

Frameworks for Mathematics Algebra II





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Algebra II

In Algebra I, students use reasoning about structure to define and make sense of rational exponents and explore the algebraic structure of the rational and real number systems. They understand that numbers in real-world applications often have units attached to them—that is, the numbers are considered *quantities*. Students' work with numbers and operations throughout elementary and middle school has led them to an understanding of the structure of the number system; in Algebra I, students explore the structure of algebraic expressions and polynomials. They see that certain properties must persist when they work with expressions that are meant to represent numbers—which they now write in an abstract form involving variables. When two expressions with overlapping domains are set as equal to each other, resulting in an equation, there is an implied solution set (be it empty or non-empty), and students not only refine their techniques for solving equations and finding the solution set, but they can clearly explain the algebraic steps they used to do so.

Students begin their exploration of linear equations in middle school, first by connecting proportional equations $(y = kx, k \neq 0)$ to graphs, tables, and real-world contexts, and then move toward an understanding of general linear equations $(y = mx + b, m \neq 0)$ and their graphs. In Algebra I, students extend this knowledge to work with absolute value equations, linear inequalities, and systems of linear equations. After learning a more precise definition of *function* in this course, students examine this new idea in the familiar context of linear equations—for example, by seeing the solution of a linear equation as solving f(x) = g(x) for two linear functions f and g.

Students continue to build their understanding of functions beyond linear ones by investigating tables, graphs, and equations that build on previous understandings of numbers and expressions. They make connections between different representations of the same function. They also learn to build functions in a modeling context and solve problems related to the resulting functions. Note that in Algebra I the focus is on linear, simple exponential, and quadratic equations.

Finally, students extend their prior experiences with data, using more formal means of assessing how a model fits data. Students use regression techniques to describe approximately linear relationships between quantities. They use graphical representations and knowledge of the context to make judgments about the appropriateness of linear models. With linear models, students look at residuals to analyze the goodness of fit.



Modeling

Standards	Teacher Understandings	Resources	Student Understandings
Although the Modeling category does not include specific standards, the idea of using mathematics to model the world pervades all higher mathematics courses and should hold a significant place in instruction. Modeling is addressed first here to emphasize its importance in the higher mathematics curriculum.	Modeling at the higher mathematics level goes beyond the simple application of previously constructed mathematics and includes real-world problems. True modeling begins with students asking a question about the world around them, and mathematics is then constructed in the process of attempting to answer the question. Students may see when trying to answer their question that solving an equation arises as a necessity and that the equation often involves the specific instance of knowing the output value of a function at an unknown input value. Modeling problems have an element of being genuine problems, in the sense that students care about answering the question	Educators' Guide Organized by conceptual categories, this document provides exemplars to explain the content standards, highlight connections to the Mathematical Habits of Mind, and demonstrate the importance of developing conceptual understanding, procedural skill and fluency, and application. It highlights some necessary foundational skills from previous grade levels. <u>Math TREE Online</u> Education Resources A curated set of aligned, internet	 When students are presented with a real-world situation and challenged to ask a question, all sorts of new issues arise (e.g., Which of the quantities present in this situation are known, and which are unknown?). Students decide on a solution path that may need to be revised. They make use of tools such as calculators, dynamic geometry software, and spreadsheets. They try to use previously derived models (e.g., linear functions), but may find that a new formula or function will apply.



under consideration. In	resources for WV	
modeling, mathematics is	middle and high	
used as a tool to answer	school math teachers.	
questions that students		
really want answered.		
Students examine a problem	<u>Quantile Teacher</u>	
and formulate a	Assistant	
mathematical model (an	This tool is aligned to	
equation, table, graph, and	WV standards and is	
so forth), compute an answer	designed to help	
or rewrite their expression to	educators locate	
reveal new information,	resources that can	
interpret and validate the	support instruction	
results, and report out. This	and identify skills	
is a new approach for many	most relevant to	
teachers and may be	standards.	
challenging to implement,		
but the effort should show		
students that mathematics is		
relevant to their lives. From a		
pedagogical perspective,		
modeling gives a concrete		
basis from which to abstract		
the mathematics and often		
serves to motivate students		
to become independent		
learners.		
The important ideas		
surrounding rational		
functions, graphing, solving		
equations, and rates of		
change should be explored		



through the lens of	
mathematical modeling.	
Content by Cluster	
Teachers must provide	
students opportunity to	
master each content	
standard. It is important to	
understand that neglecting	
grade-level content	
standards will leave gaps in	
students' skills and	
understandings and will	
leave students unprepared	
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strengthen understandings	
throughout the school year.	

