

# grade 6 math

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## Content, Standards, & Objectives

This document contains an ordered list of all of the topics from the scope and sequence of Thinkwell's Grade 6 Math, along with the learning objectives covered in each topic and the corresponding standards.

Although Thinkwell's Grade 6 Math was not designed as a common core curriculum, this document is provided for those customers whose state homeschool requirements include common core standard mapping information.

**Example:**

*Topic's number and title* → **2.2.4 Multiplication Equations**

**Learning Objectives:**

*Topic's learning objectives* → 

- solving multiplication equations
- problem-solving application

*Topic's related standard from the Grade 6 Common Core State Standards for Mathematics* → **Standards:**  
→ 6.EE: 6, 6.EE: 7

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## 1 Whole Numbers and Patterns

### 1.1 Whole Numbers and Exponents

#### 1.1.1 Comparing and Ordering Whole Numbers

**Learning Objectives:**

- *using place value to compare whole numbers*
- *using a number line to order whole numbers*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 7, 6.NS: 7a

#### 1.1.2 Estimating with Whole Numbers

**Learning Objectives:**

- *estimating a sum or difference by rounding*
- *estimating a product by rounding*
- *estimating a quotient using compatible numbers*

#### 1.1.3 Exponents

**Learning Objectives:**

- *writing numbers in exponential form*
- *finding the value of numbers in exponential form*
- *problem-solving application*

**Standards:**

6.EE: 1

### 1.2 Using Whole Numbers

#### 1.2.1 Order of Operations

**Learning Objectives:**

- *using the order of operations*
- *using the order of operations with exponents*
- *consumer application*

**Standards:**

6.EE: 1

**1.2.2 Properties and Reasoning Methods**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *using properties to add and multiply whole numbers*
- *using the distributive property to multiply*

**1.2.3 Choose the Method of Computation**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *computation application*

**1.2.4 Patterns and Sequences**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *extending arithmetic sequences*
- *completing other sequences*

## 2 Introduction to Algebra

### 2.1 Variables and Expressions

#### 2.1.1 Variables and Expressions

**Learning Objectives:**

- *evaluating algebraic expressions*
- *evaluating expressions with two variables*

**Standards:**

6.EE: 2, 6.EE: 2c, 6.EE: 6

#### 2.1.2 Translate Between Words and Math

**Learning Objectives:**

- *introduction to translating between words and math*
- *translating words into math*
- *translating math into words*

**Standards:**

6.EE: 2, 6.EE: 2a, 6.EE: 2b, 6.EE: 6

#### 2.1.3 Translating Between Tables and Expressions

**Learning Objectives:**

- *writing an expression*
- *writing an expression for a sequence*
- *writing an expression for the area of a figure*

**Standards:**

6.EE: 2, 6.EE: 6

### 2.2 Introduction to Equations

#### 2.2.1 Equations and Their Solutions

**Learning Objectives:**

- *determining solutions of equations*
- *measurement application*

**Standards:**

6.EE: 5, 6.EE: 6



### **2.2.2 Addition Equations**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *introduction to solving equations*
- *problem-solving application*

**Standards:**

6.EE: 6, 6.EE: 7

### **2.2.3 Subtraction Equations**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *solving subtraction equations by adding*

### **2.2.4 Multiplication Equations**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *solving multiplication equations*
- *problem-solving application*

**Standards:**

6.EE: 6, 6.EE: 7

### **2.2.5 Division Equations**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *solving division equations*
- *problem-solving application*

**Standards:**

6.EE: 6



## 3 Decimals

### 3.1 Introduction to Decimals

#### 3.1.1 Representing, Comparing, and Ordering Decimals

**Learning Objectives:**

- *introduction to place value*
- *expressing decimals in standard form*
- *comparing and ordering decimals*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 7

#### 3.1.2 Rounding and Estimating Decimals

**Learning Objectives:**

- *rounding monetary values*
- *rounding decimals*
- *rounding decimals to estimate sums*

#### 3.1.3 Adding and Subtracting Decimals

**Learning Objectives:**

- *adding and subtracting decimals*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 3

### 3.2 Multiplying and Dividing Decimals

#### 3.2.1 Multiplying Decimals

**Learning Objectives:**

- *multiplying a decimal by a whole number*
- *multiplying decimals*
- *problem-solving application*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 3, 6.EE: 2, 6.EE: 2c

