

**New Paltz Central School District
Mathematics
Eighth Grade**

TIME	CONTENT	SKILLS	ASSESSMENTS
September	<p><u>UNIT 1: Coordinate Geometry/Transformational Geometry</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What does transform mean? • What did Pythagoras discover about a right triangle? • Where/when can we apply these skills in the real world? <p style="text-align: center;">-----</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transformation • Similarity • Symmetry • Congruency • Reflection • Rotation • Dilation • Translation • Preserved • Not preserved 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transform figures by reflection, translation, rotation, and dilation • Identify parts of a right triangle • Apply the Pythagorean Theorem 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tests • Quizzes • Journal entries • Benchmark

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September	<p><u>UNIT 2: Number Theory*</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why have divisibility rules? • How do you distinguish between rational and irrational numbers? <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number sets • Properties • Prime/composite • Divisibility rules 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use divisibility rules • Identify the set to which a number belongs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tests • Quizzes • Journal entries
October	<p><u>UNIT 3: Integral Exponential Operations</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is exponential notation? • What does integral refer to? <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Common bases • Exponents 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluate exponents • Recognize when to apply Order of Operations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tests • Quizzes • Journal entries • Benchmark

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NOVEMBER	<p><u>UNIT 4: Expressions, Equations, and Inequalities</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How is math like a foreign language? <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coefficient • Variable • Inequality 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solve multi-step inequalities and graph the solution on a number line • Translate English to math word problems to algebraic expressions/equations/inequalities and vice versa 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tests • Quizzes • Journal entry • Benchmark
DECEMBER	<p><u>UNIT 5: Operations With Polynomials</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is a polynomial? • What differences exist between a linear equation and a quadratic equation? <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Greatest common factor • Relationship between the distributive property and factoring 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use the distributive property • Find the greatest common factor and factor algebraic expressions • Perform operations with polynomials • Factor a trinomial in the form $ax^2 + bx + c$ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tests • Quizzes • Journal entries • Benchmark

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Quarterly	<p><u>UNIT 6: Ratios, Proportions, and Percents</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What makes a person an educated consumer? <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conversion • Percents less than 1% and greater than 100% • Percent as a comparison to 100 • Unit rate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Simplify ratios to prove equivalence • Use proportions for percent calculations, unit rate, and map scale distances • Use exchange rate table for monetary conversions • Estimate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tests • Quizzes • Midterm examination • Benchmark • Journal entries
Quarterly	<p><u>UNIT 7: Geometric Relationships</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why are proofs important? • What is the difference between a formal and an informal proof? <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transversal • Parallel lines 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify, calculate, and determine angle pair relationships when given two parallel lines cut by a transversal • Use algebra to determine missing angle measurements 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tests • Quizzes • Benchmark • Journal entry

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Yearly	<p><u>UNIT 8: Introduction to Linear Equations</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How can a line graph represent a real situation? <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A table of values can represent a linear equation • A line consists of an infinite number of points • Positive vs. negative 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graph linear equations using a table • Interpret graphs • Identify sign of slope 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tests • Quizzes • Journal entry • Benchmark
Monthly	<p><u>UNIT 9: Linear Equations</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How can you graph a line without a table of values? • Why is the slope of any given line a constant? • What is a system of equations? <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Linear vs. nonlinear • System of equations • Rate of change as related to slope 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graph a line using slope-intercept method • Determine the slope and y-intercept of a given line • Determine the solution given the graph of a system of equations • Recognize quadratics in table, graph, or equation form 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tests • Quizzes • Benchmark • Journal entries

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May	<p><u>UNIT 10: Functions and Relations</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How is a pasta/bread machine like a function? • How do you tell the difference between a relation and a function? <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Function vs. relation • Domain vs. range • Function notation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use a vertical line test to determine a function • Use technical writing and mathematical language as related to function notation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tests • Quizzes • Benchmark • Journal entry
June	<p><u>UNIT 11: Constructions</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are constructions? <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bisect • Equidistant 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use a compass • Use a protractor • Replicate a procedure 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tests • Quizzes • Benchmark • Final examination