

WAUCONDA SCHOOL DISTRICT 118

UNIT PLANNING ORGANIZER

Subject: Geometry

Grade Level or Course: Geometry

Unit: 8 Right Triangles & Trigonometry

Pacing: 11 days

STAGE 1 – DESIRED RESULTS

Essential Questions:

- How do you find a side length or angle measure in a right triangle?
- How do you use trigonometric ratios to find missing side lengths in right triangles?

Big Ideas:

- If the lengths of any two sides of a right triangle are known, the length of the third side can be found by using the Pythagorean Theorem.
- The side lengths of triangles with angle measures of 30° - 60° - 90° and 45° - 45° - 90° have patterns.
- Use pythagorean theorem, geometric mean theorems, patterns for special right triangles, and trigonometric ratios to find segment lengths in right triangles.
- Use trigonometric ratios to find angle measures in right triangles.

CCSS (Priority Standards):

- G.SRT.4 Prove theorems about triangles. Theorems include: a line parallel to one side of a triangle divides the other two proportionally, and conversely; the Pythagorean Theorem proved using triangle similarity.
- G.SRT.C.6 Understand that by similarity, side ratios in right triangles are properties of the angles in the triangle, leading to definitions of trigonometric ratios for acute angles.
- G.SRT.C.7 Explain and use the relationship between the sine and cosine of complementary angles.
- G.SRT.8 Use trigonometric ratios and the Pythagorean Theorem to solve right triangles in applied problems.

CCSS (Supporting Standards):

STAGE 2 – EVIDENCE

Concepts (What students need to know)	Performance Tasks (What students will be able to do)	21st Century Skills
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pythagorean Theorem Converse of Pythagorean Theorem Special Right Triangles Trigonometric Ratios Inverse Trigonometric Ratios 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Simplify radical expressions. Use the Pythagorean Theorem to solve problems. Use the converse of the Pythagorean Theorem to classify triangles by their angle measures. Find side lengths of 45°-45°-90° triangles and 30°-60°-90° triangles. Use trigonometric ratios (sine, cosine, and tangent) to find side lengths and angle measures in right triangles. Distinguish between angles of elevation and depression in real-world problems. 	

Common Formative/Summative Assessments:

- Topic 8 Test
- Checks for Understanding

Interim Assessments (Informal Progress Monitoring checks):

- Warm-ups

Modified Common Assessments:

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Modified Interim Assessments:

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STAGE 3 – LEARNING PLAN (INSTRUCTIONAL PLANNING)

Suggested Resources/Materials/Informational Texts

Suggested Research-based Effective Instructional Strategies

Academic Vocabulary/ Word Wall	Enrichment/Extensions/ Modifications	Interdisciplinary Connection
<p>Essential Vocabulary:</p> <p>Angle of Depression Angle of Elevation Cosecant Cosine Cotangent Hypotenuse Inverse Trigonometric Functions Leg Pythagorean Theorem Pythagorean Triples Right Triangle Trigonometric Ratio Secant Sine Tangent</p> <p>Worth-knowing Vocabulary:</p>		