## High School Geometry

## Overview of the West Virginia College- and Career-Readiness Standards for Mathematics

Included in Policy 2520.2B, the West Virginia College- and Career-Readiness Standards for Mathematics are two types of standards: the Mathematical Habits of Mind and the gradelevel Mathematics Content Standards. These standards address the skills, knowledge, and dispositions that students should develop to foster mathematical understanding and expertise, as well as concepts, skills, and knowledge - what students need to understand, know, and be able to do. The standards also require that the Mathematical Habits of Mind and the grade-level Mathematics Content Standards be connected. These connections are essential to support the development of students' broader mathematical understanding, as students who lack understanding of a topic may rely too heavily on procedures. The Mathematical Habits of Mind must be taught as carefully and practiced as intentionally as the grade-level Mathematics Content Standards are. Neither type should be isolated from the other; mathematics instruction is most effective when these two aspects of the West Virginia College- and Career-Readiness Standards for Mathematics come together as a powerful whole.

Mathematical Habits of Mind


| Reasoning <br> and Explaining |
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| MHM2 |
| Reason abstracting and |
| quantitatively |
| MHM3 |
| Construct viable arguments |
| and critique the reasoning |
| of others |



The eight Mathematical Habits of Mind (MHM) describe the attributes of mathematically proficient students and the expertise that mathematics educators at all levels should seek to develop in their students. The Mathematical Habits of Mind provide a vehicle through which students engage with and learn mathematics. As students move from elementary school through high school, the Mathematical Habits of Mind are integrated in the tasks as students engage in doing mathematics and master new and more advanced mathematical ideas and understandings.

The Mathematical Habits of Mind rest on important "processes and proficiencies " with longstanding importance in mathematics education. The first of these are the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics' process standards of problem solving, reasoning and proof, communication, representation, and connections. The second are the strands of mathematical proficiency specified in the National Research Council's report Adding it Up: adaptive reasoning, strategic competence, conceptual understanding, procedural fluency, and productive disposition (NGA/CCSSO 2010).

Ideally, several Mathematical Habits of Mind will be evident in each lesson as they interact and overlap with each other. The Mathematical Habits of Mind are not a checklist; they are the basis for mathematics instruction and learning. To help students persevere in solving problems (MHM1), teachers need to allow their students to struggle productively, and they must be attentive to the type of feedback they provide to students. Dr. Carol Dweck's research (Dweck 2006) revealed that feedback offering praise of effort and perseverance seems to engender a "growth mindset." In Dweck's estimation, growth-minded teachers tell students the truth about being able to close the learning gap between them and their peers and then give them the tools to close the gap (Dweck 2006).

Students who are proficient in the eight Mathematical Habits of Mind are able to use these skills not only in mathematics, but across disciplines and into their lives beyond school, college, and career.

## Policy 2520.2B

## West Virginia College- and Career-Readiness Standards for Mathematics

## Mathematical Habits of Mind

The Mathematical Habits of Mind (hereinafter MHM) describe varieties of expertise that mathematics educators at all levels should develop in their students.

## MHM1. Make sense of problems and persevere in solving them.

Mathematically proficient students start by explaining to themselves the meaning of a problem and looking for entry points to its solution. They analyze givens, constraints, relationships and goals. They make conjectures about the form and meaning of the solution and plan a solution pathway rather than simply jumping into a solution attempt. They consider analogous problems and try special cases and simpler forms of the original problem in order to gain insight into its solution. They monitor and evaluate their progress and change course if necessary. Older students might, depending on the context of the problem, transform algebraic expressions or change the viewing window on their graphing calculator to get the information they need. Mathematically proficient students can explain correspondences between equations, verbal descriptions, tables and graphs or draw diagrams of important features and relationships, graph data and search for regularity or trends. Younger students might rely on using concrete objects or pictures to help conceptualize and solve a problem. Mathematically proficient students check their answers to problems using a different method and they continually ask themselves, "Does this make sense?" They can understand the approaches of others to solving complex problems and identify correspondences between different approaches.

