

# 7-12 Mathematics

Philosophy and Proposed Planned Courses 2019-2020



# **Mission Statement for K-12 Mathematics**

Empowering students to problem solve, innovate, and communicate mathematically to understand the world around them and seize tomorrow's opportunities.



# **Guiding Principles for K-12 Mathematics**

### Students will be able to...

- be flexible mathematical thinkers by generating and connecting various mathematical representations and concepts.
- look for, recognize, and use structure and patterns.
- apply and transfer mathematical knowledge, skills, and strategies to new and real world situations.
- reason abstractly and quantitatively.
- engage in mathematical discourse and communicate thinking using appropriate mathematical language and vocabulary.
- make sense of problems and persevere in solving them.
- reflect and revise thinking to ensure reasonable solutions.
- model with mathematics.
- attend to precision.
- select and use appropriate tools strategically in order to deepen understanding of concepts.
- construct viable arguments and critique the reasoning of others.
- demonstrate both a conceptual understanding of mathematics and procedural fluency.



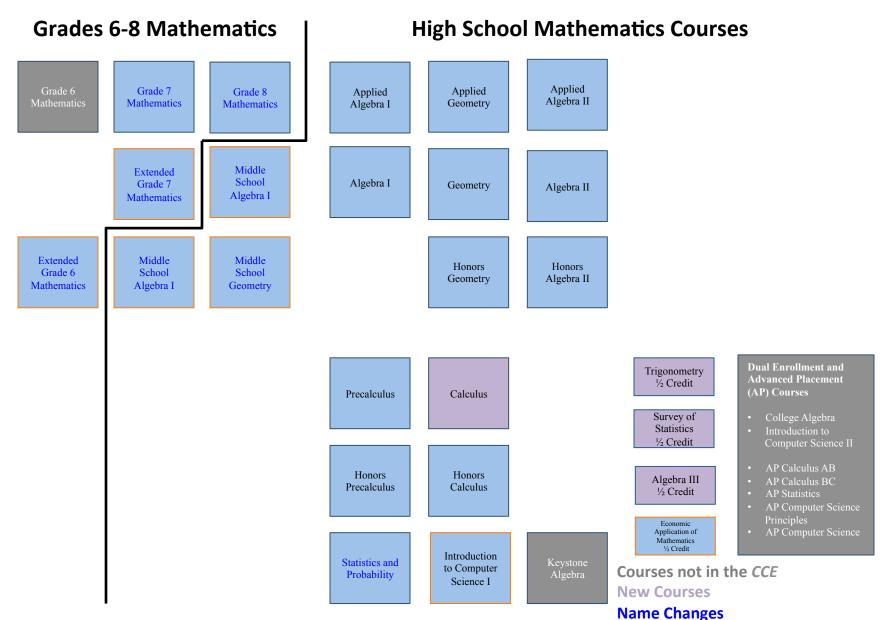
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# **Best Practices for K-12 Mathematics**

### Teachers will...

- promote the joy, wonder, and beauty of mathematics.
- develop a learning environment that promotes productive struggle, risk taking, self-efficacy, and resilience.
- use and promote the use of a variety of mathematical representations (i.e. concrete, representational, abstract, verbal, and contextual).
- use goals to engage students in discussion about what they are learning and why they are learning it.
- use focused and leveled questioning to engage students in higher order thinking.
- provide opportunities for students to engage with authentic problem solving and challenging tasks.
- provide opportunities for students to acquire conceptual and procedural knowledge.
- provide opportunities for students to construct knowledge through mathematical discourse.
- provide opportunities for students to make sense of problems, analyze their thinking, and revise their work.
- provide opportunities for students to make connections with prior knowledge and build upon current understanding.
- help students develop metacognitive awareness.
- provide students with mathematical tools (including manipulatives), model their use, and encourage students to select appropriate tools strategically.
- provide opportunities for students to develop number sense.
- reinforce the use of precise mathematical language and vocabulary.
- help students embrace and learn from their mistakes.
- provide differentiated classroom instruction driven by assessment to meet the needs of all learners.

# **Overview of Proposed Courses**



Moderate realignment of standards



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# 7-12 Mathematics 2-Year Implementation Plan

	Year 1 2019-2020	Year 2 2020-2021
Intermediate School	Implement: • Extended Grade 6 Mathematics*	
Middle School	Implement:  • Grade 7 Mathematics  • Grade 8 Mathematics  • Extended Grade 7 Mathematics*  • Middle School Algebra I*  • Middle School Geometry  Continue:  • 8th Grade Algebra IB  Phase out:  • 7th Grade Algebra IA	Phase out: • 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Algebra IB
High School	Implement:  • Applied Algebra I  • Algebra I  • Applied Geometry  • Geometry  • Honors Geometry  • Applied Algebra II  • Algebra II  • Honors Algebra II  • Precalculus  • Honors Precalculus  • Statistics and Probability  • Calculus  • Honors Calculus  • Introduction to Computer Science I  Continue:  • Finite Math	Implement:  • Algebra III  • Trigonometry  • Economic Applications of Mathematics  • Survey of Statistics
		Phase out: • Finite Math

<sup>\*</sup> Upon Board approval, prerequisites that include placement recommendations will be phased in as cohorts of students progress through grade levels.



