

Unit 4B - Investigating Similarity

10 Days of Instruction

These standards expand in all Units of Geometry to reinforce real-world phenomena.

Unit 4	Geometry: Concepts and Connections Investigating Similarity	Considerations or scaffolds for Support
Unit 4B: Day 1	<p>Standards: G.GSR.5.1 Verify experimentally the properties of dilations.</p> <p>LT:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">o I can apply dilations to polygons. <p>SC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">o I can identify a dilation as a reduction or enlargement depending on the scale factor.o I can draw a dilation given the center at the origin and scale factor.o I can identify the center of dilation using intersecting lines through corresponding preimage and image points.o I can find the ratio of sides of the image to the preimage as the scale factor of a dilation.o I can use function notation to represent dilations in the coordinate plane.o I can describe properties of dilations such as center, scale factor, angle measure, parallelism, and collinearity.o I can recognize that a dilation changes the size of a figure and does not preserve congruence.	Scaffolding throughout the lesson and applications will be provided for rigor. <p>Students will work in pairs for turn and talk.</p> <p>Graphic organizers</p>
Day 2-3	<p>Standards: G.GSR.5.2 Given two figures, use and apply the definition of similarity in terms of similarity transformations.</p> <p>G.GSR.5.3 Use the properties of similarity transformations to establish criterion for two triangles to be similar. Use similarity criteria</p>	

	<p>for triangles to solve problems and to prove relationships in geometric figures.</p> <p>LT:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o I can classify two polygons as similar or not similar and find missing sides using proportions with similar figures. <p>SC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o I can use the properties of similarity transformations to establish criterion for two polygons to be similar. o I can identify when figures are similar based on corresponding angles being congruent, and corresponding sides being proportional. o I can solve a proportion. o I can apply properties of similarity to solve problems with missing values involving corresponding parts. 	
<p>Day 4-6</p>	<p>Standards: G.GSR.5.3 Use the properties of similarity transformations to establish criterion for two triangles to be similar. Use similarity criteria for triangles to solve problems and to prove relationships in geometric figures.</p> <p>LT:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o I can prove two triangles similar, prove theorems about triangles involving similarity, and prove theorems about triangles. <p>SC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o I can use these similarity theorems for triangles: AA~ SAS~ SSS~ o I can prove the theorem that a line parallel to one side of a triangle divides the other two proportionally and can find missing sides in similar triangles using this theorem. o I can find the measure of segments in a triangle using the midsegment theorem. 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> o I can prove the Pythagorean Theorem using triangle similarity. 	
Day 7-8	<p>Standards: G.GSR.5.4 Construct formal proofs to justify and apply theorems about triangles.</p> <p>LT:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o I can construct formal proofs to justify and apply theorems about triangles. <p>SC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o I can prove a line parallel to one side of a triangle divides the other two proportionally, and its converse. o I can use the Midsegment and Angle Bisector Theorems to solve problems in similar geometric figures. o I can prove the Pythagorean Theorem using triangle similarity. o I can construct a two-column proof with statements and reasons. 	
Day 9	<u>Test Day</u>	
Day 10	Extra day for remediation or test review	

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G.MM.1.1 Explain mathematically applicable problems using a mathematical model.

G.MM.1.2 Create mathematical models to explain phenomena that exist in the natural sciences, social sciences, liberal arts, fine and performing arts, and/or humanities contexts.

G.MM.1.3 Using abstract and quantitative reasoning, make decisions about information and data from a mathematically applicable situation.

G.MM.1.4 Use various mathematical representations and structures with this information to represent and solve real-life problems.