## MHM2. Reason abstractly and quantitatively.

Mathematically proficient students make sense of quantities and their relationships in problem situations. They bring two complementary abilities to bear on problems involving quantitative relationships: the ability to decontextualize-to abstract a given situation and represent it symbolically and manipulate the representing symbols as if they have a life of their own, without necessarily attending to their referents-and the ability to contextualize to pause as needed during the manipulation process in order to probe into the referents for the symbols involved. Quantitative reasoning entails habits of creating a coherent representation of the problem at hand, considering the units involved, attending to the meaning of quantities, not just how to compute them, and knowing and flexibly using different properties of operations and objects.

## MHM3. Construct viable arguments and critique the reasoning of others.

Mathematically proficient students understand and use stated assumptions, definitions, and previously established results in constructing arguments. They make conjectures and build a logical progression of statements to explore the truth of their conjectures. They are able to analyze situations by breaking them into cases and can recognize and use counterexamples.

They justify their conclusions, communicate them to others, and respond to the arguments of others. They reason inductively about data, making plausible arguments that take into account the context from which the data arose. Mathematically proficient students are also able to compare the effectiveness of two plausible arguments, distinguish correct logic or reasoning from that which is flawed, and-if there is a flaw in an argument-explain what it is. Elementary students can construct arguments using concrete referents such as objects, drawings, diagrams and actions. Such arguments can make sense and be correct, even though they are not generalized or made formal until later grades. Later, students learn to determine domains to which an argument applies. Students at all grades can listen or read the arguments of others, decide whether they make sense and ask useful questions to clarify or improve the arguments.

## MHM4. Model with mathematics.

Mathematically proficient students can apply the mathematics they know to solve problems arising in everyday life, society and the workplace. In early grades, this might be as simple as writing an addition equation to describe a situation. In middle grades, a student might apply proportional reasoning to plan a school event or analyze a problem in the community. By high school, a student might use geometry to solve a design problem or use a function to describe how one quantity of interest depends on another. Mathematically proficient students who can apply what they know are comfortable making assumptions and approximations to simplify a complicated situation, realizing that these may need revision later. They are able to identify important quantities in a practical situation and map their relationships using such tools as diagrams, two-way tables, graphs, flowcharts and formulas. They can analyze those relationships mathematically to draw conclusions. They routinely interpret their mathematical results in the context of the situation and reflect on whether the results make sense, possibly improving the model if it has not served its purpose.

## MHM5. Use appropriate tools strategically.

Mathematically proficient students consider the available tools when solving a mathematical problem. These tools might include pencil and paper, concrete models, a ruler, a protractor, a calculator, a spreadsheet, a computer algebra system, a statistical package or dynamic geometry software. Proficient students are sufficiently familiar with tools appropriate for their grade or course to make sound decisions about when each of these tools might be helpful, recognizing both the insight to be gained and their limitations. For example, mathematically proficient high school students analyze graphs of functions and solutions generated using a graphing calculator. They detect possible errors by strategically using estimation and other mathematical knowledge. When making mathematical models, they know that technology can enable them to visualize the results of varying assumptions, explore consequences and compare predictions with data. Mathematically proficient students at various grade levels are able to identify relevant external mathematical resources, such as digital content located on a website and use them to pose or solve problems. They are able to use technological tools to explore and deepen their understanding of concepts.

## MHM6. Attend to precision.

Mathematically proficient students try to communicate precisely to others. They try to use clear definitions in discussion with others and in their own reasoning. They state the meaning of the symbols they choose, including using the equal sign consistently and appropriately. They are careful about specifying units of measure, and labeling axes to clarify the correspondence with quantities in a problem. They calculate accurately and efficiently, express numerical answers with a degree of precision appropriate for the problem context. In the elementary grades, students give carefully formulated explanations to each other. By the time they reach high school they have learned to examine claims and make explicit use of definitions.