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# **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Grade 7 Mathematics

### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the follow Domains of the PA Core Standards:

7.RPA Ratios and Proportional Relationships

7.NS The Number System

7.EE Expressions and Equations

7.G Geometry

7.SP Statistics and Probability

### **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

GRADE 7 MATHEMATICS focuses on five mathematical domains: (1) Ratios and Proportional Relationships, (2) The Number System, (3) Expressions and Equations, (4) Geometry, and (5) Statistics and Probability. Students will extend their understanding of ratios and develop understanding of proportionality to solve single- and multi-step problems. They will develop an understanding of operations with rational numbers while working with expressions and linear equations. Students will solve problems involving scale drawings and informal geometric constructions, including working with two- and three-dimensional shape to solve problems involving area, surface area, and volume. Additionally, students will draw inferences about populations based on samples.

# Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Grade 7 Mathematics.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

### **Estimated Instructional Time:**

Approximately 46 minutes per day for one school year

# Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Universal Screener
- Progress Monitoring
- Diagnostic Assessments
- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

### **Resources:**

### **Student Text Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life Common Core Grade* 7. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version
- Student Journal

### **Teacher Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life Common Core Grade* 7. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Teacher's Guide Printed Version with Online Access
- Assessment Book
- Resources by Chapter
- Rich Math Tasks
- Skills Review Handbook

## **Technology:**

District approved supplemental technology

### Other Resources:

Manipulatives

Teacher created resources

District approved supplemental resources



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# **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Grade 8 Mathematics

### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the follow Domains of the PA Core Standards:

8.NS The Number System

8.EE Expressions and Equations

8.F Functions 8.G Geometry

8.SP Statistics and Probability

### **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

GRADE 8 MATHEMATICS focuses on five mathematical domains: (1) The Number System, (2) Expressions and Equations, (3) Functions, (4) Geometry, and (5) Statistics and Probability. Students will focus on formulating and reasoning about expressions and equations. This will include modeling an association in bivariate data with a linear equation, and solving linear equations, as well as systems of linear equations. Students will build an understanding of a function and work with using functions to describe quantitative relationships. Additionally, two-and three dimensional space and figures using distance, angle, similarity, and congruence will be explored. Students will develop an understanding of and ability to apply the Pythagorean Theorem.

# Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Grade 8 Mathematics.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

### **Estimated Instructional Time:**

Approximately 46 minutes per day for one school year

# Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Universal Screener
- Progress Monitoring
- Diagnostic Assessments
- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

### **Resources:**

### **Student Text Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life Common Core Grade 8*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

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- Student Text Online Version
- Student Journal

### **Teacher Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life Common Core Grade 8*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

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- Assessment Book
- Resources by Chapter
- Rich Math Tasks
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## **Technology:**

District approved supplemental technology

### Other Resources:

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# **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Extended Grade 6 Mathematics

### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

6.RPA Ratios & Proportional Relationships

6.NS The Number System6.EE Expressions & Equations

6.G Geometry

6.SPA Statistics & Probability

7.RPA Ratios and Proportional Relationships

7.NS The Number System

7.EE Expressions and Equations

7.G Geometry

7.SP Statistics and Probability

### **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

EXTENDED GRADE 6 MATHEMATICS is an accelerated course that addresses mathematical content from Grade 6 and Grade 7. Instruction will focus on five critical areas of the Grade 6 and 7 content. (1) Ratio and Proportional Relationships: Students will connect ratio and rate to whole number multiplication and division and use these concepts to solve problems. They will extend their understanding of ratios and develop understanding of proportionality to solve single-and multi-step problems. (2) Numbers and Operations: Students will complete an understanding of division of fractions. They will also extend the idea of numbers to the system of rational numbers, which includes negative numbers. (3) Expressions and Equations: Students will learn to write expressions and equations that correspond to given situations, as well as use expressions and formulas to solve problems. They will develop an understanding of operations with rational numbers while working with expressions and linear equations. (4) Geometry: Students will solve problems involving scale drawings and informal geometric constructions, including working with two- and three-dimensional shape to solve problems involving area, surface area, and volume. (5) Statistics and Probability: Students will begin to develop their ability to think

statistically, recognize data distribution, and measures of variability. Additionally, students will draw inferences about populations based on data samples.

