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**Coal City Unit District #1**  
**Math 8**  
**Math Curriculum**

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**MA.8:1 Students will be able to identify numbers that are not rational, and approximate them using rational numbers. (NS)**

- MA.8:1-1 Identify whether numbers are rational or irrational.
- MA.8:1-2 Approximate irrational numbers. (e.g. approximate the 3<sup>rd</sup> root of 10)
- MA.8:1-3 Plot approximations of irrational numbers on a number line. (e.g. graph the 3<sup>rd</sup> root of 10)

**MA.8:2 Students will be able to solve problems involving radicals and integer exponents. (EE)**

- MA.8:2-1 Generate equivalent numerical expressions using the properties of integer exponents, both positive and negative. (i.e.  $3^2 \times 3^{-6} = 3^{-4}$ )
- MA.8:2-2 Evaluate square roots of perfect squares (1-15) and cube roots of perfect cubes (1-10), demonstrating knowledge that the square/cube roots that do not simplify to an integer are irrational.

**MA.8:3 Students will be able to analyze and use scientific notation to solve various problems. (EE)**

- MA.8:3-1 Converting numbers in standard notation to scientific notation or vice versa.
- MA.8:3-2 Compare numbers written in scientific notation.
- MA.8:3-3 Add and subtract numbers in scientific notation.
- MA.8:3-4 Multiply and divide numbers in scientific notation.

**MA.8:4 Students will be able to identify connections between proportional relationships, lines, and linear equations. (EE)**

- MA.8:4-1 Graph linear equations.
- MA.8:4-2 Identify the slope and y–intercept of a graphed line.
- MA.8:4-3 Compare slopes when given two different proportional relationships represented in two different ways. (e.g. compare a distance-time equation and a distance-time graph to determine which of two moving objects has greater speed.)

**MA.8:5 Students will be able to solve linear equations and solve pairs of simultaneous linear equations. (EE)**

- MA.8:5-1 Solve linear equations in one variable that include using the distributive property and adding like terms within the equation, in one variable.
- MA.8:5-2 Solve simultaneous equations using algebra. (e.g. using the substitution or the elimination method)
- MA.8:5-3 Solve simultaneous equations by graphing.

**MA.8:6 Students will be able to define, evaluate, and compare functions. (F)**

- MA.8:6-1 Define/identify a function.
- MA.8:6-2 Compare the rate of change of functions given in different forms. (e.g. algebraically, graphically, numerically in tables, or by verbal descriptions)
- MA.8:6-3 Identify, graph or write a linear function in the form  $y=mx+b$ .

**MA.8:7 Students will be able to use functions to model relationships between quantities. (F)**

- MA.8:7-1 Construct a function to model a linear relationship between two quantities.
- MA.8:7-2 Describe qualitatively the functional relationship between two quantities by analyzing a graph. (e.g. looking at a graphed line,  $y=5x$  or  $y=2x$ )

**MA.8:8 Students will be able to recognize congruence and similarity using physical models, transparencies, or geometry software. (G)**

- MA.8:8-1 Identify a shape or point that is reflected, translated, rotated, or dilated on the rectangular coordinate system.
- MA.8:8-2 Graph a shape or point that is reflected, translated, rotated, or dilated on the rectangular coordinate system.
- MA.8:8-3 Determine if two figures are congruent when given either their angles or side lengths.

**MA.8:9 Students will be able to apply the Pythagorean Theorem. (G)**

- MA.8:9-1 Determine if a right triangle exists when given the lengths of the three sides of the triangle.
- MA.8:9-2 Find a missing leg or hypotenuse of a right triangle given the other 2 side lengths.
- MA.8:9-3 Solve real world problems using the Pythagorean Theorem for 2 or 3 dimensional figures.
- MA.8:9-4 Find the distance between two points in a coordinate system by using the Pythagorean Theorem.

**MA.8:10 Students will be able to solve mathematical and real world problems involving volume of cylinders, cones, and spheres. (G)**

- MA.8:10-1 Apply the formula for volume of a cylinder to solve mathematical and real world problems.
- MA.8:10-2 Apply the formula for volume of a cone to solve mathematical and real world problems.
- MA.8:10-3 Apply the formula for volume of a sphere to solve mathematical and real world problems.

**MA.8:11 Students will be able to investigate patterns in bivariate data. (SP)**

- MA.8:11-1 Interpret scatter plots for bivariate measurement data to investigate patterns of association between two quantities. Describe patterns such as clustering, outliers, positive or negative association, linear association, and nonlinear association.
- MA.8:11-2 Informally fit a straight line for scatter plots that suggest a linear association.
- MA.8:11-3 Solve problems in the context of bivariate data, interpreting the slope and intercept, by using the equation of a linear model (e.g. in a linear model for a biology experiment, interpret a slope of 1.5 cm/hr as meaning that an additional hour of sunlight each day is associated with an additional 1.5 cm in mature plant height)
- MA.8:11-4 Interpret stem and leaf plots.
- MA.8:11-5 Interpret histograms.