



# Whiteriver Unified School District Essential Standards

## Quarterly Focus

### What is it we expect students to learn?

Grade: 9th

Subject: Algebra 1  
Math

#### First Quarter

##### **A1.A-SSE.A.1.a**

Interpret expressions that represent a quantity in terms of its context.

##### **A1.A-SSE.A.1.b**

Interpret expressions by viewing parts as a single entity.

##### **A1.A-REI.A.1**

Explain each step in solving linear equations as following from the equality of numbers asserted at the previous step, starting from the assumption that the original equation has a solution. Construct a viable argument to justify a solution method.

##### **A1.N-RN.B.3**

Explain why the sum or product of two rational numbers is rational.

##### **A1.A-CED.A.1**

Create equations in one variable and use them to solve problems. Include problem-solving opportunities utilizing real-world context. Focus on linear function.

#### Second Quarter

##### **A1.A-CED.A.3**

Represent constraints by equations or inequalities.

##### **A1.A-REI.B.3**

Solve linear equations in one variable.

##### **A1.F-BF.A.1**

Write a function that describes a relationship between two quantities. Determine an explicit expression, a recursive process, or steps for calculation from real-world context

##### **A1.F-IF.A.2**

Evaluate a function for inputs in the domain, and interpret statements that use function notation in terms of a context

#### Third Quarter

##### **A1.F-IF.A.1**

Understand the concept of a function from one set (domain) to another set (range).

##### **A1.A-REI.D.10**

Understand that the graph of an equation in two variables is the set of all its solutions plotted in the coordinate plane, often forming a curve, which could be a line.

##### **A1.F-IF.B.4**

For a function that models a relationship between two quantities, interpret key features of graphs and tables in terms of the quantities, and sketch graphs showing key features given a verbal description of the relationship. Include problem-solving opportunities utilizing real-world context. Key features include: intercepts; intervals where the function is increasing, decreasing, positive, or negative; relative maximums and minimums. Focus on linear functions.

##### **A1.F-IF.C.8**

Write a function defined by an expression in different but equivalent

#### Fourth Quarter

##### **A1.A-SSE.B.3**

Choose and produce an equivalent form of an expression to reveal and explain properties of the quantity represented by the expression. a. Factor a quadratic expression to reveal the zeros of the function it defines. Complete the square in a quadratic expression to reveal the maximum or minimum value of the function it defines.

##### **A1.F-LE.A.1**

Construct and compare linear, quadratic, and exponential models and solve problems.

##### **A. 1.F-LE.A.2**

Construct linear and exponential functions, including arithmetic and geometric sequences, given a graph, a description of a relationship, or input/output pairs.

##### **A1.S-ID.A.2**

Use statistics appropriate to the shape of the data distribution to compare center (median, mean) and spread (interquartile range, standard deviation) of two or more different data sets.



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- *Endurance- Knowledge and skills of value beyond a single date*
  - *Leverage- Knowledge and skills valuable in multiple disciplines*
  - *Readiness for the next level of learning- Knowledge and skills that are necessary for success in the next grade level or the next level of instruction*