# **Prerequisite(s):**

• Placement recommendation based on a holistic review of both student achievement and growth data

### Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Extended Grade 6 Mathematics.

# **Instructional Strategies:**

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

# **Estimated Instructional Time:**

Approximately 90 minutes per day for one school year

# Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Universal Screener
- Progress Monitoring
- Diagnostic Assessments
- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

### **Resources:**

### **Student Text Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life Common Core Grade 6 and Grade 7*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version
- Student Journal

### **Teacher Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life Common Core Grade 6 and Grade 7*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Teacher's Guide Printed Version with Online Access
- Assessment Book
- Resources by Chapter
- Rich Math Tasks
- Skills Review Handbook

### **Technology:**

• District approved supplemental technology

- Manipulatives
- Teacher created resources
- District approved supplemental resources



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## **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Extended Grade 7 Mathematics

### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

7.RPA Ratios and Proportional Relationships

7.NS The Number System

7.EE Expressions and Equations

7.G Geometry

7.SP Statistics and Probability

8.NS The Number System

8.EE Expressions and Equations

8.F Functions 8.G Geometry

8.SP Statistics and Probability

# **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

EXTENDED GRADE 7 MATHEMATICS is an accelerated course that addresses mathematical content from Grade 7 and Grade 8. Instruction will focus on five mathematical domains of Grade 7 and 8 content. (1) Ratios and Proportional Relationships: Students will extend their understanding of ratios and develop understanding of proportionality to solve single- and multistep problems. (2) The Number System: Students will develop an understanding of operations with rational numbers while working with expressions and linear equations. (3) Expressions and Equations: Students will focus on formulating and reasoning with expressions and equations. This will include modeling an association using a linear equation and solving linear equations. Students will build an understanding of a function and work with using functions to describe quantitative relationships. (4) Geometry: Students will solve problems involving scale drawings and informal geometric constructions, including working with two- and three-dimensional shape to solve problems involving area, surface area, and volume. Additionally, two- and three-dimensional space and figures using distance, angle, similarity, and congruence will be explored.

Student will also develop an understanding of and ability to apply the Pythagorean Theorem. (5) Statistics and Probability: Students will draw inferences about populations based on data samples.

## **Prerequisite(s):**

• Placement recommendation based on a holistic review of both student achievement and growth data

# Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Extended Grade 7 Mathematics.

## **Instructional Strategies:**

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

# **Estimated Instructional Time:**

Approximately 46 minutes per day for one school year

### Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Universal Screener
- Progress Monitoring
- Diagnostic Assessments
- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

### **Resources:**

### **Student Text Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life Common Core Grade 7 Advanced*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version
- Student Journal

### **Teacher Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life Common Core Grade 7 Advanced*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Teacher's Guide Printed Version with Online Access
- Assessment Book
- Resources by Chapter
- Rich Math Tasks

### Technology:

• District approved supplemental technology

- Manipulatives
- Teacher created resources
- District approved supplemental resources



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# **Planned Course for Mathematics**

Course: Middle School Algebra I

### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

8.EE Expressions and Equations

8.F Functions 8.G Geometry

8.SP Statistics and Probability

HS.F Number and Quantity

HS.D Algebra HS.C Functions

HS.B Statistics and Probability

### **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

MIDDLE SCHOOL ALGEBRA I is an accelerated course that addresses mathematical content from Grade 8 and High School Algebra I. Instruction focuses on developing students' skills and accuracy in algebraic techniques and their applications. This course is designed to develop understanding of the real number system. It includes a study of number properties, formulating and reasoning about expressions and linear equations and inequalities, as well as systems of equations and inequalities. Students will use functions to describe quantitative relationships and model an association in bivariate data. In addition, students will explore polynomials and work with quadratics. Additionally, two- and three-dimensional space and figures using distance, angle, similarity, and congruence will be explored. Students will develop an understanding of and ability to apply the Pythagorean Theorem. Emphasis is placed on the development of conceptual understanding, logical reasoning, problem solving, and procedural fluency. Concepts are developed through authentic applications. This is a Keystone course where students are required to take the Keystone Algebra I exam at the end of the course.

# **Prerequisite(s):**

- Successful completion of Extended Grade 6 Mathematics or Extended Grade 7 Mathematics; OR
- Successful completion of Grade 7 Mathematics and placement recommendation based on a holistic review of both student achievement and growth data

## Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Middle School Algebra I.

