## Rigor in Mathematics

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Objectives
Participants will be able to:

- Identify the component or components of rigor in a given standard
- Understand the three components of rigor: conceptual understanding, procedural skill and fluency, and application
- Incorporate the three components of rigor appropriately and effectively

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## 7 <br> What is Rigor?

Think about a statement you have heard that uses the word rigor.
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## Myths about Rigor

- The 3 components are taught every day.
- All 3 components must be taught for every standard.
- All components are important, but $\qquad$ is the most important.
- The 3 components should be addressed separately.
$10 \square$ What components of rigor are in the Florida Standards?

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$11 \square$ Rigor Component(s)
MAFS.5.NBT.2.5
Fluently multiply multi-digit whole numbers using the standard algorithm.
$12 \square$ Rigor Component(s)
MAFS.5.G.2.3
Understand that attributes belonging to a category of two-dimensional figures also belong to all subcategories of that category. For example, all rectangles have four right angles and squares are rectangles, so all squares have four right angles.

## Rigor Component(s)

MAFS.912.F-IF.2.4
For a function that models a relationship between two quantities, interpret key features of graphs and tables in terms of the quantities, and sketch graphs showing key features given a verbal description of the relationship. Key features include: intercepts; intervals where the function is increasing, decreasing, positive, or negative; relative maximums and minimums; symmetries; end behavior; and periodicity.

## Rigor Component(s)

5.NF.2.6

Solve real world problems involving multiplication of fractions and mixed numbers, e.g., by using visual fraction models or equations to represent the problem.

## Rigor Component(s)

## 912.A-APR.1.1

Understand that polynomials form a system analogous to the integers, namely, they are closed under the operations of addition, subtraction, and multiplication; add, subtract, and multiply polynomials.

Conceptual Understanding
$17 \square$ What is conceptual understanding?

- Making sense of mathematics
- Connecting previously learned content to new learning
- Building relationships between concepts

How do students demonstrate conceptual understanding?

- Provide evidence that they can recognize, label, and generate examples of concepts
- Recognize, interpret, and apply the signs, symbols, and terms used to represent concepts
- Use manipulatives to model concepts
- Show different representations for the same problem or skill

Example of Conceptual Understanding

Question: What is $25 \%$ of 88 ? What strategy did you use to find your answer?

Response: I know $25 \%$ of a number is the same thing as $1 / 4$. I found $1 / 4$ of 88 , which is 22.
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Procedural Skill and Fluency
$21 \square$ What is procedural skill and fluency?

- Applying procedures accurately, efficiently, and flexibly
- Transferring procedures to different problems and contexts
- Recognizing when one strategy or procedure is more appropriate than another
$22 \square$ How do students demonstrate procedural skill and fluency?
- Use procedures and strategies to solve problems
- Make critical judgments about which procedures or strategies are most efficient
- Analyze their own and others' calculation methods
- Extend computational fluency
$23 \square$ Example of Procedural Skill and Fluency
Question: $23.5 \times 2.3$
What strategy did you use and why?

Response: I used the standard algorithm to solve because it seemed to be the quickest method.

Application
What is application?

- Solving problems in relevant and meaningful ways
- Developing critical thinking skills
- Using practiced procedures and strategies on new problems
- Applying concepts to real-world situations

How do my students demonstrate application?

- Apply appropriate skills in context
- Determine whether a solution makes sense by reasoning
- Solve real-world situations and novel problems

Example of Application
Question: A mom and daughter were making necklaces. The daughter used 6 inches of string for her necklace; the mom's necklace was 24 inches long. How does the length of the mom's necklace compare to the length of her daughter's necklace?

Response: The mom's necklace is 4 times as long as the daughter's necklace. 6 x $\qquad$ $=24$. I know $6 \times 4=24$ or $4 \times 6=24$, so the necklace is 4 times as long.

Implementing Rigor in Mathematics

## Moving Towards Rigor

What strategies can teachers use to increase the rigor in their lessons?

- Unpack the standards to identify the component(s) of rigor
- Incorporate mathematical discourse and rich questioning
- Integrate complex tasks and formative assessments throughout the lesson

Unpack the Standards
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Incorporate Mathematical Discourse
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CPALMS Resources

- Lesson plans
- Perspectives videos
- Tutorials
- Virtual manipulatives
- Problem-solving tasks
- Mathematics Formative Assessment System (MFAS)

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$34 \square$ Questions to Consider

- Which component of rigor is out of balance in your classroom? How will you ensure rigor in your classroom is balanced?
-What could you do to increase the rigor in your classroom?
- How can you assist your colleagues to move towards more rigorous instruction?
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