
Algebra I Part 1

Curriculum Guide

Scranton School District

Scranton, PA

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Algebra I Part A

Prerequisite :

- Successful completion of Common Core Math 8.

Intended Audience: This course is designed for the student who has successfully completed Common Core Math 8 by the end of the 8th grade.

Algebra I Part A and Algebra I Part B/K together create an Algebra I course taken over two years. The students who select Algebra I Part A in ninth grade will complete their studies of Algebra I when they complete the Algebra I Part B/K course in tenth grade. These Algebra courses are designed for students who may experience difficulty with a one year Algebra I course. Topics covered focus on the Pennsylvania Common Core Standards and are parallel to the Algebra I course, presenting all the same major topics but with a different depth, breadth, and pace, thus allowing time for discovering and understanding basic concepts.

At the culmination of the Algebra I Part B Keystone, the students will sit for the Keystone Algebra I Exam, a Pennsylvania graduation requirement. After successfully completing both courses, students will be allowed to enroll in Applied Geometry.

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Year-at-a-glance

Subject: Algebra I Part A	Grade Level: 9	Date Completed: 5-23-23
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1st Quarter

Topic	Resources	CCSS
Review Pre-Algebra Skills: Evaluating and simplifying expressions, order of operations, integer operations, exponential and standard notation, simplifying basic square roots, reviewing properties of real numbers. Including order of operations and algebraic expressions	Big Ideas online teacher resources Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 Mod 1.1,1.2	CC.2.1.8.E.1 CC.2.1.8.E.4 CC.2.2.8.B.1
Represent and use numbers in equivalent forms	Keystone Finish line workbook	A1.1.1.1.1
Properties of Real numbers	Reveal Alg 1 Mod 1.3	A1.1.1.1.1
Distributive Property	Reveal Alg 1 Mod 1.4	CC.2.2.7.B.1

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2nd Quarter

Topic	Resources	CCSS
Linear equations	Big Ideas Alg 1 Chapter 1 Keystone Finish Line WB Unit 3 Lesson 1 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 Mod 2.1-2.4, 2.7	A1.1.2.1.2
Linear Inequalities	Big Ideas Alg 1 Chapter 2 Keystone Finish Line WB Unit 4 Lesson 1 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 Mod 2.5, 6.1-6.4	A1.1.3.1.3, A1.1.3.1.2, A1.1.3.1.1

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3rd Quarter

Topic	Resources	CCSS
Functions	Big Ideas Alg I Chapter 3.1- 3.5 Keystone Finish Line WB Unit 5 Lesson 2 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 Mod 3.1-3.3	A1.2.1.1.3,A1.2.1.1.2, A1.2.2.1.1
Rate of Change	Big Ideas Alg I Chapter 3.2-3.5 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 Mod 4.1-4.2	A1.2.2.1.1, A1.2.2.1.2

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4th Quarter

Topic	Resources	CCSS
Linear Equations with two variables	Big Ideas Alg I Chapter 4.1-4.5 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 Mod 4.1-4.3, 5.1-5.4	A1.2.2.1.3, A1.2.2.1.4, A1.1.2.1.3, A1.2.1.2.1, A1.2.1.2.2 A1.2.2.2.1, A1.2.3.2.3
Linear Inequalities in two variables	Big Ideas Chapter 5.6	A1.1.2.1