# **Instructional Strategies:**

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

### **Estimated Instructional Time:**

Approximately 46 minutes per day for one school year

# Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Universal Screener
- Progress Monitoring
- Diagnostic Assessments
- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

## **Resources:**

### **Student Text Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Algebra I*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version
- Student Journal

### **Teacher Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Algebra I*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Teacher's Guide Printed Version with Online Access
- Assessment Book
- Resources by Chapter

#### Technology:

• District approved supplemental technology

- Manipulatives
- Teacher created resources
- District approved supplemental resources



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# **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Middle School Geometry

### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

HS.A Geometry HS.C Functions

# **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

MIDDLE SCHOOL GEOMETRY focuses on developing an understanding of the attributes and relationships of geometric objects. This course is designed for students who have achieved high levels in math. It provides an integrated study of congruence, similarity, geometric transformations, geometric measurement and dimension, right triangles, introductory trigonometry, circles, parallelism, and spatial relationships. Both abstract and practical aspects of geometry are addressed. Throughout this course, inductive and deductive reasoning are emphasized in both mathematical and non-mathematical situations. The major principles of logic are emphasized, while developing the method and meaning of mathematical proof. Students will construct conditional statements, conjectures, and written justifications. Both direct and indirect proofs are used to provide an understanding of two- and three-dimensional relationships. Summer work is required for this course.

### **Prerequisite(s):**

Successful completion of Middle School Algebra I

# Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Geometry.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

# **Estimated Instructional Time:**

Approximately 46 minutes per day for one school year

# Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Universal Screener
- Progress Monitoring
- Diagnostic Assessments
- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

### **Resources:**

### **Student Text Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Geometry*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC. 2019.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version
- Student Journal

### **Teacher Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Geometry. Big Ideas Learning, LLC. 2019.

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- Assessment Book
- Resources by Chapter

## **Technology:**

- Scientific calculator
- District approved supplemental technology

- Manipulatives
- Teacher created resources
- District approved supplemental resources



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# **Planned Course for Mathematics**

Course: Applied Algebra I

### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

HS.F Number and Quantity

HS.D Algebra HS.C Functions

HS.B Statistics and Probability

### **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

APPLIED ALGEBRA I focuses on developing students' skills and accuracy in algebraic techniques and their applications. There is an emphasis on the connection between theory, practical, and technical skills necessary to be successful in life. This course includes a study of number properties, equations, inequalities, polynomials, and linear functions. Concepts are developed in a flexible, application-based mode that provides for hands-on understanding of the relationships of algebraic concepts through authentic applications. Emphasis is placed on the development of conceptual understanding, logical reasoning, problem solving, and procedural fluency. This is a Keystone course where students are required to take the Keystone Algebra I exam at the end of the course. Throughout the course, students will be enrolled in a mandatory Spartan Period for Keystone Algebra I exam preparation.

## Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Algebra I.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

### **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one school year

# Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

#### **Resources:**

### **Student Text Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Algebra I.* Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version
- Student Journal

### **Teacher Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Algebra I*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Teacher's Guide Printed Version with Online Access
- Assessment Book
- Resources by Chapter

### **Technology:**

• District approved supplemental technology

- Manipulatives
- Teacher created resources
- District approved supplemental resources



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# **Planned Course for Mathematics**

Course: Algebra I

### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

HS.F Number and Quantity

HS.D Algebra HS.C Functions

HS.B Statistics and Probability

### **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

ALGEBRA I focuses on developing students' skills and accuracy in algebraic techniques and their applications. This course is designed to develop understanding of the real number system. It includes a study of number properties, equations, inequalities, polynomials, and linear functions. Emphasis is placed on the development of conceptual understanding, logical reasoning, problem solving, and procedural fluency. Concepts are developed through authentic applications. This is a Keystone course where students are required to take the Keystone Algebra I exam at the end of the course. Throughout the course, students will be enrolled in a mandatory Spartan Period for Keystone Algebra I exam preparation.

### **Prerequisite(s):**

• Earn a minimum grade of a C in Grade 8 Mathematics

# Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Algebra I.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

# **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one school year

# Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

### **Resources:**

### **Student Text Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Algebra I.* Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

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- Student Text Online Version
- Student Journal

### **Teacher Resources:**

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- Assessment Book
- Resources by Chapter

### **Technology:**

• District approved supplemental technology

- Manipulatives
- Teacher created resources
- District approved supplemental resources



# SOUTHERN LEHIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 5775 Main Street

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# **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Applied Geometry

### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

HS.A Geometry HS.C Functions

# **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

APPLIED GEOMETRY utilizes an investigative approach to develop an understanding of the attributes and relationships of geometric objects. It provides an integrated study of congruence, similarity, geometric transformations, geometric measurement and dimension, right triangles, introductory trigonometry, circles, parallelism, and spatial relationships. Both abstract and practical aspects of geometry are addressed. Throughout this course, inductive and deductive reasoning are emphasized in both mathematical and non-mathematical situations. Students will construct conditional statements and conjectures.

