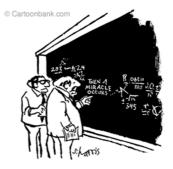


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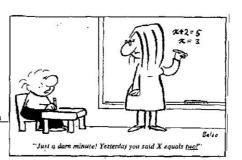


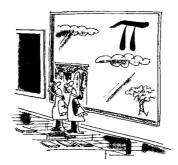
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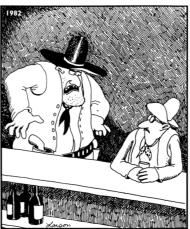




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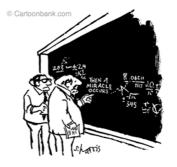
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WARM UP ANSWERS



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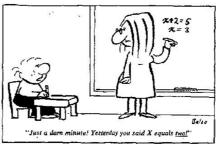
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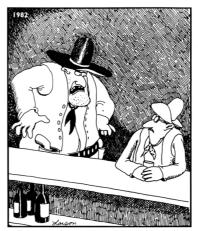
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Somewhat funny.



Ok... not that funny.





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Gary Larson is always funny!



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It's funny because it's true!

HOMEWORK ANSWERS

You found room 350 in Roger Ludlowe Middle School! Congrats!



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September 10, 2014

Essential QuestionWhat should you expect from your child's math class this year?

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LESSON OBJECTIVE:

Parents will be able to:

identify the key aspects of their child's math class.

SELF-EVALUATION SCALE

Score	Description
4	I can teach other parents about the key aspects of my child's math class.
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ACTIVITY

Every lesson starts out with an inquiry based activity.

Allows for students to explore new concepts and gain background knowledge before direct teaching begins.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

- completing understanding of division of fractions
- connecting ratio and rate to whole number multiplication and division, and using concepts of ratio and rate to solve problems, which includes negative numbers
- writing, interpreting, and using expressions and equations
- developing understanding of statistical thinking
- extending the concept of area to surface area and volume
- developing understanding of statistical thinking.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

Students should:

- Apply and extend previous understandings of multiplication and division to divide fractions by fractions.
- Understand ratio concepts and use ratio reasoning to solve problems.
- Compute fluently with multi-digit numbers and find common factors and multiples.
- Apply and extend previous understandings of numbers to the system of rational numbers.
- Apply and extend previous understandings of arithmetic to algebraic expressions.
- Reason about and solve one-variable equations and inequalities.
- Represent and analyze quantitative relationships between dependent and independent variables.
- Solve real-world and mathematical problems involving area, surface area, and volume.
- Develop understanding of statistical variability.
- Summarize and describe distributions.
- Apply and extend previous understandings of operations with fractions to add, subtract, multiply, and divide rational numbers.
- Analyze proportional relationships and use them to solve real-world problems and mathematical problems.

UNITS OF STUDY

- Operating with Positive Rational Numbers
- Using Expressions and Equations
- Applications of Geometry Numbers
- Ratios and Rates
- Understanding Positive and Negative Numbers
- Algebraic Reasoning
- Statistics and Distributions
- Operating with Rational Numbers
- Proportional Relationships

ON YOUR OWN

Once or twice throughout lessons, students are asked to try two to three examples of the recently taught concept(s).

This allows the students to identify any questions or concerns they have regarding the concept(s).

This also allows me to make any on the spot modifications for the class or individuals.

GRADING

Summative Assessments: 60% Total

Individual Tests, Projects, Mid-

Chapter Tests

Formative Assessments: 30% Total

Quizzes, Class Presentations

Behavioral Characteristics: 10% Total

Homework, Participation

MATERIALS

- Binder
- Agenda
- Notebook, Pencils
- Workbook
- Calculator

EXPECTATIONS OF STUDENTS

- To be respectful to all other individuals and all property.
- To be prepared and on time with appropriate materials and assignments.
- To be responsible for any missed work and notes.
- To be motivated to learn and accept challenges.

EXTRA HELP

Monday and Thursday 2:50 – 3:10

TEXT BOOK WEBSITE

www.bigideasmath.com

MR. TOMEI'S WEBSITE

http://fairfieldschools.org/schools/rlms/tomei-period-4/

Via search bar...

RLMS > Teachers > Tomei > Period 4

Assignment

Students complete selected problems from text book.

Problems range in difficulty.

Challenge students who were able to grasp concept(s).

Allows for time to conference with individual or small groups

HOMEWORK

20 minutes a night

Could include weekends.

Should not be working for hours at home

Homework graded on effort not correctness

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