

## Algebra I

## **Course Curriculum**

FALL SESSION (SEP - DEC) - 12 Classes		
Units	Topics	
Unit 1A	Chapter 1: Our Number System - Sets, Operations, and Properties	
Unit 1B	Chapter 1: Our Number System - Sets, Operations, and Properties (continued)  Subtraction of Rationals  Multiplication and Division of Rationals  Order of Operations  The Closure Property	
Unit 1C	Homework Review, 1 on 1 with Teacher, Bi-Weekly Test	
Unit 1D	Chapter 2: Evaluating Expressions and Solving Equations  • What Are Expressions, Equations, and Inequalities?  • Evaluating Expressions  • Equations – A Balancing Act!  • Steps for Solving Equations	
Unit 1E	<ul> <li>Chapter 2: Evaluating Expressions and Solving Equations (continued)</li> <li>Solving Simple Equations Using the Additive Inverse</li> <li>Solving Simple Equations Using the Multiplicative Inverse</li> <li>Solving Two-Step Equations</li> <li>Moving Variables to the Same Side</li> <li>Putting All the Steps Together</li> </ul>	
Unit 1F	Homework Review, 1 on 1 with Teacher, Bi-Weekly Test	
Unit 2A	<ul> <li>Chapter 2: Evaluating Expressions and Solving Equations (continued)</li> <li>Equations With Decimals and Fractions</li> <li>Calculator Basic</li> </ul>	



	Working With Formulas
	Chapter 3: From Words to Algebra - Translating and Solving Word Problems  Translating Expressions and Equations Strategies for Solving Word Problems
Unit 2B	Chapter 3: From Words to Algebra - Translating and Solving Word Problems (continued)  Diagramming Geometry Word Problems  Word Problems About Missing Numbers  Consecutive Integer Problems  Coin Problems  Age Problems
Unit 2C	Homework Review, 1 on 1 with Teacher, Bi-Weekly Test
Unit 2D	Chapter 4: From Words to Algebra - More Word Problems  • Percent and Ratio Problems  • Percent Increase and Decrease  • Relative Error and Percent Error  • Mixture Problems
Unit 2E	<ul> <li>Chapter 4: From Words to Algebra - More Word Problems (continued)</li> <li>Motion Problems</li> <li>Distance Problems</li> <li>Toward and Away Problems</li> <li>Chase Problems</li> <li>Work Problems</li> </ul>
Unit 2F	Homework Review, 1 on 1 with Teacher, Bi-Weekly Test
	WINTER SESSIONS (JAN - MAR) - 12 Classes
Unit 3A	<ul> <li>Chapter 5: Inequalities, Compound Inequalities, and Absolute Value</li> <li>Understanding How to Solve Inequalities</li> <li>Solving Inequality Word Problems</li> <li>Solving Compound Inequalities</li> </ul>
Unit 3B	<ul> <li>Chapter 5: Inequalities, Compound Inequalities, and Absolute Value (continued)</li> <li>Solving Absolute Value Equations</li> <li>Absolute Value Inequalities</li> </ul>



Unit 3C	Homework Review, 1 on 1 with Teacher, Bi-Weekly Test	
Unit 3D	<ul> <li>Chapter 6: Polynomials</li> <li>What Is a Polynomial?</li> <li>Addition of Polynomials</li> <li>Subtraction of Polynomials</li> <li>Exponents and Multiplication of Monomials</li> <li>Multiplication of a Polynomial by a Monomial</li> </ul>	
Unit 3E	<ul> <li>Chapter 6: Polynomials (continued)</li> <li>Multiplication of Binomials</li> <li>Special Products</li> <li>Division of Monomials</li> <li>Understanding Negative Exponents</li> <li>Dividing Polynomials by Monomials</li> </ul>	
Unit 3F	Homework Review, 1 on 1 with Teacher, Bi-Weekly Test	
Unit 4A	<ul> <li>Chapter 7: Factoring</li> <li>The Greatest Common Factor</li> <li>Factoring Rules</li> <li>Factoring Trinomials With a Leading Coefficient</li> </ul>	
Unit 4B	<ul> <li>Chapter 7: Factoring (continued)</li> <li>Solving Quadratic Equations</li> <li>Word Problems With Quadratic Equations</li> <li>Quadratic Equations and the Pythagorean Theorem</li> </ul>	
Unit 4C	Homework Review, 1 on 1 with Teacher, Bi-Weekly Test	
Unit 4D	<ul> <li>Chapter 8: Working With Radicals</li> <li>Simplifying Square Roots</li> <li>Adding and Subtracting Square Roots</li> <li>Multiplying Square Roots</li> </ul>	
Unit 4E	<ul> <li>Chapter 8: Working With Radicals (continued)</li> <li>Dividing Square Roots</li> <li>The Quadratic Formula</li> </ul>	
Unit 4F	Homework Review, 1 on 1 with Teacher, Bi-Weekly Test	
SPRING SESSION (APR - JUN) - 12 Classes		
Unit 5A	Chapter 9: Linear Functions  ■ What Is a Function?	



	<ul> <li>Linear Functions</li> <li>What Is Slope?</li> <li>Zero Slope and Undefined Slope</li> </ul>
Unit 5B	<ul> <li>Chapter 9: Linear Functions (continued)</li> <li>Writing Equations for Linear Functions</li> <li>Point-Slope Formula</li> <li>Graphing Linear Functions on a Calculator</li> </ul>
Unit 5C	Homework Review, 1 on 1 with Teacher, Bi-Weekly Test
Unit 5D	<ul> <li>Chapter 9: Linear Functions (continued)</li> <li>Scatterplots</li> <li>Types of Correlations</li> <li>Linear Function Applications</li> </ul>
Unit 5E	<ul> <li>Chapter 10: Systems of Equations and Inequalities</li> <li>Method 1 - Graphing</li> <li>Method 2 - Elimination</li> <li>Method 3 - Substitution</li> </ul>
Unit 5F	Homework Review, 1 on 1 with Teacher, Bi-Weekly Test
Unit 6A	<ul> <li>Chapter 10: Systems of Equations and Inequalities (continued)</li> <li>Using Systems to Solve Real-Life Problems</li> <li>Graphing Inequalities</li> <li>Systems of Inequalities</li> </ul>
Unit 6B	<ul> <li>Chapter 11: Other Types of Functions</li> <li>Absolute Value Functions</li> <li>Quadratic Functions</li> <li>Vertex Form of a Quadratic Function</li> <li>Applications of Parabolas</li> </ul>
Unit 6C	Homework Review, 1 on 1 with Teacher, Bi-Weekly Test
Unit 6D	<ul> <li>Chapter 11: Other Types of Functions (continued)</li> <li>Exponential Functions</li> <li>Exponential Growth and Decay</li> <li>Thinking About Patterns – A Helpful Guide</li> <li>Graphing a System of Functions</li> </ul>
Unit 6E	<ul> <li>Chapter 12: Working With Algebraic Fractions</li> <li>Multiplying and Dividing Algebraic Fractions</li> <li>Adding and Subtracting Algebraic Fractions</li> </ul>



	<ul> <li>Solving Equations With Algebraic Fractions</li> <li>Revisiting Work Problems</li> </ul>
Unit 6F	Homework Review, 1 on 1 with Teacher, Bi-Weekly Test