### **Prerequisite(s):**

• Successful completion of an Algebra I course

# Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Geometry.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

### **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one school year

# Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments

- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

### **Resources:**

### **Student Text Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Geometry*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

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- Student Text Online Version
- Student Journal

### **Teacher Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Geometry*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Teacher's Guide Printed Version with Online Access
- Assessment Book
- Resources by Chapter

### **Technology:**

- Scientific calculator
- District approved supplemental technology

- Manipulatives
- Teacher created resources
- District approved supplemental resources



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# **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Geometry

### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

HS.A Geometry HS.C Functions

# **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

GEOMETRY utilizes an investigative approach to develop an understanding of the attributes and relationships of geometric objects. It provides an integrated study of congruence, similarity, geometric transformations, geometric measurement and dimension, right triangles, introductory trigonometry, circles, parallelism, and spatial relationships. Both abstract and practical aspects of geometry are addressed. Throughout this course, inductive and deductive reasoning are emphasized in both mathematical and non-mathematical situations. Students will construct conditional statements, conjectures, and written justifications. Additionally, students will explore an introduction to geometric proofs.

# **Prerequisite(s):**

• Earn a minimum grade of a B in Applied Algebra I, a C in Algebra I, or successful completion of Middle School Algebra I

# Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Geometry.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

### **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one school year

# Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

### **Resources:**

### **Student Text Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Geometry*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version
- Student Journal

### **Teacher Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Geometry*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Teacher's Guide Printed Version with Online Access
- Assessment Book
- Resources by Chapter

### **Technology:**

- Scientific calculator
- District approved supplemental technology

- Manipulatives
- Teacher created resources
- District approved supplemental resources



# **SOUTHERN LEHIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT** 5775 Main Street

Center Valley, PA 18034

# **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Honors Geometry

### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

HS.A Geometry HS.C Functions

# **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

HONORS GEOMETRY focuses on developing an understanding of the attributes and relationships of geometric objects. This course is designed for students who have achieved high levels in math. It provides an integrated study of congruence, similarity, geometric transformations, geometric measurement and dimension, right triangles, introductory trigonometry, circles, parallelism, and spatial relationships. Both abstract and practical aspects of geometry are addressed. Throughout this course, inductive and deductive reasoning are emphasized in both mathematical and non-mathematical situations. The major principles of logic are emphasized, while developing the method and meaning of mathematical proof. Students will construct conditional statements, conjectures, and written justifications. Both direct and indirect proofs are used to provide an understanding of two- and three-dimensional relationships. Summer work is required for this course.

### **Prerequisite(s):**

• Earn a minimum grade of an A- in Algebra I or an A- in Middle School Algebra I

# Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Geometry.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

### **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one school year

# Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

### **Resources:**

### **Student Text Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Geometry*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version
- Student Journal

### **Teacher Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Geometry*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Teacher's Guide Printed Version with Online Access
- Assessment Book
- Resources by Chapter

### **Technology:**

- Scientific calculator
- District approved supplemental technology

- Manipulatives
- Teacher created resources
- District approved supplemental resources



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## **Planned Course for Mathematics**

Course: Applied Algebra II

### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

HS.F Number and Quantity

HS.D Algebra HS.C Functions

HS.B Statistics and Probability

### **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

In APPLIED ALGEBRA II students will apply their prior mathematical knowledge to develop a more extensive understanding of algebraic concepts. There is an emphasis on the connection between theory, practical, and technical skills necessary to be successful in life. Topics will focus on the study of the complex number system, properties of linear and non-linear functions and their graphs, equations and inequalities, as well as statistics and probability. Students will be introduced to matrices and determinants to aid in the solution of systems of equations with multiple variables. Concepts are developed in a flexible, application-based mode that provides for hands-on understanding of the relationships of algebraic concepts through authentic applications.

### **Prerequisite(s):**

• Successful completion of a Geometry course

# Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Algebra II.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

### **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one school year

# Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

#### **Resources:**

### **Student Text Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Algebra II*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version
- Student Journal

### **Teacher Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Algebra II*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Teacher's Guide Printed Version with Online Access
- Assessment Book
- Resources by Chapter

### **Technology:**

- Scientific calculator
- District approved supplemental technology

- Manipulatives
- Teacher created resources
- District approved supplemental resources



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## **Planned Course for Mathematics**

Course: Algebra II

### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

HS.F Number and Quantity

HS.D Algebra HS.C Functions

HS.B Statistics and Probability

# **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

In ALGEBRA II students will apply their prior mathematical knowledge to develop a more extensive understanding of algebraic concepts. Topics will focus on the study of the complex number system, properties of linear and non-linear functions and their graphs, equations and inequalities, as well as statistics and probability. Students will be introduced to matrices and determinants to aid in the solution of systems of equations with multiple variables.