Functions

Standards	Teacher Understandings	Resources	Student Understandings
TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS Extend the domain of trigonometric	Work on functions began in Algebra I. In Algebra II,	Educators' Guide Organized by	• Students work with functions that model
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subtraction formulas for sine, cosine,	students' skills and	resources that can		types of functions
and tangent and use them to solve	understandings and will	support instruction		available to them.
problems." This could be limited to	leave students unprepared	and identify skills		Modeling contexts
acute angles in Algebra II.	for the challenges they face	most relevant to		provide a natural place
	in later grades. A content	standards.		for students to start
	plan must demonstrate a			building functions with
MODELING WITH FUNCTIONS	means by which students can			simpler functions as
Interpret functions that arise in	be provided opportunity to			components.
applications in terms of a context.	address all grade-level		•	Students understand the
M.A2HS.27	content standards and to			concept of a family of
For a function that models a	revisit and practice skills and			functions and
relationship between two quantities,	strengthen understandings			characterize such
interpret key features of graphs and	throughout the school year.			function families based
tables in terms of the quantities, and				on their properties.
sketch graphs showing key features				Students further explore
given a verbal description of the				these ideas with
relationship. Key features include:				trigonometric functions.
intercepts; intervals where the function			•	Students worked with
is increasing, decreasing, positive, or				exponential models in
negative; relative maximums and				Algebra I and continue
minimums; symmetries; end behavior;				this work in Algebra II.
and periodicity. Instructional Note:				Students deduce that this
Emphasize the selection of a model				function has an inverse,
function based on behavior of data				called the <i>logarithm to</i>
and context.				the base b.
M.A2HS.28			•	Students explore the
Relate the domain of a function to its				properties of logarithms,
graph and, where applicable, to the				connect these properties
quantitative relationship it describes.				to those of exponents.
(e.g., If the function h(n) gives the			•	Students solve problems
number of person-hours it takes to				involving exponential
assemble n engines in a factory, then				functions and logarithms



the positive integers would be an		and express their
appropriate domain for the function.)		answers using logarithm
Note: Emphasize the selection of a		notation.
model function based on behavior of		Students understand
data and context.		logarithms as functions
		that undo their
M.A2HS.29		corresponding
Calculate and interpret the average		ovponential functions
rate of change of a function (presented		Exponential functions.
symbolically or as a table) over a	•	Students expand their
specified interval. Estimate the rate of		understanding of the
change from a graph. Note: Emphasize		trigonometric functions
the selection of a model function		first developed in
based on behavior of data and context.		Geometry. The graphs of
		the trigonometric
Analyze functions using different		functions are explored
representations.		with attention to the
M.A2HS.30		connection between the
Graph functions expressed		unit-circle representation
symbolically and show key features of		of the trigonometric
the graph, by hand in simple cases and		functions and their
using technology for more complicated		properties—for example,
cases.		to illustrate the
a. Graph square root, cube root, and		periodicity of the
piecewise-defined functions,		functions, the
including step functions and		relationship between the
absolute value functions.		maximums and
b. Graph exponential and		minimums of the sine
logarithmic functions, showing		and cosine graphs, zeros.
intercepts and end behavior, and		and so forth.
trigonometric functions, showing	•	Students use
period, midline, and amplitude.		trigonometric functions
Instructional Note: Focus on		to model periodic
applications and how key features		



e to characteristics of a situation, ng selection of a particular type of tion model appropriate.		phenomena.
1.A2HS.31 Write a function defined by an expression in different but equivalent forms to reveal and explain different roperties of the function. Instructional Note: Focus on pplications and how key features elate to characteristics of a situation, making selection of a particular type of unction model appropriate.		
M.A2HS.32 Compare properties of two functions each represented in a different way (algebraically, graphically, numerically in tables, or by verbal descriptions). (e.g., Given a graph of one quadratic function and an algebraic expression for another, say which has the larger maximum.) Instructional Note: Focus on applications and how key features relate to characteristics of a situation, making selection of a particular type of function model appropriate.		
Build a function that models a relationship between two quantities. M.A2HS.33 Write a function that describes a relationship between two quantities.		