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General Topic	Academic Standard(s)	Essential Knowledge, Skills & Vocabulary	Resources & Activities	Assessments	Suggested Time
Review Pre-Algebra Skills: Evaluating and simplifying expressions, order of operations, integer operations, exponential and standard notation, simplifying basic square roots, reviewing properties of real numbers. Including order of operations and algebraic expressions	CC.2.1.8.E.1 Distinguish between rational and irrational numbers using their properties. CC.2.1.8.E.4 Estimate irrational numbers by comparing them to rational numbers. CC.2.2.8.B.1 Apply concepts of radicals and integer exponents to generate equivalent expressions.	<i>Apply concepts of rational and irrational numbers.</i> <i>Apply concepts of radicals and integer exponents to generate equivalent expressions.</i>	Supplemental materials Reveal Alg 1 Mod 1.3		25 days
Represent and/or use numbers in equivalent forms (e.g., integers, fractions, decimals, percents, square roots, and exponents).	A1.1.1.1.1 Compare and/or order any real numbers. Note: Rational and irrational may be mixed.	<i>Compare and order rational and irrational numbers using $<$, $=$, $>$.</i> <i>Write numerical and algebraic expressions from verbal expressions.</i>	Keystone Algebra I Workbook: Chapter 1 Section 1 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 1.1, 1.2		5 days
Use Estimation strategies in problem-solving situations	A1.1.1.4.1 Use estimation to solve problems	<i>Model and solve real-world and mathematical problems by using and connecting numerical, algebraic, and/or</i>	Use throughout the year Keystone Finish Line WB unit 2 Lesson 1		5 days

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		<i>graphical representations.</i>			
Linear Equations	A1.1.2.1.2 Use and/or identify an algebraic property to justify any step in an equation-solving process. Note: Linear equations only	<i>Vocabulary:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>Additive inverse</i> ● <i>Multiplicative Inverse</i> ● <i>Commutative property</i> ● <i>Associative Property</i> ● <i>Identity Property</i> ● <i>Distributive Property</i> ● <i>Multiplicative Property of Zero</i> ● <i>Additive Property of Equality</i> ● <i>Multiplicative Property of Equality</i> 	Big Ideas Chapter 1 Reveal Algebra I Vol 1 Mod 1.3, 1.4		25 days
		<i>Solve linear equations involving absolute value</i>	Big Ideas Chapter 1		5 days
		<i>Write and/or solve proportions</i>	Supplemental Materials Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 2.6		5 days

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	A1.1.2.1.1 Write, solve, and/or apply a linear equation (including problem situations).	<i>Solving one-step equations, multi-step equations, and equations with variables on both sides.</i> <i>Solving Formulas.</i>	Big Ideas Chapter 1 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 Mod 2.1-2.4, 2.7		10 days
Linear Inequalities	A1.1.3.1.2 Identify or graph the solution set to a linear inequality on a number line.	<i>Solve and graph one-step inequalities.</i>	Big Ideas Chapter 2 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 6.1		15 days
	A1.1.3.1.3 Interpret solutions to the problems in the context of the problem situations. Note: Linear inequalities only.	<i>Solve one and two-step inequalities and graph and interpret the solutions.</i>	Big Ideas Chapter 2 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 6.1-6.2		5 days
	A1.1.3.1.1 Write or solve compound inequalities and/or graph their solution sets on a number line (may include absolute value Inequalities).	<i>Solve compound inequalities and graph and interpret the solutions.</i>	Big Ideas Chapter 2 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 2.5, 6.3-6.4		5 days

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Functions	A1.2.1.1.3 Identify the domain or range of a relation (may be presented as ordered pairs, a graph, or a table).	<i>Vocabulary:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>Range</i> ● <i>Domain</i> 	Big Ideas Chapter 3.1 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 3.1		10 days
	A1.2.1.1.2 Determine whether a relation is a function, given a set of points or a graph.	<i>Identifying functions.</i>	Big Ideas Chapter 3.1 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 3.2		
	A1.2.1.1.1 Analyze a set of data for the existence of a pattern and represent the pattern Algebraically and/or graphically.	<i>Determine Linearity and Continuity of graphs.</i>	Big Ideas Chapter 3.1 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 3.3		
Rate Of Change	A1.2.2.1.1 Identify, describe, and/or use constant rates of change.	<i>Graphing linear functions and finding the slope.</i> <i>Vocabulary:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>Slope</i> ● <i>rate of change</i> 	Big Ideas Chapter 3.2 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 4.1		10 days
	A1.2.2.1.2 Apply the concept of linear rate of change (slope) to solve problems.	<i>Use slope and formula for slope to solve problems.</i>	Big Ideas Chapter 3.2-3.5 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 4.2		

