# Some Key Vocabulary to Keep in Mind

# Unit A: Expressions and Equations

#### Topic 1

- Expression (NO = SIGN) vs. Equation (EQUAL SIGN)
- > Numerical Expression: contains numbers and operational symbols
- > Algebraic Expressions: contains numbers, variables, and operational symbols
- Order of Operations:

P - ()

E - Exponents

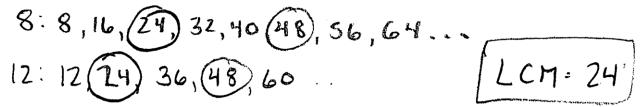
 $\mathbf{M} \leftarrow \rightarrow \mathbf{D}$  Whichever comes first.

- $\triangleright$  Exponents:  $4^3 = 4 \cdot 4 \cdot 4$  or 64, 4 is the Base and 3 is the Exponent or Power
- > Variable: (Unknown) Letter / Coefficient: # in front of Variable / Constant: Number All Alone
- > Term: Either a single number or a variable, or number and variable multiplied together separated by a + or - sign.
- > Sum (+), Difference (-), Product (×) Factors (#'s being Multiplied), Quotient (÷)

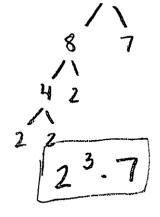
- Equivalent Numerical Expressions: When you evaluate them, they equal the same value.
- $\triangleright$  Identity Property of Addition: 3+0=3
- $\triangleright$  Identity Property of Multiplication:  $7 \cdot 1 = 7$
- $\triangleright$  Zero Property of Multiplication:  $5 \cdot 0 = 0$
- Commutative Property of Addition/Multiplication:  $3 \cdot 4 = 4 \cdot 3$
- Associative Property of Addition/Multiplication: 3 + (4+6) = (3+4) + 6
- **Distributive Property:** 3(4x+5)=12x+15
- **Greatest Common Factor**: Highest number that divides evenly into two or more numbers

List: 
$$\frac{24}{1,24}$$
 18  
2,12 2,9  
3,8  
4 6

➤ <u>Least Common Multiple</u>: SKIP COUNT. First # the two or more numbers have in common. Find the LCM of 8 and 12.



- > Prime Numbers: Only 2 factors, 1 and itself.
- ➤ Prime Factorization: Factor Tree → Find the Prime Factorization of 56
- $\rightarrow$  y+y+y+y=4y while  $y \cdot y \cdot y \cdot y = y^4$



Topic 3

> Solve and Check the Following Equation:

$$3x - 3 = 13 + 15 + 15 = 18 = 3$$

$$3x = 18 = 3$$

$$x = 6$$

- > Inverse Operations: Operations that Undo Each Other.
- $\rightarrow$   $\bigcirc$   $\rightarrow$  < and >  $\bigcirc$   $\rightarrow$   $\leq$  and  $\geq$
- > Equations have **ONE Solution.** Inequalities have **INFINITE Solutions.**

- > **Dependent Variable**: Changes in response to another Variable (y)
- > Independent Variable: Affects change on the Dependent Variable (x)

#### Unit B: Number System Part 1

#### Topic 5 and Topic 6

- > Numerator: Top of Fraction / Denominator: Bottom of Fraction
- > Improper Fraction: Top is Bigger than Bottom / Proper Fraction: Top is Smaller than Bottom
- Mixed Number: A Whole Number and a Fraction
- > Simplest Form = Lowest Terms
- $\triangleright$  Reciprocals:  $\frac{3}{7} \rightarrow \frac{7}{3}$
- $\triangleright$  If the Product of TWO Numbers is 1  $\rightarrow$  The numbers are RECIPROCALS

$$4 \cdot 5\frac{3}{8}$$

Divide

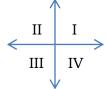
$$4\frac{2}{3} \div \frac{7}{9}$$

Unit C: Number System Part 2

- **Rational Numbers:** Can be written as a simple fraction.
- > Adding/Subtracting with Decimals: LINE UP DECIMAL POINTS
- Multiplying with Decimals: Ignore the decimal point and multiply normally. Then count how many decimal places the 2 numbers have combined. Starting at the right of your answer, move that many decimal places to the left and place the decimal point.
- Dividing with Decimals: Move the point to the right to make the divisor a whole number.
  Move the decimal the same amount of spaces to the right in the dividend.