Combine standard function types using arithmetic operations. (e.g., Build a function that models the temperature of a cooling body by adding a constant function to a decaying exponential, and relate these functions to the model.) Instructional Note: Develop models for more complex or sophisticated situations than in previous courses.		
Build new functions from existing functions. M.A2HS.34 Identify the effect on the graph of replacing f(x) by f(x) + k, k f(x), f(kx), and f(x + k) for specific values of k (both positive and negative); find the value of k given the graphs. Experiment with cases and illustrate an explanation of the effects on the graph using technology. Include recognizing even and odd functions from their graphs and algebraic expressions for them. Instructional Note: Use transformations of functions to find models as students consider increasingly more complex situations. Observe the effect of multiple transformations on a single graph and the common effect of each transformation across function types.		



M.A2HS.35		
Find inverse functions. Solve an		
equation of the form f(x) = c for a		
simple function f that has an inverse		
and write an expression for the		
inverse. (e.g., f(x) = 2 x³ or f(x) =		
$(x+1)/(x-1)$ for $x \neq 1$.) Instructional Note:		
Use transformations of functions to		
find models as students consider		
increasingly more complex situations.		
Extend this standard to simple		
rational, simple radical, and simple		
exponential functions; connect this		
standard to M.A2HS.34.		
Construct and compare linear,		
quadratic, and exponential models and		
solve problems.		
M.A2HS.36		
For exponential models, express as a		
logarithm the solution to a bct = d		
where a, c, and d are numbers and the		
base b is 2, 10, or e; evaluate the		
logarithm using technology.		
Instructional Note: Consider extending		
this unit to include the relationship		
between properties of logarithms and		
properties of exponents, such as the		
connection between the properties of		
exponents and the basic logarithm		
property that log xy = log x +log y.		



Number and Quantity

Standards	Teacher Understandings	Resources	Student Understandings
POLYNOMIAL, RATIONAL, AND RADICAL RELATIONSHIPS Perform arithmetic operations with complex numbers. MA2HS.1 Know there is a complex number i such that $i^2 = -1$, and every complex number has the form a + bi with a and b real. MA2HS.2 Use the relation $i^2 = -1$ and the commutative, associative, and distributive properties to add, subtract, and multiply complex numbers. Use complex numbers in polynomial identities and equations. MA2HS.3 Solve quadratic equations with real coefficients that have complex solutions. Instructional Note: Limit to polynomials with real coefficients. MA2HS.4 Extend polynomial identities to the complex numbers. For example, rewrite $x^2 + 4$ as $(x + 2i)(x - 2i)$. Instructional Note: Limit to polynomials with real coefficients.	In Algebra I, students worked with examples of quadratic functions and solved quadratic equations, encountering situations in which a resulting equation did not have a solution that is a real number. In Algebra II, students complete their extension of the concept of <i>number</i> to include complex numbers. Students begin to work with complex numbers and apply their understanding of properties of operations and exponents and radicals to solve equations which do not have a solution that is a real number. They also apply their understanding of properties of operations and exponents and radicals to solve equations. The extended number system that behaves according to familiar rules	Educators' Guide Organized by conceptual categories, this document provides exemplars to explain the content standards, highlight connections to the Mathematical Habits of Mind, and demonstrate the importance of developing conceptual understanding, procedural skill and fluency, and application. <u>Math TREE Online</u> Education Resources A curated set of aligned, internet resources for WV middle and high school math teachers.	 Students work with examples of quadratic functions and solve quadratic equations, encountering situations in which a resulting equation does not have a solution that is a real number. Students expand their extension of the concept of <i>number</i> to include complex numbers so that an equation that does not have a solution that is a real number can be solved. By exploring polynomials that can be factored with real and complex roots, students develop an understanding of the Fundamental Theorem of Algebra.



