



Advanced Math Concepts

1st Grading Period

Power Objectives:

- Create equations that describe numbers and relationships. (P.O. # 5)
- Understand, represent and solve equations and inequalities graphically. Use this understanding as a process of reasoning and explain the reasoning. (P.O. # 6)

Academic Vocabulary:

- quadratic equations
- completing the square
- quadratic formula
- graphing
- area formulas
- volume formulas
- sign chart
- absolute value
- polynomial inequalities
- rational inequalities
- interval notation

Solving Equations & Inequalities

Enduring Understandings:

- The solutions to inequalities involve a set of numbers instead of a single number solution.
- There are many methods used to solve equations and having a working knowledge of these methods will allow them to apply problem solving strategies and critical thinking in a variety of ways.
- Scientists, businesses, and other entities talk in mathematical language, and knowing how to speak and converse in this language is vital to understanding how and why the math behind the problem works.

Essential Questions:

- Why is a graphical representation of the solution to inequalities useful?
- Why do I need to know how to solve different type of math problems both algebraically and graphically?
- Why is knowing how to converse and read mathematical language and terminology important in understanding the bigger picture of how the math supports to problems?