## MHM7. Look for and make use of structure.

Mathematically proficient students look closely to discern a pattern or structure. Young students, for example, might notice that three and seven more is the same amount as seven and three more or they may sort a collection of shapes according to how many sides the shapes have. Later, students will see $7 \times 8$ equals the well-remembered $7 \times 5+7 \times 3$, in preparation for learning about the distributive property. In the expression $x^{2}+9 x+14$, older students can see the 14 as $2 \times 7$ and the 9 as $2+7$. They recognize the significance of an existing line in a geometric figure and can use the strategy of drawing an auxiliary line for solving problems. They also can step back for an overview and shift perspective. They can see complicated things, such as some algebraic expressions, as single objects or as being composed of several objects. For example, they can see $5-3(x-y)^{2}$ as 5 minus a positive number times a square and use that to realize that its value cannot be more than 5 for any real numbers $x$ and $y$.

## MHM8. Look for and express regularity in repeated reasoning.

Mathematically proficient students notice if calculations are repeated, and look both for general methods and for shortcuts. Upper elementary students might notice when dividing 25 by 11 that they are repeating the same calculations over and over again, and conclude they have a repeating decimal. By paying attention to the calculation of slope as they repeatedly check whether points are on the line through $(1,2)$ with slope 3 , middle school students might abstract the equation $(y-2) /(x-1)=3$. Noticing the regularity in the way terms cancel when expanding $(x-1)(x+1),(x-1)\left(x^{2}+x+1\right)$ and $(x-1)\left(x^{3}+x^{2}+x+1\right)$ might lead them to the general formula for the sum of a geometric series. As they work to solve a problem, mathematically proficient students maintain oversight of the process, while attending to the details. They continually evaluate the reasonableness of their intermediate results.

## Policy 2520.2B

## West Virginia College- and Career-Readiness Standards for Mathematics

## Mathematics - High School Geometry

All West Virginia teachers are responsible for classroom instruction that integrates content standards and mathematical habits of mind. Students in this course will explore more complex geometric situations and deepen their explanations of geometric relationships, moving towards formal mathematical arguments. Important differences exist between this Geometry course and the historical approach taken in Geometry classes. For example, transformations are emphasized early in this course. Mathematical habits of mind, which should be integrated in these content areas, include: making sense of problems and persevering in solving them, reasoning abstractly and quantitatively; constructing viable arguments and critiquing the reasoning of others; modeling with mathematics; using appropriate tools strategically; attending to precision, looking for and making use of structure; and looking for and expressing regularity in repeated reasoning. Students will continue developing mathematical proficiency in a developmentally-appropriate progressions of standards. Continuing the skill progressions from previous courses, the following chart represents the mathematical understandings that will be developed:

## Congruence, Proof, and Constructions

Similarity, Proof, and Trigonometry

- Prove theorems about triangles and other figures (e.g., that the sum of the measures of the angles in a triangle is $180^{\circ}$ ).
- Given a transformation, work backwards to discover the sequence that led to the transformation.
- Given two quadrilaterals that are reflections of each other, find the line of that reflection.
Extending to Three Dimensions
- Give an informal argument for the formulas for the circumference of a circle, area of a circle, volume of a cylinder, pyramid, and cone.
- Apply knowledge of trigonometric ratios and the Pythagorean Theorem to determine distances in realistic situations. (e.g., Determine heights of inaccessible objects using various instruments, such as clinometers, hypsometers, transits, etc.)

Connecting Algebra and Geometry Through Coordinates

- Use a rectangular coordinate system and build on understanding of the Pythagorean Theorem to find distances. (e.g., Find the area and perimeter of a real-world shape using a coordinate grid and Google Earth.)
- Analyze the triangles and quadrilaterals on the coordinate plane to determine their properties. (e.g., Determine whether a given quadrilateral is a rectangle).


## Circles With and Without Coordinates

- Use coordinates and equations to describe geometric properties algebraically. (e.g., Write the equation for a circle in the plane with specified center and radius.)
Modeling with Geometry
- Analyze real-world situations using mathematics to understand the situation better and optimize, troubleshoot, or make an informed decision (e.g., estimate water and food needs in a disaster area, or use volume formulas and graphs to find an optimal size for an industrial package).


## Applications of Probability

- Work with probability and using ideas from probability in everyday situations. (e.g., Compare the chance that a person who smokes will develop lung cancer to the chance that a person who develops lung cancer smokes.)