M.A2HS.5	and properties. By exploring	
Know the Fundamental Theorem of	examples of polynomials	
Algebra; show that it is true for	that can be factored with	
quadratic polynomials. Instructional	real and complex roots,	
Note: Limit to polynomials with real	students develop an	
coefficients.	understanding of the	
	Fundamental Theorem of	
	Algebra; they can show that	
	the theorem is true for	
	quadratic polynomials by an	
	application of the quadratic	
	formula and an	
	understanding of the	
	relationship between roots	
	of a quadratic equation and	
	the linear factors of the	
	quadratic polynomial.	
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	grade-level content	
	standards will leave gaps in	
	students' skills and	
	understandings and will	
	leave students unprepared	
	for the challenges they face	
	in later grades. A content	



Algebra

Standards	Teacher Understandings	Resources	Student Understandings
Perform arithmetic operations on polynomials. M.A2HS.9 Understand that polynomials form a system analogous to the integers, namely, they are closed under the operations of addition, subtraction, and multiplication; add, subtract, and	Along with the standards in the number and quantity conceptual category, the Algebra conceptual category standards develop the structural similarities between the system of polynomials and the	Educators' Guide Organized by conceptual categories, this document provides exemplars to explain the content standards, highlight connections to the Mathematical	 Students continue to pay attention to the meaning of expressions in context and interpret the parts of an expression by "chunking," that is, viewing parts of an expression as a single
multiply polynomials. Instructional Note: Extend beyond the quadratic polynomials found in Algebra I. Understand the relationship between zeros and factors of polynomials. M.A2HS.10 Know and apply the Remainder	system of integers. Students draw on analogies between polynomial arithmetic and base-ten computation, focusing on properties of operations, particularly the distributive property. Students connect	Habits of Mind, and demonstrate the importance of developing conceptual understanding, procedural skill and	 entity. Students' facility in using special cases of polynomial factoring allows them to fully factor more complicated polynomials. Students examine the sums of examples of



Theorem: For a polynomial p(x) and a	multiplication of	fluency, and	finite geometric series
number a, the remainder on division by	polynomials with	application.	and look for patterns to
x – a is p(a), so p(a) = 0 if and only if (x	multiplication of multi-digit	Math TREE Onling	justify why the equation
– a) is a factor of p(x).	integers and division of	Education Posourcos	for the sum holds.
M.A2HS.11 Identify zeros of polynomials when suitable factorizations are available, and use the zeros to construct a rough graph of the function defined by the polynomial. Use polynomial identities to solve problems. M.A2HS.12 Prove polynomial identities and use them to describe numerical relationships. For example, the polynomial identity $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = (x^2 - y^2)^2 + (2xy)^2$ can be used to generate Pythagorean triples. Instructional Note: This cluster has many possibilities for optional enrichment, such as relating the example in M.A2HS.10 to the solution of the system $u^2 + v^2 = 1$, $v = t(u+1)$, relating the Pascal triangle property of binomial coefficients to $(x + y)^{n+1} = (x + y)(x + y)^n$, deriving explicit formulas for the coefficients, or proving the binomial theorem by induction.	polynomials with long division of integers. Rational numbers extend the arithmetic of integers by allowing division by all numbers except zero; similarly, rational expressions extend the arithmetic of polynomials by allowing division by all polynomials except the zero polynomial. A central theme of this section is that the arithmetic of rational expressions is governed by the same rules as the arithmetic of rational numbers. Content by Cluster Teachers must provide students opportunity to master each content standard. It is important to understand that neglecting grade-level content standards will leave gaps in	Education Resources A curated set of aligned, internet resources for WV middle and high school math teachers. Quantile Teacher Assistant This tool is aligned to WV standards and is designed to help educators locate resources that can support instruction and identify skills most relevant to standards.	 Students continue to develop their understanding of the set of polynomials as a system analogous to the set of integers that exhibits particular properties, and they explore the relationship between the factorization of polynomials and the roots of a polynomial. Students use the zeros of a polynomial to create a rough sketch of its graph and connect the results to their understanding of polynomials as functions. Students explore rational functions as a system analogous to that of rational numbers and see rational functions as useful for describing many real-world situations. Students work with all
M.A2HS.13	students skills and		available types of
Know and apply the Binomial Theorem	understandings and will		