### **Prerequisite(s):**

• Earn a minimum grade of a B in Applied Geometry, a C in Geometry, or successful completion of Middle School Geometry

# Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Algebra II.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

# **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one school year

# Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

#### **Resources:**

### **Student Text Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Algebra II*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version
- Student Journal

### **Teacher Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Algebra II*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Teacher's Guide Printed Version with Online Access
- Assessment Book
- Resources by Chapter

### **Technology:**

- Scientific calculator
- District approved supplemental technology

- Manipulatives
- Teacher created resources
- District approved supplemental resources



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## **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Honors Algebra II

### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

HS.F Number and Quantity

HS.D Algebra HS.C Functions

HS.B Statistics and Probability

# **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

HONORS ALGEBRA II is designed for students who have earned high levels of achievement in mathematics. Students will apply their prior mathematical knowledge to develop a more extensive understanding of algebraic concepts. Topics will focus on an in-depth study of the complex number system, properties of linear and non-linear functions and their graphs, equations and inequalities, as well as statistics and probability. Students will be introduced to matrices and determinants to aid in the solution of systems of equations with multiple variables. Periodic functions and trigonometry will be studied while utilizing the unit circle in degrees and radians. Summer work is required for this course.

### **Prerequisite(s):**

- Earn a minimum grade of an A in Geometry, an A- in Honors Geometry, or a B+ in Middle School Geometry; AND
- Earn a minimum grade of an A in Applied Algebra I, an A- in Algebra I, or successful completion of Middle School Algebra I

# Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Algebra II.

# **Instructional Strategies:**

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

### **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one school year

# Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

# **Resources:**

### **Student Text Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. *Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Algebra II*. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version
- Student Journal

### **Teacher Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Laurie Boswell. Big Ideas Math: A Common Core Curriculum Algebra II. Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2019.

- Teacher's Guide Printed Version with Online Access
- Assessment Book
- Resources by Chapter

### Technology:

- Graphing calculator
- District approved supplemental technology

- Manipulatives
- Teacher created resources
- District approved supplemental resources



# **SOUTHERN LEHIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT** 5775 Main Street Center Valley, PA 18034

## **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Precalculus

### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

HS.F Number and Quantity

HS.D Algebra HS.C Functions HS.A Geometry

# **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

PRECALCULUS is designed to prepare students for the study of calculus. A more complex understanding of prior mathematical knowledge will be applied to algebraic and geometric concepts. Content will include linear, polynomial, rational, exponential, logarithmic, and trigonometric functions, as well as their graphs. The six trigonometric functions will be investigated. Students will deepen their knowledge of systems, matrices and determinants.

### Prerequisite(s):

• Earn a minimum grade of an A in Applied Algebra II, a B in Algebra II, or successful completion of Honors Algebra II

# Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Precalculus.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

# **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one school year

# Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments

- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

### **Resources:**

### **Student Text Resources:**

Blitzer, Robert. Precalculus, 6th Edition. Pearson, 2018.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version

### **Teacher Resources:**

Blitzer, Robert. Precalculus, 6th Edition. Pearson, 2018.

- Teacher's Guide Printed Version
- Solutions Manual

### **Technology:**

Scientific calculator

District approved supplemental technology

### **Other Resources:**

Manipulatives

Teacher created resources

District approved supplemental resources



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## **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Honors Precalculus

#### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

HS.F Number and Quantity

HS.D Algebra HS.C Functions HS.A Geometry

## **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

HONORS PRECALCULUS is designed for students who have earned high levels of achievement in mathematics. This course is designed to prepare students for the study of calculus. A more complex understanding of prior mathematical knowledge will be applied to algebraic and geometric concepts. Content will include linear, polynomial, rational, exponential, logarithmic, and trigonometric functions, as well as their graphs. The six trigonometric functions will be investigated. Students will deepen their knowledge of systems, matrices and determinants. Additional topics in analytic geometry, conics and polar coordinates, sequences and series, limits and continuity will be investigated. Summer work is required for this course.

#### **Prerequisite(s):**

• Earn a minimum grade of an A- in Algebra II or a B+ in Honors Algebra II

## Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Precalculus.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

## **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one school year

## Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments

- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

#### **Resources:**

#### **Student Text Resources:**

Blitzer, Robert. Precalculus, 6th Edition. Pearson, 2018.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version

#### **Teacher Resources:**

Blitzer, Robert. Precalculus, 6th Edition. Pearson, 2018.

- Teacher's Guide Printed Version
- Solutions Manual

#### **Technology:**

Scientific and graphing calculator
District approved supplemental technology

#### Other Resources:



## SOUTHERN LEHIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 5775 Main Street Center Valley, PA 18034

## **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Calculus

#### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to a selection of Learning Objectives and Essential Knowledge in the following Big Ideas from the 2016 College Board Framework for AP Calculus AB and AP Calculus BC:

- 1 Limits
- 2 Derivatives
- 3 Integrals and Fundamental Theorem of Calculus

## **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

CALCULUS is designed for students who are interested in an introduction to basic calculus concepts. Content focuses on functions, limits, methods and applications of differentiation. Students who may want to take calculus in college would benefit from taking this course.