## Numbering of Standards

The following Mathematics Standards will be numbered continuously. The following ranges relate to the clusters found within Mathematics:

| Congruence, Proof, and Constructions |  |
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| Experiment with transformations in the plane. | Standards 1-5 |
| Understand congruence in terms of rigid motions. | Standards 6-8 |
| Prove geometric theorems. | Standards 9-11 |
| Make geometric constructions. | Standards 12-13 |
| Similarity, Proof, and Trigonometry | Standards 14-16 |
| Understand similarity in terms of similarity transformations. | Standards 17-18 |
| Prove theorems involving similarity. | Standards 19-21 |
| Define trigonometric ratios and solve problems involving right <br> triangles. | Standards 22-24 |
| Apply trigonometry to general triangles. | Standards 25-26 |
| Extending to Three Dimensions | Standard 27 |
| Explain volume formulas and use them to solve problems. | Standard 28 |
| Visualize the relation between two dimensional and three- <br> dimensional objects. | Apply geometric concepts in modeling situations. Standards 29-32 <br> Connecting Algebra and Geometry Through Coordinates Standard 33 <br> Use coordinates to prove simple geometric theorems algebraically.  <br> Translate between the geometric description and the equation for <br> a conic section. Standard 34-37 <br> Circles With and Without Coordinates Standard 39 <br> Understand and apply theorems about circles.  <br> Find arc lengths and areas of sectors of circles.  <br> Translate between the geometric description and the equation for <br> a conic section. Use coordinates to prove simple geometric theorems algebraically. Standard 40 |


| Apply geometric concepts in modeling situations. | Standard 41 |
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| Applications of Probability | Standards 42-46 |
| Understand independence and conditional probability and use <br> them to interpret data. | Standards 47-50 |
| Use the rules of probability to compute probabilities of compound <br> events in a uniform probability model. | Standards 51-52 |
| Use probability to evaluate outcomes of decisions. | Standards 53-55 |
| Modeling with Geometry | Visualize relationships between two dimensional and three- <br> dimensional objects and apply geometric concepts in modeling <br> situations. |

## Congruence, Proof and Constructions

| Cluster | Experiment with transformations in the plane. |
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| M.GHS.1 | Know precise definitions of angle, circle, perpendicular line, parallel line, and <br> line segment, based on the undefined notions of point, line, distance along a <br> line, and distance around a circular arc. |
| M.GHS.2 | Represent transformations in the plane using, for example, transparencies and <br> geometry software; describe transformations as functions that take points in <br> the plane as inputs and give other points as outputs. Compare transformations <br> that preserve distance and angle to those that do not (e.g., translation versus <br> horizontal stretch). Instructional Note: Build on student experience with rigid <br> motions from earlier grades. Point out the basis of rigid motions in geometric <br> concepts, (e.g., translations move points a specified distance along a line <br> parallel to a specified line; rotations move objects along a circular arc with a <br> specified center through a specified angle). |
| M.GHS.3 | Given a rectangle, parallelogram, trapezoid, or regular polygon, describe the <br> rotations and reflections that carry it onto itself. Instructional Note: Build on <br> student experience with rigid motions from earlier grades. Point out the basis of <br> rigid motions in geometric concepts, (e.g., translations move points a specified <br> distance along a line parallel to a specified line; rotations move objects along a <br> circular arc with a specified center through a specified angle). |
| M.GHS.4 | Develop definitions of rotations, reflections, and translations in terms of angles, <br> circles, perpendicular lines, parallel lines, and line segments. Instructional <br> Note: Build on student experience with rigid motions from earlier grades. Point <br> out the basis of rigid motions in geometric concepts (e.g., translations move <br> points a specified distance along a line parallel to a specified line; rotations <br> move objects along a circular arc with a specified center through a specified <br> angle). |
| M.GHS.5 | Given a geometric figure and a rotation, reflection, or translation, draw the <br> transformed figure using, for example, graph paper, tracing paper, or geometry <br> software. Specify a sequence of transformations that will carry a given figure <br> onto another. Instructional Note: Build on student experience with rigid <br> motions from earlier grades. Point out the basis of rigid motions in geometric <br> concepts, (e.g., translations move points a specified distance along a line |