for the expansion of (x + y) ⁿ in powers	leave students unprepared	functions to create
of x and y for a positive integer n,	for the challenges they face	equations. Although the
where x and y are any numbers, with	in later grades. A content	functions will often be
coefficients determined for example by	plan must demonstrate a	linear, exponential, or
Pascal's Triangle. ² Instructional Note:	means by which students	quadratic, the types of
This cluster has many possibilities for	can be provided	problems draw from
optional enrichment, such as relating	opportunity to address all	more complex situations.
the example in M.A2HS.10 to the	grade-level content	• Students extend their
solution of the system $u^2 + v^2 = 1$, v =	standards and to revisit	equation-solving skills to
t(u+1), relating the Pascal triangle	and practice skills and	those involving rational
property of binomial coefficients to (x	strengthen understandings	expressions and radical
$(x + y)^{n+1} = (x + y)(x + y)^n$, deriving explicit	throughout the school year.	equations and make
formulas for the coefficients, or		sense of extraneous
proving the binomial theorem by		solutions that may arise.
induction.		Students also understand
Powrite rational expressions		that some equations can
		be solved only
M.AZNJ. 14 Rowrite simple rational expressions in		approximately with the
different forms: write $a(x)/b(x)$ in the		tools they possess.
form $g(y) + r(y)/h(y)$ where $g(y) - h(y)$		
f(x) = f(x)/f(x)/f(x), where $f(x)/f(x)$, $f(x)$,		
$d_{(x)}$, and $f_{(x)}$ are polynomials with the degree of		
b(x) using inspection long division or		
for the more complicated examples a		
for the more complicated examples, a		
Lostructional Note: The limitations on		
rational functions apply to the rational		
oversessions		
M.A2HS.15		
Understand that rational expressions		
form a system analogous to the		



rational numbers, closed under		
addition, subtraction, multiplication,		
and division by a nonzero rational		
expression; add, subtract, multiply, and		
divide rational expressions.		
Instructional Note: This standard		
requires the general division algorithm		
for polynomials.		
Understand solving equations as a		
process of reasoning and explain the		
reasoning.		
M.A2HS.16		
Solve simple rational and radical		
equations in one variable, and give		
examples showing how extraneous		
solutions may arise. Instructional		
Note: Extend to simple rational and		
radical equations.		
Represent and solve equations and		
inequalities graphically.		
M.A2HS.17		
Explain why the x-coordinates of the		
points where the graphs of the		
equations y = f(x) and y = g(x) intersect		
are the solutions of the equation f(x) =		
g(x); find the solutions approximately,		
e.g., using technology to graph the		
functions, make tables of values, or		
find successive approximations.		
Instructional Note: Include cases		
where f(x) and/or g(x) are linear,		



