantities in real-world contexts, explaining the meaning of 0 in each situation.
6. 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, e.g.,  $-(-3) = 3$ , 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
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. *For example, interpret  $-3 > -7$  as a statement that  $-3$  is located to the right of  $-7$  on a number line oriented from left to right.*
  - b. Write, interpret, and explain statements of order for rational numbers in real-world contexts. *For example, write  $-3^{\circ}\text{C} > -7^{\circ}\text{C}$  to express the fact that  $-3^{\circ}\text{C}$  is warmer than  $-7^{\circ}\text{C}$ .*
  - 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. *For example, for an account balance of  $-30$  dollars, write  $|-30| = 30$  to describe the size of the debt in dollars.*
  - d. Distinguish comparisons of absolute value from statements about order. *For example, recognize that an account balance less than  $-30$  dollars represents a debt greater than 30 dollars.*
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 distances between points with the same first coordinate or the same second coordinate.

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## **Mathematical Practices**

**MP. The Standards for Mathematical Practice describe varieties of expertise that mathematics educators at all levels**

	<p>should seek to develop in their students.</p> <p><b>highlight appropriate indicators for unit/domain</b></p> <p>MP.1. Make sense of problems and persevere in solving them.</p> <p>MP.2. Reason abstractly and quantitatively.</p> <p>MP.3. Construct viable arguments and critique the reasoning of others.</p> <p>MP.4. Model with mathematics.</p> <p>MP.5. Use appropriate tools strategically.</p> <p>MP.6. Attend to precision.</p> <p>MP.7. Look for and make use of structure.</p> <p>MP.8. Look for and express regularity in repeated reasoning.</p>
<p><b>Career Readiness, Life Literacies, and Key Skills Integration</b>  <b><u>NJSLS - CRLKKS 2020</u></b></p> <p><b>highlight appropriate indicators for unit/domain</b></p> <p>CRLKKS1. Act as a responsible and contributing community members and employee.</p> <p>CRLKKS2. Attend to financial well-being.</p> <p>CRLKKS3. Consider the environmental, social and economic impacts of decisions.</p> <p>CRLKKS4. Demonstrate creativity and innovation.</p> <p>CRLKKS5. Utilize critical thinking to make sense of problems and persevere in solving them</p> <p>CRLKKS6. Model integrity, ethical leadership and effective management.</p> <p>CRLKKS7. Plan education and career paths aligned to personal goals.</p>	<p><b>21<sup>st</sup> Century Student Outcomes</b>  <a href="http://www.battelleforkids.org/networks/p21">http://www.battelleforkids.org/networks/p21</a></p> <p><b>Learning and Innovation Skills</b>  <b>highlight appropriate indicators for unit/domain</b></p> <p>Think Creatively</p> <p>Work Creatively with Others</p> <p>Implement Innovations</p> <p>Reason effectively</p> <p>Use Systems Thinking</p> <p>Make Judgments and Decisions</p> <p>Solve Problems</p> <p>Communicate Clearly</p> <p>Collaborate with Others</p> <p><b>Life and Career Skills</b>  <b>highlight appropriate indicators for unit/domain</b></p> <p>Adapt to Change</p>

<p>CRLK8. Use technology to enhance productivity increase collaboration and communicate effectively. persevere in solving them.</p> <p>CRLK9. Work productively in teams while using cultural/global competence.</p>	<p>Be Flexible</p> <p>Manage Goals and Time</p> <p>Work Independently</p> <p>Be Self-directed Learners</p> <p>Interact Effectively with Others</p> <p>Work Effectively in Diverse Teams</p>
<p><b>Enduring Understandings</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rational numbers can be represented in multiple ways and are useful when examining situations involving numbers that are not whole.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Essential Questions</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In what ways can rational numbers be useful?</li> </ul>
<p><b>Content Knowledge</b></p> <p>The Number Line</p> <p>Prime Factorization</p> <p>Common Factor and Multiples</p>	<p><b>Skills</b></p> <p>Represent whole numbers, fractions and decimals on a number line.</p> <p>Interpret and write statements of inequalities for two given positive numbers using the symbols <math>&gt;</math> and <math>&lt;</math>.</p> <p>Describe the relative position of two numbers on a number line when given an inequality.</p> <p>Show and explain why every rational number can be represented by a point on a number line.</p> <p>Express a whole number as a product of its prime factors.</p> <p>Find all factors of any given number, less than or equal to 100.</p> <p>Find the greatest common factor of any town numbers less than or equal to 100.</p> <p>Create a list of multiples for any number less than or equal to 2.</p>

