



**Academic Level:** Year 7  
**Subject Area:** Mathematics  
**Duration:** Full Academic Year

**Total Units:** 4 Core Units  
**Assessment Types:** Multiple  
**Resource Requirements:** Comprehensive

## Vision and Learning Objectives

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The Year 7 Mathematics curriculum establishes a robust foundation for advanced mathematical thinking and application. This comprehensive program integrates theoretical understanding with practical application, ensuring students develop both computational fluency and conceptual depth.

### Core Learning Objectives:

- Master fundamental numerical operations and rational number concepts
- Develop algebraic thinking and symbolic manipulation skills
- Build spatial reasoning and geometric understanding
- Enhance mathematical communication and problem-solving abilities
- Apply mathematical concepts to real-world scenarios

## Unit 1: Number Systems and Operations

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**Duration:** 8 Weeks

### Core Content Areas:

- Integer operations and rational number systems
- Advanced order of operations with multiple steps
- Fraction and decimal relationships and conversions
- Percentage calculations and proportional reasoning



## Unit 2: Algebraic Foundations

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**Duration:** 7 Weeks

**Learning Outcomes:**

- Understand and manipulate algebraic expressions
- Solve linear equations with increasing complexity
- Recognize and extend patterns in various contexts
- Apply algebraic concepts to word problems

**Key Skills Development:**

- Variable manipulation and substitution
- Equation balancing and solving techniques
- Pattern recognition and generalization
- Mathematical modeling of real situations

## Assessment Framework

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**Formative Assessment (40%)**

- Weekly skill checks (10%)
- Interactive quizzes (10%)
- Class participation (10%)
- Homework assignments (10%)

**Summative Assessment (60%)**

- Unit tests (30%)
- Projects (15%)
- Final examination (15%)



## Learning Support and Extension

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### Differentiated Learning Strategies

- Scaffolded worksheets with varying difficulty levels
- Small group tutorials for targeted support
- Extension activities for advanced learners
- Digital resources for self-paced learning
- Peer tutoring and collaborative learning opportunities

### Extension Activities

- Mathematics Olympiad preparation
- Advanced problem-solving workshops
- Cross-curricular projects
- Mathematical investigation tasks

## Digital Resources and Tools

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### Core Digital Platforms

- GeoGebra for geometric visualization
- Khan Academy for concept reinforcement
- Mathspace for adaptive practice
- IXL for skill development

### Supplementary Resources

- Interactive whiteboard activities
- Online assessment tools
- Mathematical modeling software
- Virtual manipulatives



## Unit 3: Geometry and Measurement

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**Duration:** 9 Weeks

**Core Topics:**

- 2D and 3D shapes and their properties
- Angle relationships and parallel lines
- Area and perimeter calculations
- Volume and surface area of prisms

**Practical Application Example:**

Students will engage in a "Design Your Dream House" project, applying geometric concepts to:

- Calculate room dimensions and floor space
- Design efficient room layouts
- Determine material quantities needed
- Create scale drawings and models

## Unit 4: Data and Statistics

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**Duration:** 8 Weeks

**Key Concepts:**

- Data collection and organization methods
- Statistical measures (mean, median, mode)
- Graph types and their applications
- Basic probability concepts



## Teaching and Learning Strategies

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### Interactive Learning Methods

- Guided discovery activities
- Problem-based learning scenarios
- Mathematical games and puzzles
- Collaborative group projects
- Technology-enhanced lessons

### Skill Development Focus

- Critical thinking exercises
- Mathematical reasoning tasks
- Communication practice
- Problem-solving strategies
- Real-world applications

### Sample Lesson Structure:

1. Concept Introduction (10 minutes)
2. Guided Practice (15 minutes)
3. Independent Work (20 minutes)
4. Group Activity (15 minutes)
5. Review and Reflection (10 minutes)



## Cross-Curricular Integration

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### Subject Connections:

- Science: Data analysis, measurements, and formulas
- Geography: Scale drawings and map interpretation
- Art: Geometric patterns and symmetry
- Physical Education: Statistics and scoring systems
- Technology: Spreadsheet applications and coding

### Integrated Project Example:

#### "Sustainable Garden Design"

- Mathematics: Area calculations and budgeting
- Science: Plant growth and climate data
- Geography: Climate zones and mapping
- Art: Garden layout and aesthetic design

## Parent and Guardian Engagement

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### Communication Channels:

- Regular progress updates via learning management system
- Monthly newsletter with unit overviews
- Parent-teacher conferences each term
- Online resource access for home support



## Technology Integration Plan

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### Digital Tools

- Interactive whiteboard activities
- Online assessment platforms
- Virtual manipulatives
- Educational apps and games

### Digital Skills Development

- Spreadsheet proficiency
- Digital presentation skills
- Online collaboration tools
- Mathematical software usage

### Technology Integration Examples:

- Virtual geometry construction using GeoGebra
- Data analysis with spreadsheet software
- Interactive quizzes using Kahoot
- Mathematical modeling with Desmos



## Professional Development Support

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### Teacher Resources:

- Detailed unit planning templates
- Assessment rubrics and marking guides
- Differentiation strategies toolkit
- Digital resource library access
- Professional learning community support

### Ongoing Development Opportunities:

- Monthly department meetings
- External professional development workshops
- Online training modules
- Peer observation program
- Curriculum review sessions

## Quality Assurance Measures

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### Monitoring Mechanisms

- Regular student progress tracking
- Term-based curriculum review
- Assessment moderation
- Parent and student feedback

### Success Indicators

- Student achievement data
- Engagement metrics
- Skills progression evidence
- Learning outcome attainment





## Parent and Community Engagement

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### Communication Channels

- Regular progress reports and updates
- Parent-teacher consultation sessions
- Online learning portfolio access
- Mathematics support resources for parents

### Community Connections

- Mathematics careers showcase
- Industry professional guest speakers
- Local mathematics competitions
- STEM partnership programs

## Document Information

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