polynomial, rational, absolute value, exponential, and logarithmic functions	
Instructional Note: Include	
combinations of linear. polynomial.	
rational, radical, absolute value, and	
exponential functions.	
MODELING WITH FUNCTIONS Create equations that describe	
numbers or relationships.	
M.A2HS.23	
Create equations and inequalities in	
one variable and use them to solve	
problems. Instructional Note: Include	
equations arising from linear and	
quadratic functions, and simple	
rational and exponential functions	
rational and exponential functions.	
M.A2HS.24	
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M.A2HS.24 Create equations in two or more variables to represent relationships between quantities; graph equations	
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M.A2HS.25		
Represent constraints by equations or		
inequalities, and by systems of		
equations and/or inequalities, and		
interpret solutions as viable or non-		
viable options in a modeling context.		
(e.g., Represent inequalities describing		
nutritional and cost constraints on		
combinations of different foods.)		
Instructional Note: While functions will		
often be linear, exponential, or		
quadratic the types of problems		
should draw from more complex		
situations than those addressed in		
Algebra I. For example, finding the		
equation of a line through a given		
point perpendicular to another line		
allows one to find the distance from a		
point to a line.		
M.A2HS.26		
Rearrange formulas to highlight a		
quantity of interest, using the same		
reasoning as in solving equations. (e.g.,		
Rearrange Ohm's law V = IR to highlight		
resistance R.) While functions will		
often be linear, exponential, or		
quadratic the types of problems		
should draw from more complex		
situations than those addressed in		
Algebra I. For example, finding the		
equation of a line through a given		
point perpendicular to another line		



allows one to find the distance from a		
point to a line. This example applies to		
earlier instances of this standard, not		
to the current course.		

Geometry

No traditional Algebra II course would be complete without an examination of planar curves represented by the general equation $ax^2 + by^2 + cx + dy + e = 0$. In Algebra II, students use "completing the square" (a skill learned in Algebra I) to decide if the equation represents a circle or parabola. They graph the shapes and relate the graph to the equation. The study of ellipses and hyperbolas is reserved for a later course.

Statistics and Probability

Standards	Teacher Understandings	Resources	Student Understandings
INFERENCES AND CONCLUSIONS FROM DATA Summarize, represent, and interpret data on a single count or measurement	Students in Algebra II move beyond analysis of data to make sound statistical decisions based on	Educators' Guide Organized by conceptual categories, this	 Students build on their understanding of data distributions to help see how the normal
variable. M.A2HS.37	probability models. The reasoning process is as follows: develop a statistical	document provides exemplars to explain the content	distribution uses area to make estimates of frequencies (which can
Use the mean and standard deviation of a data set to fit it to a normal distribution and to estimate population percentages. Recognize that there are data sets for which such	question in the form of a hypothesis (supposition) about a population parameter, choose a probability model for	standards, highlight connections to the Mathematical Habits of Mind, and demonstrate the	 be expressed as probabilities). Students revisit prior courses different ways of collecting data and using



a procedure is not appropriate. Use	collecting data relevant to	importance of		graphical displays and
calculators, spreadsheets, and tables	that parameter, collect data,	developing		summary statistics with a
to estimate areas under the normal	and compare the results	conceptual		focus on how the way in
curve. Instructional Note: While	seen in the data with what is	understanding,		which data are collected
students may have heard of the normal	expected under the	procedural skill and		determines the scope
distribution, it is unlikely that they will	hypothesis. If the observed	fluency, and		and nature of the
have prior experience using it to make	results are far from what is	application.		conclusions that can be
specific estimates. Build on students'	expected and have a low	Math TREE Online		drawn from those data.
understanding of data distributions to	probability of occurring	Education Pasourcos	•	Students informally
help them see how the normal	under the hypothesis, then	<u>Euucation Resources</u>		develop an
distribution uses area to make	that hypothesis is called into	A curateu set or		understanding of the
estimates of frequencies (which can be	question. In other words, the	augheu, internet		concept of statistical
expressed as probabilities). Emphasize	evidence against the	middle and high		significance through
that only some data are well described	hypothesis is weighed by	school math toachara		simulation as meaning a
by a normal distribution.	probability. By investigating	School math teachers.		result that is unlikely to
Understand and evaluate random	simple examples of			have occurred solely
onderstand and evaluate random	simulations of experiments			through random
processes underlying statistical	and observing outcomes of	Quantile Teacher		selection in sampling or
	the data, students gain an	<u>Assistant</u>		random assignment in an
M.AZIIJ.JO	understanding of what it	Inis tool is aligned to		experiment.
making information	means for a model to fit a	wv standards and is	•	Students' ability to apply
naking interences about population	particular data set. This	designed to help		probability models to
from that nonulation Instructional	includes comparing	educators locate		make and analyze
Note: Include comparing theoretical	theoretical and empirical	resources that can		decisions is extended to
and ampirical regults to evaluate the	results to evaluate the	support instruction		more complex probability
and empirical results to evaluate the	effectiveness of a treatment.	and identify skills		models, including
enectiveness of a treatment.		most relevant to		situations such as those
M.A2HS.39		standards.		involving quality control
Decide if a specified model is	Contont by Cluster			or diagnostic test that
consistent with results from a given	Toochors must provide			yield both false-positive
data-generating process, e.g., using	studente ennertunitute			and false-negative
simulation. (e.g., A model says a	students opportunity to			results.
	master each content			



