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Number and Operations									
Understand numbers, ways of representing numbers, relationships among numbers, and number systems		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Understand meanings of operations and how they relate to one another		•	•	٠	•	•	•	•	
Compute fluently and make reasonable estimates		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Algebra									
Understand patterns, relations, and functions		•	•	•			•	•	
Represent and analyze mathematical situations and structures using algebraic symbols		•	•	•		•	•	•	
Use mathematical models to represent and understand quantitative relationships		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Geometry									
Analyze characteristics and properties of 2- and 3- dimensional geometric shapes and develop mathematical arguments about geometric relationships					•				
Specify locations and describe spatial relationships using coordinate geometry and other representational systems	•								





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Problem Solving									
Build new mathematical knowledge through problem solving	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Reasoning and Proof									
Recognize reasoning and proof as fundamental aspects of mathematics	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Communication									
Organize and consolidate their mathematical thinking through communication	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Communicate their mathematical thinking coherently and clearly to peers, teachers, and others	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Use the language of mathematics to express mathematical ideas precisely	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Connections									
Recognize and use connections among mathematical ideas	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Understand how mathematical ideas interconnect and build on one another to produce a coherent whole	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Representation									
Create and use representations to organize, record, and communicate mathematical ideas	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	

