

## Grade 6

# Ontario Math Curriculum

The Ontario math curriculum is organized in five major areas of knowledge and skills. The five areas are as follows: A. Social-Emotional Learning (SEL) Skills in Mathematics and The Mathematical Processes; B. Number; C. Algebra; D. Data; E. Spatial Sense; F. Financial Literacy

## Curriculum Expectations

## Key Concepts

### A. SEL Skills and Mathematical Processes

1. apply, to the best of their ability, a variety of social-emotional learning skills to support their use of the mathematical processes and their learning in connection with the expectations in the other 5 strands of the mathematics curriculum

*problem solving*  
*reasoning*  
*proving*  
*reflecting*  
*tools*

*connecting*  
*communicating*  
*representing*  
*selecting*  
*strategies*

*communicate*  
*well-being*  
*self-aware*  
*identity*  
*collaborate*

### B. Number

1. demonstrate an understanding of numbers and make connections to the way numbers are used in everyday life

2. use knowledge of numbers and operations to solve mathematical problems encountered in everyday life

*rational numbers*  
*fraction*  
*decimal*  
*percent*  
*divisibility rules*  
*integers*

*operations*  
*properties*  
*relationships*  
*math facts*  
*mental math*  
*mixed numbers*

*million*  
*whole number*  
*rate*  
*ratio*

### C. Algebra

1. identify, describe, extend, create, and make predictions about a variety of patterns, including those found in real-life contexts

2. demonstrate an understanding of variables, expressions, equalities, and inequalities, and apply this understanding in various contexts

3. solve problems and create computational representations of mathematical situations using coding concepts and skills

4. apply the process of mathematical modelling to represent, analyse, make predictions, and provide insight into real-life situations

*optimization*  
*multiple terms*  
*maximum area*  
*given perimeter*  
*mathematical*  
*modelling*

*algebra*  
*constant rate*  
*decimal tenths*  
*algebraic equations*  
*algebraic expressions*  
*patterns*  
*relationship*  
*equalities*  
*inequalities*  
*variables*

*coding*  
*code*

## D. Data

1. manage, analyse, and use data to make convincing arguments and informed decisions, in various contexts drawn from real life
2. describe the likelihood that events will happen, and use that information to make predictions

*data*  
*analysis*  
*visualization*

*broken-line graphs*  
*continuous data*  
*discrete data*

*probability*

## E. Spatial Sense

1. describe and represent shape, location, and movement by applying geometric properties and spatial relationships in order to navigate the world around them
2. compare, estimate, and determine measurements in various contexts

*geometry*  
*location*  
*movement*  
*convert*  
*unit*

*measurement*  
*metric system*  
*angle*  
*circle*  
*3-dimensional*  
*4-sided shapes*

*area*  
*surface area*  
*volume*  
*spatial sense*

## F. Financial Literacy

1. demonstrate the knowledge and skills needed to make informed financial decisions

*money*  
*finances*  
*advantages*  
*disadvantages*  
*distribute resources*

*banks*  
*borrowing*  
*donating*  
*lending*  
*factors*  
*fees*  
*financial goals*  
*financial institutions*

*financial literacy*  
*interest rates*  
*methods of payment*  
*trading*

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