|  | parallel to a specified line; rotations move objects along a circular arc with a <br> specified center through a specified angle) |
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| Cluster | Understand congruence in terms of rigid motions. <br> M.GHS.6 <br> Use geometric descriptions of rigid motions to transform figures and to predict <br> the effect of a given rigid motion on a given figure; given two figures, use the <br> definition of congruence in terms of rigid motions to decide if they are <br> congruent. Instructional Note: Rigid motions are at the foundation of the <br> definition of congruence. Students reason from the basic properties of rigid <br> motions (that they preserve distance and angle), which are assumed without <br> proof. Rigid motions and their assumed properties can be used to establish the <br> usual triangle congruence criteria, which can then be used to prove other <br> theorems. <br> M.GHS.7 <br> Use the definition of congruence in terms of rigid motions to show that two <br> triangles are congruent if and only if corresponding pairs of sides and <br> corresponding pairs of angles are congruent. Instructional Note: Rigid motions <br> are at the foundation of the definition of congruence. Students reason from the <br> basic properties of rigid motions (that they preserve distance and angle), which <br> are assumed without proof. Rigid motions and their assumed properties can be <br> used to establish the usual triangle congruence criteria, which can then be used <br> to prove other theorems. <br> M.GHS.8 <br> Explain how the criteria for triangle congruence (ASA, SAS, and SSS) follow from <br> the definition of congruence in terms of rigid motions. Instructional Note: Rigid <br> motions are at the foundation of the definition of congruence. Students reason <br> from the basic properties of rigid motions (that they preserve distance and <br> angle), which are assumed without proof. Rigid motions and their assumed <br> properties can be used to establish the usual triangle congruence criteria, which <br> can then be used to prove other theorems. |

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\begin{array}{|l|l|}\hline \text { Cluster } & \text { Prove geometric theorems. } \\
\hline \text { M.GHS.9 } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Prove theorems about lines and angles. Theorems include: vertical angles are } \\
\text { congruent; when a transversal crosses parallel lines, alternate interior angles } \\
\text { are congruent and corresponding angles are congruent; points on a } \\
\text { perpendicular bisector of a line segment are exactly those equidistant from the } \\
\text { segment's endpoints. Instructional Note: Encourage multiple ways of writing } \\
\text { proofs, such as in narrative paragraphs, using flow diagrams, in two-column } \\
\text { format, and using diagrams without words. Students should be encouraged to } \\
\text { focus on the validity of the underlying reasoning while exploring a variety of } \\
\text { formats for expressing that reasoning. }\end{array} \\
\hline \text { M.GHS.10 } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Prove theorems about triangles. Theorems include: measures of interior angles } \\
\text { of a triangle sum to 180 ; base angles of isosceles triangles are congruent; the } \\
\text { segment joining midpoints of two sides of a triangle is parallel to the third side } \\
\text { and half the length; the medians of a triangle meet at a point. Instructional }\end{array}
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|  | reasoning. Implementation of this standard may be extended to include <br> concurrence of perpendicular bisectors and angle bisectors as preparation for <br> M.GHS.36. |
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| M.GHS.11 | Prove theorems about parallelograms. Theorems include: opposite sides are <br> congruent, opposite angles are congruent, the diagonals of a parallelogram <br> bisect each other, and conversely, rectangles are parallelograms with congruent <br> diagonals. Instructional Note: Encourage multiple ways of writing proofs, such <br> as in narrative paragraphs, using flow diagrams, in two-column format, and <br> using diagrams without words. Students should be encouraged to focus on the <br> validity of the underlying reasoning while exploring a variety of formats for <br> expressing that reasoning. |


| Cluster | Make geometric constructions. |
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| M.GHS.12 | Make formal geometric constructions with a variety of tools and methods <br> (compass and straightedge, string, reflective devices, paper folding, dynamic <br> geometric software, etc.). Copying a segment; copying an angle; bisecting a <br> segment; bisecting an angle; constructing perpendicular lines, including the <br> perpendicular bisector of a line segment; and constructing a line parallel to a <br> given line through a point not on the line. Instructional Note: Build on prior <br> student experience with simple constructions. Emphasize the ability to formalize <br> and explain how these constructions result in the desired objects. Some of these <br> constructions are closely related to previous standards and can be introduced in <br> conjunction with them. |
| M.GHS.13 | Construct an equilateral triangle, a square, and a regular hexagon inscribed in a <br> circle. Instructional Note: Build on prior student experience with simple <br> constructions. Emphasize the ability to formalize and explain how these <br> constructions result in the desired objects. Some of these constructions are <br> closely related to previous standards and can be introduced in conjunction with <br> them. |

