

Revised 22-23 Mathematics - Frederick County Public Schools

Graduation Competencies and Performance Standards Overview 22-23

(Revised 8/2022)

Mathematics Graduation Competency 1: Precision

Make sense of, persevere, and attend to precision in the solving of problems.

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| 1A | Analyze and/or compare a range of representations and strategies, including graphs, diagrams, tables, algebraic notation, geometric figures, data representations and verbal models to understand information, identify constraints, plan solutions, gain insights, and make sense of problems. |
| 1B | Communicate mathematically using appropriate levels of precision with language, symbols and/or calculations that reflect the precision of the problem context. |

Mathematics Graduation Competency 2: Reasoning

Reason abstractly and quantitatively.

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| 2A | Decontextualize mathematical problems. |
| 2B | Contextualize the mathematics by relating mathematical operations back to a particular context to ensure they are making sense. |
| 2C | Analyze properties, representations, and/or quantities involved in a problem to ensure reasonableness. |

Mathematics Graduation Competency 3: Formal Argument

Construct viable arguments and critique the reasoning of others.

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| 3A | Explain, orally or in writing, strategies and thinking using models, drawing, or symbolic representations. |
| 3B | Construct and present formal mathematical arguments using appropriate representations and/or definitions, with logical reasoning progressions to support one's own problem solution or to respond to another's problem solution. |

Mathematics Graduation Competency 4: Modeling

Model with mathematics and use appropriate tools strategically.

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| 4A | Using prior mathematical knowledge and context-specific quantities and assumptions, develop an appropriate representation to show mathematical relationships, solve problems based on those relationships, and examine the results in context. |
| 4B | Select appropriate tools strategically to solve mathematical tasks/problems efficiently. |

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Mathematics Graduation Competency 5: Structure

Look for and make use of structure and express regularity in repeated reasoning.

5A

Make and communicate a conclusion about the context of a situation utilizing patterns and/or structure from multiple perspectives using correct mathematical notation and terminology.

5B

Use patterns, structures, and/or repeated calculations to generate a rule or conclusion that can be justified mathematically.

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Performance Standards Scoring Criteria for Competency 1

| Performance Standards | 1 - Emergent | 2 - Approaching | 3 - Proficient | 4 - Exemplary |
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| 1A Analyze and/or compare a range of representations and strategies, including graphs, diagrams, tables, algebraic notation, geometric figures, data representations and verbal models to understand information, identify constraints, plan solutions, gain insights, and make sense of problems. | I can compare and analyze representations but do not use a problem-solving strategy nor achieve an answer. | I can compare and analyze representations using a problem-solving strategy with errors . | I can compare and analyze representations and use an effective problem-solving strategy to make sense of problems with minimal errors . | I can compare and analyze representations and use an effective problem-solving strategy to make sense of problems. |
| 1B Communicate mathematically using appropriate levels of precision with language, symbols and/or calculations that reflect the precision of the problem context. | I can calculate logical answers, but do not communicate appropriate terminology and/or symbols. | I can calculate and communicate logical answers using appropriate terminology and/or symbols, but make errors . | I can calculate and communicate logical answers using appropriate terminology and/or symbols, but make minor errors . | I can precisely calculate and communicate correct answers using appropriate terminology and/or symbols. |

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Mathematics Graduation Competency 2: Reasoning

Reason abstractly and quantitatively.

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| 2A | Decontextualize mathematical problems. |
| 2B | Contextualize the mathematics by relating mathematical operations back to a particular context to ensure they are making sense. |
| 2C | Analyze properties, representations, and/or quantities involved in a problem to ensure reasonableness. |

Performance Standards Scoring Criteria for Competency 2

| Performance Standards | 1 - Emergent | 2 - Approaching | 3 - Proficient | 4 - Exemplary |
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| 2A Decontextualize mathematical problems. | I can create a mathematical representation that makes minimal connection to the problem with major errors . | I can create a mathematical representation that connects the context of the problem to the representation. | I can create an appropriate mathematical representation that connects the context of the problem to the representation with minor errors . | I can create an appropriate mathematical representation that accurately connects the context of the problem to the representation without errors . |
| 2B Contextualize the mathematics by relating mathematical operations back to a particular context to ensure they are making sense. | I can identify a mathematical connection that is relevant but not correct. | I can explain a mathematical connection that is mostly correct and relevant . | I can relate a mathematical connection that is entirely correct and relevant . | I can relate and justify a mathematical connection that is entirely correct and relevant . |
| 2C Analyze properties, representations, and/or quantities involved in a problem to ensure reasonableness. | I can partially analyze mathematical information. | I can analyze mathematical information and explain its reasonableness, but do not support it with evidence. | I can analyze mathematical information, accurately assess its reasonableness, and support it with evidence. | I can analyze mathematical information, accurately assess its reasonableness, support it with evidence, and modify the answer to address the constraints of the problem. |