	<p>Find the least common multiple of any two numbers, less than or equal to 12.</p> <p>Use the distributive property to rewrite a simple addition problem when the addends have a common factor.</p>
Square and Square Roots	<p>Find the square of a number.</p> <p>Find the square root of a perfect square.</p> <p>Explain the meaning of a number raised to a power.</p> <p>Write numerical expressions involving whole number exponents.</p>
Negative Numbers	<p>Describe and give examples of how positive or negative numbers are used to describe quantities having opposite directions or opposite values.</p> <p>Recognize that positive and negative signs represent opposite values and/or directions.</p> <p>Explain that the number zero is the point at which direction or value will change.</p> <p>Use positive and negative numbers along with zero to represent real world situations.</p> <p>Describe the relative position of two numbers on a number line when given an inequality.</p> <p>Interpret a given inequality in terms of real life situations.</p>
Absolute Value and Opposites	<p>Define absolute value as it applies to a number line.</p> <p>Describe absolute value as the magnitude of the number line in a real-world situation.</p> <p>Compare between using a signed number and using an absolute value when referring to real- world situations.</p> <p>Plot a number and its opposite on a number line and recognize that they are equidistant from zero.</p> <p>Find the opposite of any given number, including zero.</p>

Dividing Fractions.	<p>Use a visual model to represent the division of a fraction by a fraction.</p> <p>Divide fractions by fractions using an algorithm or mathematical reasoning.</p> <p>Justify the quotient of a division problem by relating it to a multiplication problem.</p> <p>Use mathematical reasoning to justify the standard algorithm for fractional division.</p> <p>Solve real life problems involving the division of fractions and interpret the quotient in the context of the problem.</p> <p>Create story contexts for problems involving the division of a fraction by a fraction.</p>
Multiplying Decimals	Multiply a decimal by a decimal.
Dividing Decimals.	Divide a whole number or decimal by a decimal.
Add, subtract, multiply and divide with decimals.	Add, subtract, multiply and divide multi-digit decimals using the standard algorithm for each operation.
<b>Primary and Supplementary Resources</b>  <b>Glencoe Math Resources</b> Chapter 1: Lessons 1 Chapter 3: Lessons 1-8; Problem Solving Investigation Chapter 4: Lessons 1-4, 6-7; Problem Solving Investigation Chapter 5: Lessons 1-7, Problem Solving Investigation Chapter 9: Lesson 5  <a href="#">Glencoe Math Online Resources</a>	

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### **NJSLA Mathematics Operational Evidence Statements**

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/18M5r1jk4P729fTpAlWAzrw1gE6tken233I-Yk0U712M/edit#gid=554025491>

### **NJSLA Released Items**

<https://nj.digitalitemlibrary.com/home>

<https://resources.newmeridiancorp.org/>

### **6<sup>th</sup> grade Flip Book:**

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1xo9KBqKpffgleaEj4UKvC1PnAI02O7eV/view?usp=sharing>

### **Illustrative Mathematics**

#### **iReady**

*i-Ready* makes differentiated instruction a practical reality for teachers and students. *i-Ready*:

- integrates powerful assessments and rich insights with effective and engaging instruction in reading and mathematics to address students' individual needs.
- empowers teachers every day to make more informed instructional decisions.
- motivates students with access to their own personalized path to growth.

#### **XtraMath**

- This program helps students practice their math facts for addition, subtraction, multiplication, and addition.
- Can individualize the fluency skills for each student.
- Can run reports to determine progress.

#### **Scholastic Study Jams**

- Fun videos which explain common mathematics concepts.
- Questions at the end of the video reinforce the concepts.

#### **Khan Academy**

- a set of online tools that help educate students. The organization produces short lessons in the form of YouTube videos.
- Its website also includes supplementary practice exercises and materials for educators.