Similarity, Proof, and Trigonometry

| Cluster | Understand similarity in terms of similarity transformations. |
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| M.GHS.14 | Verify experimentally the properties of dilations given by a center and a scale <br> factor. <br> a. A dilation takes a line not passing through the center of the dilation to a <br> parallel line, and leaves a line passing through the center unchanged. <br> b. The dilation of a line segment is longer or shorter in the ratio given by <br> the scale factor. |
| M.GHS.15 | Given two figures, use the definition of similarity in terms of similarity <br> transformations to decide if they are similar; explain using similarity <br> transformations the meaning of similarity for triangles as the equality of all <br> corresponding pairs of angles and the proportionality of all corresponding pairs <br> of sides. |
| M.GHS.16 | Use the properties of similarity transformations to establish the AA criterion for <br> two triangles to be similar. |


| Cluster | Prove theorems involving similarity. |
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| M.GHS.17 | Prove theorems about triangles. Theorems include: a line parallel to one side of <br> a triangle divides the other two proportionally, and conversely; the <br> Pythagorean Theorem proved using triangle similarity. |
| M.GHS.18 | Use congruence and similarity criteria for triangles to solve problems and to <br> prove relationships in geometric figures. |


| Cluster | Define trigonometric ratios and solve problems involving right triangles. |
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| M.GHS.19 | Understand that by similarity, side ratios in right triangles are properties of the <br> angles in the triangle, leading to definitions of trigonometric ratios for acute <br> angles. |
| M.GHS.20 | Explain and use the relationship between the sine and cosine of <br> complementary angles. |
| M.GHS.21 | Use trigonometric ratios and the Pythagorean Theorem to solve right triangles <br> in applied problems. |


| Cluster | Apply trigonometry to general triangles. |
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| M.GHS.22 | Derive the formula $\mathrm{A}=1 / 2 \mathrm{ab} \sin (\mathrm{C})$ for the area of a triangle by drawing an <br> auxiliary line from a vertex perpendicular to the opposite side. |
| M.GHS.23 | Prove the Laws of Sines and Cosines and use them to solve problems. <br> Instructional Note: With respect to the general case of the Laws of Sines and <br> Cosines, the definitions of sine and cosine must be extended to obtuse angles. |
| M.GHS.24 | Understand and apply the Law of Sines and the Law of Cosines to find unknown <br> measurements in right and non-right triangles. Instructional Note: With <br> respect to the general case of the Laws of Sines and Cosines, the definitions of <br> sine and cosine must be extended to obtuse angles. |

## Extending to Three Dimensions

| Cluster | Explain volume formulas and use them to solve problems. |
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| M.GHS.25 | Give an informal argument for the formulas for the circumference of a circle, <br> area of a circle, volume of a cylinder, pyramid, and cone. Use dissection <br> arguments, Cavalieri's principle, and informal limit arguments. Instructional <br> Note: Informal arguments for area and volume formulas can make use of the <br> way in which area and volume scale under similarity transformations: when one <br> figure in the plane results from another by applying a similarity transformation <br> with scale factor k, its area is $k^{2}$ times the area of the first. Similarly, volumes of <br> solid figures scale by $k^{3}$ under a similarity transformation with scale factor k. |
| M.GHS.26 | Use volume formulas for cylinders, pyramids, cones, and spheres to solve <br> problems. Instructional Note: Informal arguments for area and volume <br> formulas can make use of the way in which area and volume scale under <br> similarity transformations: when one figure in the plane results from another by <br> applying a similarity transformation with scale factor k, its area is $k^{2}$ times the <br> area of the first. Similarly, volumes of solid figures scale by $k^{3}$ under a similarity <br> transformation with scale factor k. |


| Cluster | Visualize the relation between two dimensional and three-dimensional objects. |
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| M.GHS.27 | Identify the shapes of two-dimensional cross-sections of three-dimensional <br> objects, and identify three-dimensional objects generated by rotations of two- <br> dimensional objects. |


| Cluster | Apply geometric concepts in modeling situations. |
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| M.GHS.28 | Use geometric shapes, their measures, and their properties to describe objects <br> (e.g., modeling a tree trunk or a human torso as a cylinder). Instructional Note: <br> Focus on situations that require relating two- and three-dimensional objects, <br> determining and using volume, and the trigonometry of general triangles. |