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<p>Linear Equations with two variables</p>	<p>A1.2.2.1.3 Write or identify a linear equation when given the graph of the line, two points on the line, or the slope and a point on the line.</p>	<p><i>Write or identify a linear equation when given</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>The graph of the line,</i> ● <i>Two points on the line, or</i> ● <i>The slope and a point on the line.</i> ● <i>Parallel and Perpendicular Lines</i> <p><i>Note: Linear equations may be in point-slope, standard, and/or slope-intercept form.</i></p>	<p>Big Ideas Chapter 4.1-4.3 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 4.3, 5.1-5.2</p>		<p>25 days</p>
	<p>A1.2.2.1.4 Determine the slope and/or y-intercept represented by a linear equation or graph.</p>	<p><i>Finding slope and y-intercept.</i></p>	<p>Big Ideas Chapter 3.2-3.5 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 4.3</p>		
	<p>A1.1.2.1.3 Interpret solutions to problems in the context of the problem situation. Note: Linear equations only.</p>	<p><i>Use the slope and intercepts to answer questions in the context of the problem.</i></p>	<p>Big Ideas-Use throughout the unit Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 4.3, 5.1, 5.2</p>		

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	A1.2.1.2.1 Create, interpret, and/or use the equation, graph, or table of a linear function.	<i>Understand the relationship between an equation, graph, and table.</i>	Big Ideas Chapter 3.2-3.5 Use throughout Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 Mod 4.1-4.3		
	A1.2.1.2.2 Translate from one representation of a linear function to another.	<i>Graph a function from a table or equation.</i>	Big Ideas Alg I Chapter 4.1-4.3 Use throughout Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 Mod 4.1-4.3		
Scatter plot- Line of Best Fit	A1.2.2.2.1 Draw, identify, find, and/or write an equation for a line of best fit for a scatter plot.	<i>Interpret functions in terms of the situations they model.</i>	Big Ideas Alg I Chapter 4.4, 4.5 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 Mod 5.3		5 days
	A1.2.3.2.3 Use data displays in problem solving settings and/or to make predictions.	<i>Make predictions using the equations or graphs of best-fit lines of scatter plots</i>	Keystone Finish Line WB Unit 7 Sections 1-4 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 1 Mod 5.4		
Use measures of dispersion to describe a set of data	A1.2.3.1.1 Calculate and/or interpret the range, quartiles, and interquartile range of data	<i>Summarize, represent, and interpret data on a single count or measurement variable. Analyze linear models to make interpretations based on the data.</i>	Keystone Finish Line WB Unit 7 Sections 1-4 Big Ideas Alg I Chap 11.1 – 11.2 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 2 Mod 12.1-12.2		25 days

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Use data displays in the problem-solving settings and/or to make predictions	A1.2.3.2.1 Estimate or calculate to make predictions based on a circle, line, bar graph, measure of central tendency, or other representation.	<i>Summarize, represent, and interpret data on a single count or measurement variable.</i>	Keystone Finish Line WB Unit 7 Sections 1-4 Big Ideas Alg I Chap 11.1 – 11.3 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 2 Mod 12.1-12.2		
	A1.2.3.2.2 Analyze data, make predictions, and/or answer questions based on displayed data	<i>Interpret box-and-whisker plots, stem-and-leaf plots, scatter plots, measures of central tendency, or other representations.</i>	Keystone Finish Line WB Unit 7 Sections 1-4 *Big Ideas Alg I Chap 11.1 – 11.3 Reveal Alg 1 Vol 2 Mod 12.4		
Apply Probability to practical situations	A1.2.3.3.1 Apply probability to practical situations.	<i>Find probabilities for compound events (e.g., find probability of red and blue, find probability of red or blue) and represent as a fraction, decimal or percent.</i>	Keystone Finish Line WB Unit 7 Lesson 5		
				Total Days	180