#### 3.2.2 Applying Exponents: Scientific Notation

**Learning Objectives:**

- *multiplying by powers of ten*
- *writing numbers in scientific notation*
- *writing numbers in standard form*
- *comparing numbers in scientific notation*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 7, 6.EE: 1

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### 3.2.3 Dividing Decimals by Whole Numbers

**Learning Objectives:**

- *dividing decimals by whole numbers*
- *rounding a decimal quotient*
- *problem-solving application*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 2, 6.NS: 3

### 3.2.4 Dividing by Decimals

**Learning Objectives:**

- *dividing a whole number by a decimal*
- *dividing decimals by decimals*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 2, 6.NS: 3

### 3.2.5 Solving Decimal Equations

**Learning Objectives:**

- *solving equations with decimals*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 2, 6.NS: 3, 6.EE: 7

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## 4 Number Theory and Fractions

### 4.1 Number Theory

#### 4.1.1 Divisibility

**Learning Objectives:**

- *checking divisibility*
- *identifying prime and composite numbers*

#### 4.1.2 Factors and Prime Factorization

**Learning Objectives:**

- *finding factors*
- *writing prime factorizations*

#### 4.1.3 Greatest Common Factor

**Learning Objectives:**

- *finding the *gcf**
- *problem-solving application*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 4

### 4.2 Representing Fractions

#### 4.2.1 Decimals and Fractions

**Learning Objectives:**

- *writing decimals as fractions or mixed numbers*
- *writing fractions as decimals*
- *comparing and ordering fractions and decimals*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 2, 6.NS: 3, 6.NS: 7, 6.NS: 7a

#### 4.2.2 Equivalent Fractions

**Learning Objectives:**

- *finding equivalent fractions*
- *multiplying and dividing to find equivalent fractions*
- *writing fractions in simplest form*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 4

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### 4.2.3 Mixed Numbers and Improper Fractions

**Learning Objectives:**

- *cooking application*
- *writing mixed numbers as improper fractions*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 2

## 4.3 Introduction to Operations with Fractions

### 4.3.1 Comparing and Ordering Fractions

**Learning Objectives:**

- *comparing like fractions*
- *cooking application*
- *ordering fractions*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 7, 6.NS: 7a, 6.NS: 7b

### 4.3.2 Adding and Subtracting with Like Denominators

**Learning Objectives:**

- *life science application*
- *subtracting like fractions and mixed numbers*
- *evaluating expressions with fractions*

**Standards:**

6.EE: 2, 6.EE: 2c

### 4.3.3 Estimating Fraction Sums and Differences

**Learning Objectives:**

- *estimating fractions*
- *sports application*

## 5 Operations with Fractions

### 5.1 Adding and Subtracting Fractions

#### 5.1.1 Least Common Multiple

**Learning Objectives:**

- *consumer application*
- *using multiples to find the lcm*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 4

#### 5.1.2 Adding and Subtracting with Unlike Denominators

**Learning Objectives:**

- *horticulture application*
- *adding and subtracting unlike fractions*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 4

#### 5.1.3 Adding and Subtracting Mixed Numbers

**Learning Objectives:**

- *adding and subtracting mixed numbers*
- *measurement application*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 4

#### 5.1.4 Regrouping to Subtract Mixed Numbers

**Learning Objectives:**

- *regrouping mixed numbers*
- *measurement application*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 4

### 5.2 Multiplying and Dividing Fractions

#### 5.2.1 Multiplying Fractions by Whole Numbers

**Learning Objectives:**

- *multiplying fractions by whole numbers*
- *evaluating fraction expressions*
- *social studies application*

**Standards:**

6.EE: 2, 6.EE: 2c

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**5.2.2 Multiplying Fractions**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *multiplying fractions*
- *evaluating fraction expressions*

**Standards:**

6.EE: 2, 6.EE: 2c

**5.2.3 Multiplying Mixed Numbers**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *multiplying fractions and mixed numbers*
- *multiplying mixed numbers*

**5.2.4 Dividing Fractions and Mixed Numbers**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *finding reciprocals*
- *using reciprocals to divide fractions and mixed numbers*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 1

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## 6 Data Displays

### 6.1 Organizing and Displaying Data

#### 6.1.1 Measures of Central Tendency

**Learning Objectives:**

- *finding measures of central tendency and range*
- *choosing the best measure of central tendency*
- *manufacturing application*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 2, 6.SP: 2, 6.SP: 5, 6.SP: 5c, 6.SP: 5d