## Connecting Algebra and Geometry Through Coordinates

(This unit has a close connection with the unit, Circles With and Without Coordinates. Reasoning with triangles in this unit is limited to right triangles; e.g., derive the equation for a line through two points using similar right triangles. Relate work on parallel lines to work in High School Algebra I involving systems of equations having no solution or infinitely many solutions. M.GHS. 32 provides practice with the distance formula and its connection with the Pythagorean Theorem.)

| Cluster | Use coordinates to prove simple geometric theorems algebraically. |
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| M.GHS.29 | Use coordinates to prove simple geometric theorems algebraically. (e.g., Prove <br> or disprove that a figure defined by four given points in the coordinate plane is a <br> rectangle; prove or disprove that the point (1, $\sqrt{3})$ lies on the circle centered at <br> the origin and containing the point (0, 2). |
| M.GHS.30 | Prove the slope criteria for parallel and perpendicular lines and uses them to <br> solve geometric problems. (e.g., Find the equation of a line parallel or <br> perpendicular to a given line that passes through a given point.) Instructional <br> Note: Relate work on parallel lines to work in High School Algebra I involving <br> systems of equations having no solution or infinitely many solutions. |
| M.GHS.31 | Find the point on a directed line segment between two given points that <br> partitions the segment in a given ratio. |
| M.GHS.32 | Use coordinates to compute perimeters of polygons and areas of triangles and <br> rectangles, e.g., using the distance formula. This standard provides practice with <br> the distance formula and its connection with the Pythagorean theorem. |


| Cluster | Translate between the geometric description and the equation for a conic <br> section. |
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| M.GHS.33 | Derive the equation of a parabola given a focus and directrix. Instructional Note: <br> The directrix should be parallel to a coordinate axis. |

## Circles With and Without Coordinates

| Cluster | Understand and apply theorems about circles. |
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| M.GHS.34 | Prove that all circles are similar. |
| M.GHS.35 | Identify and describe relationships among inscribed angles, radii, and chords. <br> Include the relationship between central, inscribed, and circumscribed angles; <br> inscribed angles on a diameter are right angles; the radius of a circle is <br> perpendicular to the tangent where the radius intersects the circle. |
| M.GHS.36 | Construct the inscribed and circumscribed circles of a triangle, and prove <br> properties of angles for a quadrilateral inscribed in a circle. |
| M.GHS.37 | Construct a tangent line from a point outside a given circle to the circle. |


| Cluster | Find arc lengths and areas of sectors of circles. |
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| M.GHS.38 | Derive using similarity the fact that the length of the arc intercepted by an <br> angle is proportional to the radius, and define the radian measure of the angle <br> as the constant of proportionality; derive the formula for the area of a sector. <br> Instructional Note: Emphasize the similarity of all circles. Reason that by <br> similarity of sectors with the same central angle, arc lengths are proportional to <br> the radius. Use this as a basis for introducing radian as a unit of measure. It is <br> not intended that it be applied to the development of circular trigonometry in <br> this course. |


| Cluster | Translate between the geometric description and the equation for a conic <br> section. |
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| M.GHS.39 | Derive the equation of a circle of given center and radius using the Pythagorean <br> Theorem; complete the square to find the center and radius of a circle given by <br> an equation. |


| Cluster | Use coordinates to prove simple geometric theorems algebraically. |
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| M.GHS.40 | Use coordinates to prove simple geometric theorems algebraically. (e.g., Prove <br> or disprove that a figure defined by four given points in the coordinate plane is a <br> rectangle; prove or disprove that the point ( $1, \sqrt{3}$ ) lies on the circle centered at <br> the origin and containing the point ( 0,2$).)$ Instructional Note: Include simple <br> proofs involving circles. |


| Cluster | Apply geometric concepts in modeling situations. |
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| M.GHS.41 | Use geometric shapes, their measures, and their properties to describe objects <br> (e.g., modeling a tree trunk or a human torso as a cylinder). Instructional Note: <br> Focus on situations in which the analysis of circles is required. |