## **Prerequisite(s):**

Successful completion of a Precalculus course

## Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to a selection of Learning Objectives and Essential Knowledge from the 2016 College Board Framework for AP Calculus AB and AP Calculus BC as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Calculus.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

## **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one school year

## Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

#### **Resources:**

#### **Student Text Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Bruce H. Edwards. *Calculus of a Single Variable: Early Transcendental Functions*. Cengage, 2019.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version
- Solutions Manual

#### **Teacher Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Bruce H. Edwards. Calculus of a Single Variable: Early Transcendental Functions. Cengage, 2019.

- Teacher's Guide Printed Version with Online Access
- Solutions Manual
- Resource Guide

#### **Technology:**

Graphing calculator
District approved supplemental technology

#### Other Resources:



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## **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Honors Calculus

#### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to a selection of Learning Objectives and Essential Knowledge in the following Big Ideas from the 2016 College Board Framework for AP Calculus AB and AP Calculus BC:

- 1 Limits
- 2 Derivatives
- 3 Integrals and Fundamental Theorem of Calculus

## **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

HONORS CALCULUS is designed for students who have earned high levels of achievement in mathematics. Content focuses on functions, limits, methods and applications of differentiation and integration. Students who are interested in pursing careers in business, science, mathematics, engineering, or related areas would benefit from taking a calculus course.

#### Prerequisite(s):

• Earn a minimum grade of a C+ in Precalculus or a C- in Honors Precalculus

## Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to a selection of Learning Objectives and Essential Knowledge from the 2016 College Board Framework for AP Calculus AB and AP Calculus BC as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Calculus.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

## **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one school year

## Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

#### **Resources:**

#### **Student Text Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Bruce H. Edwards. *Calculus of a Single Variable: Early Transcendental Functions*. Cengage, 2019.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version
- Solutions Manual

#### **Teacher Resources:**

Larson, Ron, and Bruce H. Edwards. Calculus of a Single Variable: Early Transcendental Functions. Cengage, 2019.

- Teacher's Guide Printed Version with Online Access
- Solutions Manual
- Resource Guide

#### **Technology:**

Graphing calculator
District approved supplemental technology

#### Other Resources:



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## **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Statistics and Probability

#### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

HS.B Statistics and Probability

## **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

STATISTICS AND PROBABILITY introduces students to foundational concepts and logic of statistical reasoning. It provides students introductory level practical ability to choose, generate, and properly interpret appropriate descriptive and inferential statistical methods. In addition, the course helps students gain an appreciation for the diverse applications of statistics and its relevance to their lives and future fields of study. Fundamental and advanced topics including the counting principle, permutations, combinations and the Central Limit Theorem will also be covered.

## **Prerequisite(s):**

• Earn a minimum grade of an A- in Applied Algebra II, a C in Algebra II, or successfully complete Honors Algebra II

## Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Statistics and Probability.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

## **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one school year

## Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

#### **Resources:**

#### **Student Text Resources:**

Brase, Charles Henry, and Corrinne Pellillo Brase. Understanding Basic Statistics. Cengage, 2019.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version
- Solutions Manual

#### **Teacher Resources:**

Brase, Charles Henry, and Corrinne Pellillo Brase. Understanding Basic Statistics. Cengage, 2019.

Teacher's Guide Printed Version with Online Access

#### **Technology:**

Graphing calculator
District approved supplemental technology

#### Other Resources:



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## **Planned Course for Mathematics**

Course: Algebra III

#### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

HS.F Number and Quantity

HS.D Algebra HS.C Functions HS.A Geometry

## **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

ALGEBRA III is designed to extend student learning in the areas of algebra. Content will include linear, polynomial, rational, exponential, and logarithmic functions, as well as their graphs. Students will deepen their knowledge of systems, matrices and determinants.

## **Prerequisite(s):**

Successful completion of an Algebra II course

#### **Measurable objectives to be attained by students:**

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Algebra III.

## **Instructional Strategies:**

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

## **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one semester

## Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments

- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

#### **Resources:**

#### **Student Text Resources:**

Blitzer, Robert. Algebra and Trigonometry. Pearson, 2018.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version

#### **Teacher Resources:**

Blitzer, Robert. Algebra and Trigonometry. Pearson, 2018.

• Teacher's Guide Printed Version

## **Technology:**

Scientific calculator
District approved supplemental technology

#### **Other Resources:**



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## **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Trigonometry

#### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

HS.C Functions HS.A Geometry

## **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

TRIGONOMETRY is a study of the theory and application of periodic functions related to angles and lengths of a triangle. Students will expand their knowledge of the basic trigonometric functions and go beyond what they have previously learned in mathematics courses. Students will explore additional trigonometric functions and their connection to each other, both graphically and algebraically. A variety of trigonometric applications will be explored. The use of fundamental trigonometric identities, double and half angle formulas, graphs of circular functions and problems involving oblique triangles will also be covered.

