

Unwrapping the CCSS

Content Area	Mathematics
Grade/Course	Algebra 1
Unit of Study	Unit 1: Relationships Between Quantities & Expressions
Duration of Unit	16 Days

Insert a standard below (include code). **CIRCLE** the **SKILLS** that students need to be able to do and **UNDERLINE** the **CONCEPTS** that students need to know.

MCC9-12.N.RN.2 Rewrite expressions involving radicals and rational exponents using the properties of exponents.

MGSE9-12.N.Q.1 Use units of measure (linear, area, capacity, rates, and time) as a way to understand problems.

MGSE9-12.A.APR.1 Add, subtract, and multiply polynomials; understand that polynomials form a system analogous to the integers in that they are closed under these operations.

MGSE9-12.A.SSE.2 Use the structure of an expression to rewrite it in different equivalent forms.

Concepts (what students need to know)	Skills (what students must be able to do)	DOK Level / Bloom's
Expressions Radicals Rational Exponents Properties of Exponents Units of Measure Polynomials Integers Polynomial Operations (Add, Subtract, Multiply) Equivalent Forms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use properties of exponents to rewrite radical and rational exponent expressions in multiple forms. • Use units of measure for conversions between units. • Use polynomial operations and integer rules to combine polynomial expressions. • Apply knowledge of equivalency to rewrite equivalent expressions. 	Application (2)

Determine BIG Ideas (enduring understandings students will remember long after the unit of study)

Write Essential Questions (these guide instruction and assessment for all tasks. The big ideas are answers to the essential questions)

Properties of exponents can be applied to write radical and rational exponent expressions in various forms.

Convert from radical representation to using rational exponents and vice versa.

Know equivalent expressions for real numbers to include radicals and numbers in exponential form.

The structure of expressions and the meaning of their parts in context.

Similarities between the system of polynomials and the system of integers.

Addition, Subtraction, and Multiplication of polynomials is closed.

- **How do I choose and interpret units of measure in context?**
- **How do I interpret parts of an expression in terms of context?**
- **How are polynomial operations related to operations in the real number system?**
- **How can polynomials be used to express realistic situations?**
- **How do I justify simplification of radicals using visual representations?**
- **Why is the sum or product of rational numbers rational?**
- **Why is the sum of a rational number and irrational number irrational?**
- **Why is the product of a nonzero rational number and an irrational number irrational?**

Next step, create assessments and engaging learning experiences