Applications of Probability

| Cluster | Understand independence and conditional probability and use them to <br> interpret data. |
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| M.GHS.42 | Describe events as subsets of a sample space (the set of outcomes) using <br> characteristics (or categories) of the outcomes, or as unions, intersections, or <br> complements of other events ("or," "and," "not"). |


| M.GHS.43 | Understand that two events A and B are independent if the probability of A and B <br> occurring together is the product of their probabilities, and use this <br> characterization to determine if they are independent. |
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| M.GHS.44 | Recognize the conditional probability of A given B as P(A and B)/P(B), and <br> interpret independence of A and B as saying that the conditional probability of A <br> given B is the same as the probability of A, and the conditional probability of B <br> given A is the same as the probability of B. Instructional Note: Build on work <br> with two-way tables from Algebra I to develop understanding of conditional <br> probability and independence. |
| M.GHS.45 | Construct and interpret two-way frequency tables of data when two categories <br> are associated with each object being classified. Use the two-way table as a <br> sample space to decide if events are independent and to approximate <br> conditional probabilities. For example, collect data from a random sample of <br> students in your school on their favorite subject among math, science, and <br> English. Estimate the probability that a randomly selected student from your <br> school will favor science given that the student is in tenth grade. Do the same for <br> other subjects and compare the results. Instructional Note: Build on work with <br> two-way tables from Algebra I to develop understanding of conditional <br> probability and independence. |
| M.GHS.46 | Recognize and explain the concepts of conditional probability and independence <br> in everyday language and everyday situations. For example, compare the chance <br> of having lung cancer if you are a smoker with the chance of being a smoker if <br> you have lung cancer. |


| Cluster | Use the rules of probability to compute probabilities of compound events in a <br> uniform probability model. |
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| M.GHS.47 | Find the conditional probability of A given $B$ as the fraction of $B$ 's outcomes that <br> also belong to $A$, and interpret the answer in terms of the model. |
| M.GHS.48 | Apply the Addition Rule, $P(A$ or $B)=P(A)+P(B)-P(A$ and $B)$, and interpret the <br> answer in terms of the model. |
| M.GHS.49 | Apply the general Multiplication Rule in a uniform probability model, P(A and $B)$ <br> = $P(A) P(B \mid A)=P(B) P(A \mid B)$, and interpret the answer in terms of the model. |
| M.GHS.50 | Use permutations and combinations to compute probabilities of compound <br> events and solve problems. |


| Cluster | Use probability to evaluate outcomes of decisions. <br> Instructional Note: This unit sets the stage for work in Algebra II, where the <br> ideas of statistical inference are introduced. Evaluating the risks associated with <br> conclusions drawn from sample data (i.e. incomplete information) requires an <br> understanding of probability concepts. |
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| M.GHS.51 | Use probabilities to make fair decisions (e.g., drawing by lots and/or using a <br> random number generator). |
| M.GHS.52 | Analyze decisions and strategies using probability concepts (e.g., product testing, <br> medical testing, and/or pulling a hockey goalie at the end of a game). |

## Modeling with Geometry

| Cluster | Visualize relationships between two dimensional and three-dimensional objects <br> and apply geometric concepts in modeling situations. |
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| M.GHS.53 | Use geometric shapes, their measures, and their properties to describe objects <br> (e.g., modeling a tree trunk or a human torso as a cylinder). |
| M.GHS.54 | Apply concepts of density based on area and volume in modeling situations (e.g., <br> persons per square mile, BTUs per cubic foot). |
| M.GHS.55 | Apply geometric methods to solve design problems (e.g., designing an object or <br> structure to satisfy physical constraints or minimize cost; working with <br> typographic grid systems based on ratios). |