#### Topic 8

- ➤ On a Number Line: Smaller Numbers ← Larger Numbers
- ➤ Opposite of a Number:  $8 \rightarrow -8$  /  $-8 \rightarrow 8$  / -(-8) = 8
- **Absolute Value**: |-9|=9 / |9|=9 / -|-9|=-9
- > Distance is Always Positive
- $\triangleright$  Ordered Pair or Coordinates (x, y): x: side to side y: up and down
- Quadrants:



# Topic 9

- Converting a Decimal to Fraction: 0.84 is eighty-four *hundredths* or  $\frac{84}{100} = \frac{21}{25}$
- ➤ Converting Fraction to Decimal: DIVIDE → Top Number Goes "In the House."
- ➤ Equivalent Fractions: Two Fractions that Are Equal → Same Decimal

# Unit D: Ratio and Proportional Relationships

- **Ratio**: Relationship for every x units of one quantity there are y units of another quantity.
- > Representing a Ratio:
  - o Using a Colon: 9:16
  - o Fraction:  $\frac{9}{16}$
  - o Decimal: 0.5625
  - o Words: For every 9 fiction books, Billy has 16 non-fiction books.
- > Equivalent Ratios express the same relationship
  - o Same Decimal / Equal Cross Products / Will Reduce to Same Fraction.
- > You can find equivalent ratios by multiplying or dividing each term of the ratio by the same nonzero number.

## Topic 11

- **Rate**: A ratio involving 2 quantities measured in Different Units.
- > Unit Rate/Price: A Rate/Price for ONE UNIT. Unit Rate as a Fraction the Denominator is 1.
- > Conversion Factors are used to convert 2 Units of Measure
  - Reference Sheet has Many Conversion Factors
  - o 1 Yard = 3 Feet
  - o 1 Foot = 12 Inches
  - o 1 Yard 36 Inches

#### Topic 12

- > Proportional Relationship: Goes Through (0, 0)
- $\geq \underline{Slope of a Proportional Relationship:} \frac{rise}{run} = \frac{change in y}{change in x}$
- **Percents:**  $\frac{\%}{100} = \frac{\text{part}}{\text{whole}}$  Proportion Application:  $\frac{\%}{100} = \frac{\text{is}}{\text{of}}$
- > Tax / Tip / Markup / Interest: Calculate the Percent and ADD to Total.
- > **Discount / Markdown:** Calculate the Percent and SUBTRACT from Total.

# Unit E: Geometry

#### Topic 13

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- > Polygon: A closed figure formed by 3 or more line segments
- Vertex: Any point where two sides of a polygon meet
- ➤ Parallel Lines DO NOT Cross / Perpendicular Lines Meet AT A 90° ANGLE
- Area:
  - $\circ$  Square: Area = (side)<sup>2</sup>
- o Rectangle: Area = base × height
- o Parallelogram: Area = base × height
- $\circ \quad \text{Triangle: Area} = \frac{\text{base} \times \text{height}}{2}$

Area = 
$$\frac{h \cdot (b_1 + b_2)}{2}$$

- ➤ Base and Height Make a Right Angle (Perpendicular)
- > Area of Polygon: Split Shape Up into Squares, Rectangles, and Triangles and Add together all Area
- > Area of the Shaded Region: Area of Big Shape Area of Smaller Missing Piece

- ➤ Face: Sides of a 3D Solid / Edge: Where 2 Faces meet / Vertex: Corner
- ➤ Name a polygon by its Base (Bottom)
  - o Prisms: 2 Parallel and Identical Bases
  - o Pyramids: Faces meet at a Single Vertex
- ➤ **Net:** Flat Representation of ALL Sides of a 3D solid.
- > Surface Area: ADD up AREA of ALL SURFACES
- > Volume: How much Space is Inside a Solid
  - o Rectangular Prism: Volume = length × width × height