#### 6.1.2 Frequency Tables, Stem-and-Leaf Plots, and Line Plots

**Learning Objectives:**

- *organizing and interpreting data in a frequency table*
- *organizing and interpreting data in a stem-and-leaf plot*
- *organizing and interpreting data in a line plot*

**Standards:**

6.SP: 2, 6.SP: 4, 6.SP: 5, 6.SP: 5a

#### 6.1.3 Bar Graphs and Histograms

**Learning Objectives:**

- *interpreting a bar graph*
- *making a double-bar graph*
- *making a histogram*

**Standards:**

6.SP: 2, 6.SP: 4, 6.SP: 5

## 7 Proportional Relationships

### 7.1 Ratios and Proportions

#### 7.1.1 Ratios and Rates

**Learning Objectives:**

- *writing ratios*
- *writing equivalent ratios*
- *consumer application*

**Standards:**

6.RP: 1, 6.RP: 2, 6.NS: 2

#### 7.1.2 Applying Rates and Ratios

**Learning Objectives:**

- *finding equivalent ratios and rates*
- *comparing rates*
- *consumer application*

**Standards:**

6.RP: 1, 6.RP: 3, 6.RP: 3a

#### 7.1.3 Proportions

**Learning Objectives:**

- *using equivalent ratios to solve proportions*
- *using cross products to complete proportions*
- *measurement application*

**Standards:**

6.RP: 1, 6.RP: 3, 6.RP: 3b, 6.EE: 6

### 7.2 Percent

#### 7.2.1 Percents

**Learning Objectives:**

- *modeling percents*
- *writing percents as fractions*
- *life science application*
- *writing percents as decimals*
- *biology application*

**Standards:**

6.RP: 1, 6.NS: 2

### **7.2.2 Percents, Decimals, and Fractions**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *writing decimals as percents*
- *writing fractions as percents*
- *drama application*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 2, 6.NS: 3, 6.EE: 6

### **7.2.3 Percent Problems**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *consumer math application*
- *technology application*
- *multiplying to find a percent of a number*

**Standards:**

6.RP: 1, 6.RP: 3, 6.RP: 3c, 6.NS: 2, 6.EE: 6

### **7.2.4 Using Percents**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *finding discounts*
- *finding tips*
- *finding sales tax*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 2

## 8 Geometric Relationships

### 8.1 Lines and Angles

#### 8.1.1 Points, Lines, and Planes

**Learning Objectives:**

- *identifying points, lines, and planes*
- *identifying line segments and rays*

#### 8.1.2 Measuring and Classifying Angles

**Learning Objectives:**

- *measuring an angle with a protractor*
- *drawing an angle with a protractor*
- *classifying angles*
- *art application*

#### 8.1.3 Angle Relationships

**Learning Objectives:**

- *identifying types of angle pairs*
- *identifying an unknown angle measure*

**Standards:**

6.EE: 6, 6.EE: 7

#### 8.1.4 Classifying Lines

**Learning Objectives:**

- *classifying pairs of lines*
- *traffic application*

### 8.2 Polygons

#### 8.2.1 Triangles

**Learning Objectives:**

- *triangle classifications by angles*
- *using properties of angles to label triangles*
- *classifying triangles by lengths of sides*

**Standards:**

6.EE: 6

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**8.2.2 Quadrilaterals**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *naming quadrilaterals*
- *classifying quadrilaterals*

**8.2.3 Polygons**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *identifying polygons*

**Standards:**

6.EE: 6, 6.EE: 7, 6G: 1

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## 9 Measurement

### 9.1 Customary and Metric Measurement

#### 9.1.1 Understanding Customary Units of Measure

**Learning Objectives:**

- *choosing appropriate units of length*
- *choosing appropriate units of weight*
- *choosing appropriate units of capacity*
- *estimating measurements*

#### 9.1.2 Understanding Metric Units of Measure

**Learning Objectives:**

- *choosing appropriate units of length*
- *choosing appropriate units of mass*
- *choosing appropriate units of capacity*
- *estimating measurements*

#### 9.1.3 Converting Customary Units

**Learning Objectives:**

- *using a conversion factor*
- *converting units of measure by using proportions*
- *problem-solving application*

**Standards:**

6.RP: 3, 6.RP: 3a, 6.RP: 3d, 6.EE: 6, 6.EE: 7

#### 9.1.4 Converting Metric Units

**Learning Objectives:**

- *converting metric units*
- *using powers of ten to convert metric units of measure*
- *converting metric units of measure*