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Mathematics Graduation Competency 3: Formal Argument

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| 3A | Explain, orally or in writing, strategies and thinking using models, drawing, or symbolic representations. |
| 3B | Construct and present formal mathematical arguments using appropriate representations and/or definitions, with logical reasoning progressions to support one's own problem solution or to respond to another's problem solution. |

Performance Standards Scoring Criteria for Competency 3

| Performance Standards | 1 - Emergent | 2 - Approaching | 3 - Proficient | 4 - Exemplary |
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| 3A Explain, orally or in writing, strategies and thinking using models, drawing, or symbolic representations. | I can explain my strategy and/or thinking. | I can accurately explain some of my strategy and/or thinking. | I can accurately explain all of my strategy and/or thinking. | I can accurately explain and justify my strategy and/or thinking. |
| 3B Construct and present formal mathematical arguments using appropriate representations and/or definitions, with logical reasoning progressions to support one's own problem solution or to respond to another's problem solution. | I can make a mathematical claim. (about their own claim or a claim about someone else's work) | I can make a mathematical claim and support it with evidence or reasoning. (about their own claim or a claim about someone else's work) | I can make a mathematical claim and support it with accurate evidence and reasoning. | I can make a mathematical claim and support it with logical and accurate evidence and reasoning. |

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Mathematics Graduation Competency 4: Modeling

Model with mathematics and use appropriate tools strategically.

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| 4A | Using prior mathematical knowledge and context-specific quantities and assumptions, develop an appropriate representation to show mathematical relationships, solve problems based on those relationships, and examine the results in context. |
| 4B | Select appropriate tools strategically to solve mathematical tasks/problems efficiently. |

Performance Standards Scoring Criteria for Competency 4

| Performance Standards | 1 - Emergent | 2 - Approaching | 3 - Proficient | 4 - Exemplary |
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| 4A Using prior mathematical knowledge and context-specific quantities and assumptions, develop an appropriate representation to show mathematical relationships, solve problems based on those relationships, and examine the results in context. | I can develop a representation to show relationships, but do not solve and/or examine the results in context. | I can develop a representation to show relationships, solve problems, and examine results with errors . | I can develop an appropriate representation to show relationships, solve problems, and examine the results in context with minor errors . | I can develop an appropriate representation to show relationships, solve problems, and accurately examine the results in context . |
| 4B Select appropriate tools strategically to solve mathematical tasks/problems efficiently. | I can select a tool, but cannot solve the mathematical problem. | I can select an appropriate tool to solve the given mathematical problem efficiently, but with major errors. | I can select an appropriate tool to solve the given mathematical problem efficiently , but with minor errors. | I can select an appropriate tool to solve the given mathematical problem efficiently and correctly . |

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Mathematics Graduation Competency 5: Structure

Look for and make use of structure and express regularity in repeated reasoning.

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| 5A | Make and communicate a conclusion about the context of a situation utilizing patterns and/or structure from multiple perspectives using correct mathematical notation and terminology. |
| 5B | Use patterns, structures, and/or repeated calculations to generate a rule or conclusion that can be justified mathematically. |

Performance Standards Scoring Criteria for Competency 5

| Performance Standards | 1 - Emergent | 2 - Approaching | 3 - Proficient | 4 - Exemplary |
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| 5A Make and communicate a conclusion about the context of a situation utilizing patterns and/or structure from multiple perspectives using correct mathematical notation and terminology | I can synthesize information from patterns or structures, but formulate an incorrect conclusion about the context of a situation and do not use sufficient mathematical notation and terminology. | I can synthesize information from patterns or structures to formulate a partially accurate conclusion about the context of a situation, but do not use sufficient mathematical notation and terminology. | I can synthesize information from patterns or structures to formulate an accurate conclusion about the context of a situation using mathematical notation and terminology, but make errors . | I can synthesize information from patterns or structures to formulate an accurate conclusion about the context of a situation using correct mathematical notation and terminology. |
| 5B. Use patterns, structures, and/or repeated calculations to generate a rule or conclusion that can be justified mathematically. | I can generate a rule or conclusion using patterns, structures, and/or repeated calculations, but do not justify it. | I can generate and justify a rule or conclusion using patterns, structures and/or repeated calculations with errors . | I can accurately generate and justify a rule or conclusion using appropriate patterns, structures and/or repeated calculations with minimal errors . | I can accurately generate and justify a rule or conclusion using appropriate patterns, structures, and/or repeated calculations. |