**101 Math Discourse Questions:**

[http://www.casamples.com/downloads/100MathDiscourseQuestions\\_Printable.pdf](http://www.casamples.com/downloads/100MathDiscourseQuestions_Printable.pdf)

**Asking Effective Questions**

[http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/eng/literacynumeracy/inspire/research/CBS\\_AskingEffectiveQuestions.pdf](http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/eng/literacynumeracy/inspire/research/CBS_AskingEffectiveQuestions.pdf)

**Fluency Support for Grades 6-8**

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1rNBWYvsveLgDm3JwOx1AceliH4aKonyR/view?usp=sharing>

**Achieve the Core Coherence Map**

<https://achievethecore.org/coherence-map/6>

**Assessments:**

- Pre-Assessments
- Quizzes
- Mid Chapter Assessments
- End of Chapter Assessments
- Performance Tasks
- Benchmark Tests

**Differentiation in the Mathematics Classroom****Special Education Students**

- Chunk content
- Small group instruction
- Notes packets/graphic organizers provided
- Anchor charts/multiplication charts/reference sheets provided
- Calculators provided as needed
- Modified assessments/assignments and extra time given
- YouTube clips used to supplement content visually

**English Language Learners**

- Create Vocabulary Banks
- Use manipulatives
- Modify teacher talk and practice wait time
- Elicit nonverbal responses, like a thumbs up or down
- Use sentence frames
- Comprehensible input
- Contextualized instruction
- A low-anxiety learning environment



<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Number Lines</li> <li>➤ Vocabulary Enrichment</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Meaningful engagement in learning activities</li> </ul>
<b>At-Risk Students</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Reduce the number of problems given</li> <li>➤ Provide calculators</li> <li>➤ Give extra time</li> </ul>	<b>504 Students</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Provide a checklist of the steps needed to complete the problem</li> <li>➤ Provide place value charts</li> <li>➤ Provide lots of white-space to make it less busy</li> <li>➤ If still struggling, reteach and retest</li> </ul>
<b>Gifted and Talented Students</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Use more-challenging numbers</li> <li>➤ Add additional steps by combining standards</li> <li>➤ Introduce the next-grade-level standard</li> <li>➤ Know Their Interests – Start by having students complete an interest inventory like this one <a href="#">Student Interest Survey</a></li> <li>➤ Keep Them Active - Gifted students often need to have the ability to move when learning</li> <li>➤ Offer Flexible Seating - Try to offer different seating options for students: beanbag chairs, carpet squares, pillows, director chairs ... the list can go on and on.</li> <li>➤ Share Current Events - <a href="#">Current events</a> are important to incorporate into gifted programming. We want these students to be thinking about how they can use their talents to solve real-world problems.</li> <li>➤ Practice Like Professionals - Allow students to practice like the professionals. Use the same processes that professionals use.</li> <li>➤ Locate Authentic Audiences - The work students create should have a real audience and be appreciated by those who authentically would benefit from its completion. Younger students are a great first authentic audience.</li> </ul>	

<b>Domain 2: Ratios and Proportional Relationships</b>	
<b>Pacing Guide</b> <b>Grade 6</b> <a href="#">Mathematics Pacing Guide</a>	Chapter 1: Chapter 2: Chapter 3: Chapter 7:

## NJ 2016 Student Learning Standards: Mathematics Grade 6

### A. Understand ratio concepts and use ratio reasoning to solve problems.

1. Understand the concept of a ratio and use ratio language to describe a ratio relationship between two quantities. For example, “The ratio of wings to beaks in the bird house at the zoo was 2:1, because for every 2 wings there was 1 beak.” “For every vote candidate A received, candidate C received nearly three votes.”

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. For example, “This recipe has a ratio of 3 cups of flour to 4 cups of sugar, so there is  $\frac{3}{4}$  cup of flour for each cup of sugar.” “We paid \$75 for 15 hamburgers, which is a rate of \$5 per hamburger.”<sup>1</sup>

3. Use ratio and rate reasoning to solve real-world and mathematical problems, e.g., by reasoning about tables of equivalent ratios, tape diagrams, double number line diagrams, or equations.

a. Make tables of equivalent ratios relating quantities with whole number measurements, find 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. For example, if it took 7 hours to mow 4 lawns, then at that rate, how many lawns could be mowed in 35 hours? At what rate were lawns being mowed?

c. Find a percent of a quantity as a rate per 100 (e.g., 30% of a quantity means  $30/100$  times the quantity); solve problems involving finding 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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