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# ALGEBRA I

## **MATH CURRICULUM SUMMARY – GRADES 7-12**

The purpose of the Math Curriculum summary is to present an overview of the Algebra I curriculum. Parents are the intended audience of the Math Curriculum summary.

#### Introduction to Algebra & Review of Real Number System

- Define the vocabulary of Algebra
- Simplify numerical expressions
- Identify and use properties of the Real Number System
- Calculate applying the order of operations
- Identify patterns and sequences

#### Solve and Interpret Equations and Inequalities in One Variable

- Identify and use the inverse relationships to solve for unknown quantities in equations and inequalities
- Develop a plan and execute to solve application problems
- Check a solution for reasonableness and correctness
- Graph one-variable inequalities
- Interpret solutions to one-variable inequalities
- Solve word problems using ratio and proportion

#### **Polynomials and Rational Expressions**

- Develop the laws of exponents positive, negative, and zero
- Simplify sums and products of monomials and polynomials
- Simplify quotients of monomials
- Factor polynomials
- Reduce a rational expression to lowest terms
- Determine the restrictions on the denominator of a rational expression

### Linear Equations and Inequalities

- Identify functions and relations
- Determine domain and range
- Graph a linear function and inequality
- Determine the slope of a line
- Determine the equation of a line
- Interpret the solution of a linear inequality

#### Systems of Equations and Inequalities

- Determine the intersection of two lines analytically and graphically
- Solve application problems involving two variables
- Solve systems of linear inequalities
- Interpret the solution to linear inequalities

#### **Probability and Statistics**

- Calculate appropriate measures of central tendency
- Determine the probability of an event theoretical versus experimental.
- Determine the probability of independent events
- Create displays of data
- Determine the equation of the line of best fit for a scatter plot