spinning coin falls heads up with	standard. It is important to	
probability 0.5. Would a result of 5 tails	understand that neglecting	
in a row cause you to question the	grade-level content	
model?)	standards will leave gaps in	
Make inferences and justify conclusions from sample surveys, experiments, and observational studies. MA2HS.40 Recognize the purposes of and differences among sample surveys, experiments, and observational studies; explain how randomization relates to each. Instructional Note: In earlier grades, students are introduced to different ways of collecting data and use graphical displays and summary statistics to make comparisons. These ideas are revisited with a focus on how the way in which data is collected determines the scope and nature of the conclusions that can be drawn from that data. The concept of statistical significance is developed informally through simulation as meaning a result that is unlikely to have occurred solely as a result of random selection in sampling or random assignment in an experiment.	students' skills and understandings and will leave students unprepared for the challenges they face in later grades. A content plan must demonstrate a means by which students can be provided opportunity to address all grade-level content standards and to revisit and practice skills and strengthen understandings throughout the school year.	
M.AZHS.47		
Use data from a sample survey to		



estimate a population mean or proportion; develop a margin of error through the use of simulation models for random sampling. Instructional Note: In earlier grades, students are introduced to different ways of collecting data and use graphical displays and summary statistics to make comparisons. These ideas are revisited with a focus on how the way in which data is collected determines the scope and nature of the conclusions that can be drawn from that data. The concept of statistical significance is developed informally through simulation as meaning a result that is unlikely to have occurred solely as a result of random selection in sampling or random assignment in an experiment. Focus on the variability of results from experiments—that is, focus on statistics as a way of doaling		
results from experiments—that is, focus on statistics as a way of dealing		
randomness.		
M.A2HS.42 Use data from a randomized		
experiment to compare two treatments: use simulations to decide		
if differences between parameters are		
significant. Instructional Note: In		
earlier grades, students are introduced		
to different ways of collecting data and		



use graphical displays and summary		
statistics to make comparisons. These		
ideas are revisited with a focus on how		
the way in which data is collected		
determines the scope and nature of		
the conclusions that can be drawn		
from that data. The concept of		
statistical significance is developed		
informally through simulation as		
meaning a result that is unlikely to		
have occurred solely as a result of		
random selection in sampling or		
random assignment in an experiment.		
Focus on the variability of results from		
experiments—that is, focus on		
statistics as a way of dealing with, not		
eliminating, inherent randomness.		
M.A2HS.43		
Evaluate reports based on data.		
Instructional Note: In earlier grades.		
students are introduced to different		
ways of collecting data and use		
graphical displays and summary		
statistics to make comparisons. These		
ideas are revisited with a focus on how		
the way in which data is collected		
determines the scope and nature of		
the conclusions that can be drawn		
from that data. The concept of		
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meaning a result that is unlikely to		



have occurred solely as a result of random selection in sampling or		
random assignment in an experiment.		
Use probability to evaluate outcomes of decisions. M.A2HS.44 Use probabilities to make fair decisions (e.g., drawing by lots or using a random number generator). Instructional Note: Extend to more complex probability models. Include situations such as those involving quality control, or diagnostic tests that yield both false positive and false		
negative results.		
M.A2HS.45 Analyze decisions and strategies using probability concepts (e.g., product testing, medical testing, and/or pulling a hockey goalie at the end of a game). Instructional Note: Extend to more complex probability models. Include situations such as those involving quality control, or diagnostic tests that yield both false positive and false negative results.		





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