**Standards:**

6.RP: 3d, 6.EE: 6

#### 9.1.5 Time and Temperature

**Learning Objectives:**

- *converting time*
- *finding elapsed time*
- *estimating temperature*

**Standards:**

6.RP: 3d

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## 9.2 Measuring Geometric Figures

### 9.2.1 Finding Angle Measures in Polygons

**Learning Objectives:**

- *subtracting to find angle measures*
- *estimating angle measures*
- *recreation application*

### 9.2.2 Perimeter

**Learning Objectives:**

- *finding the perimeter of a polygon*
- *using a formula to find perimeter*
- *finding unknown side lengths and the perimeter of a polygon*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 3, 6.EE: 6

### 9.2.3 Circles and Circumference

**Learning Objectives:**

- *naming parts of a circle*
- *architecture application*
- *using the formula for the circumference of a circle*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 3, 6.EE: 6, 6.EE: 7

## 10 Area and Volume

### 10.1 Area

#### 10.1.1 Area of Rectangles and Parallelograms

**Learning Objectives:**

- *estimating the area of an irregular figure*
- *finding the area of a rectangle*
- *finding the area of a parallelogram*
- *art application*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 3, 6G: 1

#### 10.1.2 Area of Triangles and Trapezoids

**Learning Objectives:**

- *finding the area of a triangle*
- *architecture application*
- *finding the area of a trapezoid*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 3, 6G: 1

#### 10.1.3 Area of Composite Figures

**Learning Objectives:**

- *finding areas of composite figures*
- *art application*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 3, 6G: 1

#### 10.1.4 Changing Dimensions

**Learning Objectives:**

- *changing dimensions*
- *measurement application*

#### 10.1.5 Area of Circles

**Learning Objectives:**

- *estimating the area of a circle*
- *using the formula for the area of a circle*
- *history application*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 3

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## 10.2 Volume and Surface Area

### 10.2.1 Three-Dimensional Figures

**Learning Objectives:**

- *identifying faces, edges, and vertices*
- *naming three-dimensional figures*

### 10.2.2 Volume of Prisms

**Learning Objectives:**

- *finding the volume of a rectangular prism*
- *finding the volume of a triangular prism*
- *problem-solving application*

**Standards:**

6G: 2

### 10.2.3 Volume of Cylinders

**Learning Objectives:**

- *finding the volume of a cylinder*
- *nutrition application*
- *comparing volumes of cylinders*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 3, 6.NS: 7b

### 10.2.4 Surface Area

**Learning Objectives:**

- *finding the surface area of a prism*
- *finding the surface area of a pyramid*
- *finding the surface area of a cylinder*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 3, 6G: 4

## 11 Integers and the Coordinate Plane

### 11.1 Introduction to Integers

#### 11.1.1 Integers in Real-World Situations

**Learning Objectives:**

- *identifying positive and negative numbers in the real world*
- *graphing integers*
- *writing integer expressions to represent situations*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 5, 6.NS: 6, 6.NS: 6a, 6.NS: 6c

#### 11.1.2 Comparing and Ordering Integers

**Learning Objectives:**

- *comparing integers*
- *ordering integers*
- *problem-solving application*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 5, 6.NS: 6, 6.NS: 6c, 6.NS: 7, 6.NS: 7a, 6.NS: 7b

#### 11.1.3 The Coordinate Plane

**Learning Objectives:**

- *identifying quadrants*
- *locating points on a coordinate plane*
- *graphing points on a coordinate plane*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 6, 6.NS: 6b, 6.NS: 6c

### 11.2 Operations with Integers

#### 11.2.1 Adding Integers

**Learning Objectives:**

- *writing integer addition*
- *adding integers*
- *evaluating integer expressions*
- *earth science application*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 5, 6.NS: 6, 6.NS: 6a, 6.NS: 6c

### **11.2.2 Subtracting Integers**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *writing integer subtraction*
- *subtracting integers*
- *evaluating integer expressions*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 5, 6.NS: 6, 6.NS: 6a, 6.NS: 6c

### **11.2.3 Multiplying Integers**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *multiplying integers*
- *evaluating integer expressions*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 5

### **11.2.4 Dividing Integers**

**Learning Objectives:**

- *dividing integers*
- *evaluating integer expressions*

**Standards:**

6.NS: 5