#### **Prerequisite(s):**

• Successful completion of an Algebra II course

## Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Trigonometry.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

## **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one semester

## Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments

- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

#### **Resources:**

#### **Student Text Resources:**

Blitzer, Robert. Algebra and Trigonometry. Pearson, 2018.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version

#### **Teacher Resources:**

Blitzer, Robert. Algebra and Trigonometry. Pearson, 2018.

• Teacher's Guide Printed Version

#### Technology:

Graphing calculator
District approved supplemental technology

#### Other Resources:



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## **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Economic Applications of Mathematics

#### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

HS.F Number and Quantity

HS.D Algebra HS.C Functions

## **Course Description:**

The K-12 mathematics program within Southern Lehigh School District will provide opportunities for all students to develop the ability to independently apply mathematical knowledge and skills to real-world situations. A robust and coherent curriculum will prepare students to think and reason mathematically while requiring them to demonstrate a deep understanding of mathematics. Students will develop critical thinking, problem solving, innovation, collaboration, and communication skills. A focus will be placed on using mathematics as a key to understanding the world, in order to meet the challenges of a dynamic society.

ECONOMIC APPLICATIONS OF MATHEMATICS is designed for students who have successfully completed Algebra II. It stresses the applications of mathematical concepts related to economic principles. Throughout the course topics focus on budgets, investments, savings, loans, and mortgages.

## **Prerequisite(s):**

Successful completion of an Algebra II course

#### **Measurable objectives to be attained by students:**

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Economic Applications of Mathematics.

## **Instructional Strategies:**

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

## **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one semester

## Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

#### **Resources:**

#### **Student Text Resources:**

Kapoor, Jack R., et al. Personal Finance. McGraw-Hill Education, 2016.

- Student Text Printed Version
- Student Text Online Version

#### **Teacher Resources:**

Kapoor, Jack R., et al. Personal Finance. McGraw-Hill Education, 2016.

• Teacher Edition Online Access

#### **Technology:**

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#### Other Resources:



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## **Planned Course for Mathematics**

Course: Introduction to Computer Science I

#### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Concepts of the national K-12 Computer Science Standards pursuant to the Pennsylvania Department of Education Resolution adopted January 11, 2018:

CS Computing Systems DA Data and Analysis

AP Algorithms and Programming

IC Impacts of Computing

## **Course Description:**

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INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTER SCIENCE I explores computer science concepts commonly used in software development. This course addresses the basic syntax, logic, and operations of a structured programming language. Students will develop algorithms and applications, as well as write, implement, document, and evaluate possible solutions to problems. Students will be responsible for defining problems using mathematical concepts, logic, and problem solving skills. Throughout the course, students will write pseudo code, analyze data, test, debug, and modify programs in order to solve authentic problems.

#### Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Computer Science Teachers Association (CSTA) K-12 Computer Science Standards as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Introduction to Computer Science I.

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote collaborative discourse around computing
- Use precise language

## **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one semester

## Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments

- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

#### **Resources:**

#### **Student Resources:**

Python for Everybody. www.PY4E.com

#### **Technology:**

District approved supplemental technology

## **Other Resources:**



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## **Planned Course for Mathematics**

**Course:** Survey of Statistics

#### **Standards:**

This course is aligned to standards within the following Domains of the PA Core Standards:

HS.B Statistics and Probability

## **Course Description:**

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SURVEY OF STATISTICS introduces students to data collection and interpretation. Students will explore study design, sampling techniques, data analysis, and inference. The course presents statistics in an investigative approach helping students gain an appreciation for the diverse applications of statistics and its relevance to their lives and future fields of study.

## **Prerequisite(s):**

Successful completion of an Algebra II course

## Measurable objectives to be attained by students:

Specific objectives for this course are aligned to the Pennsylvania Core Standards for Mathematics and the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics as outlined in the Scope and Sequence for Survey of Statistics.

## **Instructional Strategies:**

Below is a list of suggested strategies for high-quality instruction in mathematics:

- Instructional components outlined in the *Framework for Teaching* by Charlotte Danielson
- Use Concrete Representational Abstract (CRA) representations
- Promote productive struggle
- Promote mathematical discourse
- Use precise mathematical language

## **Estimated Instructional Time:**

77 minutes per day on an alternating A/B block schedule for one semester

## Forms of Assessment to Measure Attainment of Course Objectives:

- Curriculum-based measures
- Benchmark Assessments
- Formative Assessments
- Summative Assessments

## **Resources:**