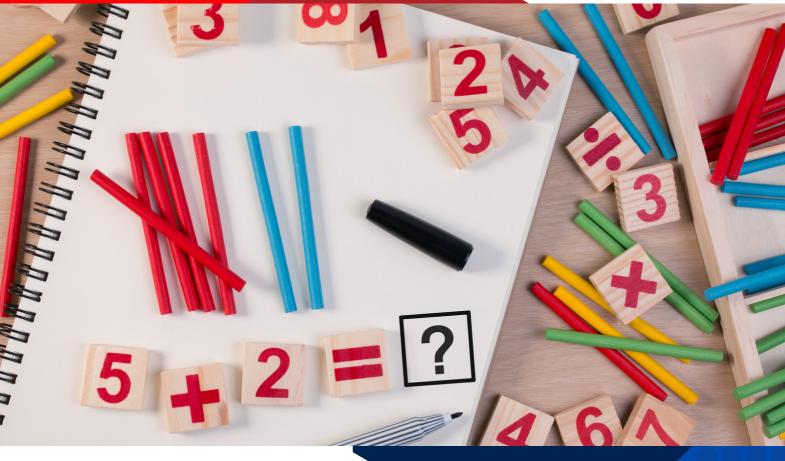
1st Grade





GRADES K-5

MATH-AT-HOME PLAN

WAKULLA COUNTY SCHOOLS

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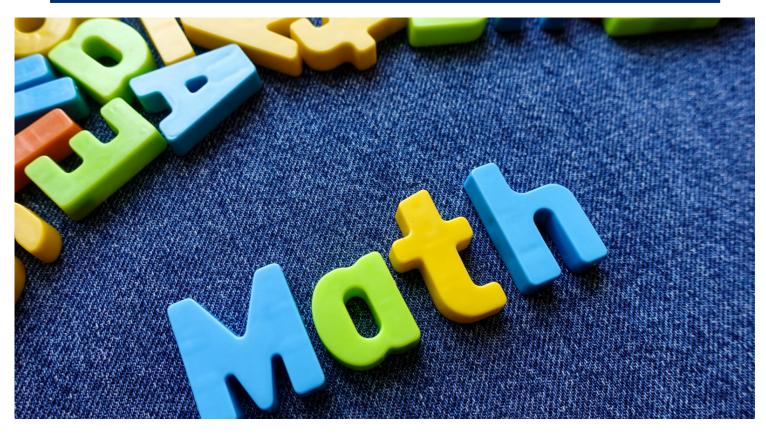


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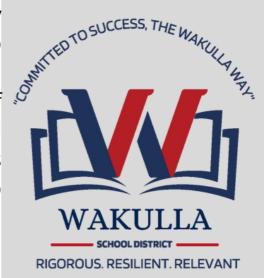
The Math-At-Home Plan is accessible through the Wakulla County School District website.

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Forward

Florida Law requires school districts to identify and provide immediate, tailored instruction to students in grades K-4 who exhibit a substantial deficiency in math or characteristics of dyscalculia. As such, parents are also provided with a "math-at-home plan," which outlines strategies and resources that parents can use to help their children improve in mathematics.



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Empowering students, families, and communities to support student learning and growth through RIGOR, RESILIENCY, and RELEVANCE.

Philosophy

Wakulla County's goal is that your child leave elementary school proficient and confident in his/her ability to think and reason mathematically, to communicate and represent his/her mathematical thinking, and to productively solve problems.

Mathematics knowledge and skills contribute to a child's success - both at school and in everyday life. Understanding mathematics also builds confidence and opens doors to a range of jobs and careers.

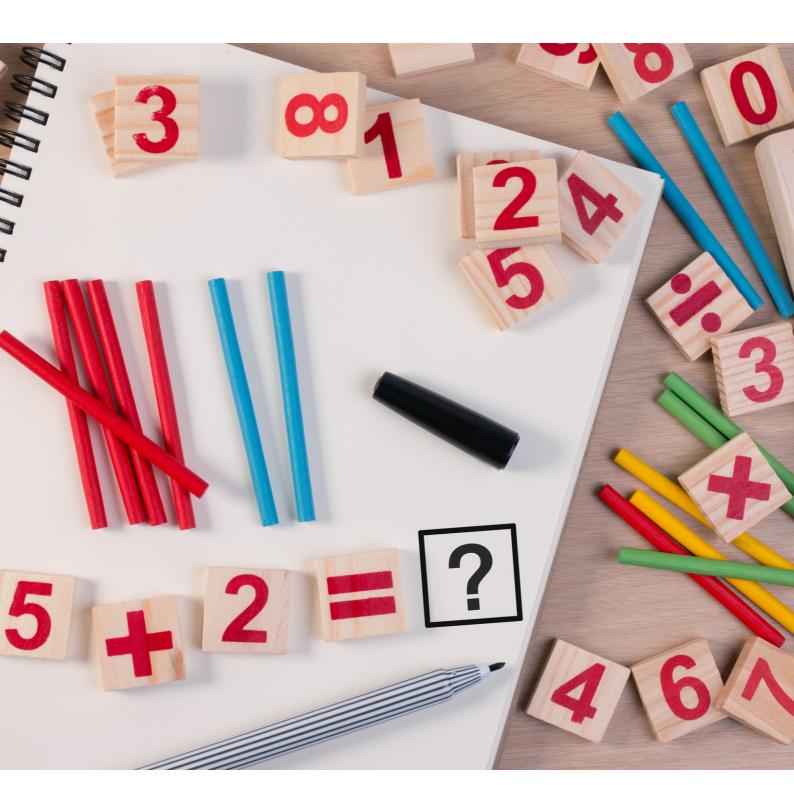
In our everyday lives, understanding mathematics enables us to:

- solve problems and make sound decisions;
- explain how we solved a problem and why we made a particular decision;
- use technology to help solve problems;
- understand patterns and trends in the world around us in order to make predictions;
- manage time and money, and handle everyday situations that involve numbers.



Your home is a great place to begin to explore "talk" mathematics with your Incorporating math activities and language into familiar daily routines will show your child how math works in every day life. Play board games, solve puzzles, and ponder brain teasers with your child. Your child will enjoy these kinds of activities while enhancing his/her mathematical thinking. Point out the mathematics involved, and have your child discuss the strategies he/she used. For more tips on helping your child success in mathematics, visit the National Council of **Teachers** *Mathematics* at https://www.nctm.or/crcc/.

Grade 1



PARENT GUIDE FOR GRADE 1 MATHEMATICS

Preparing Florida's Children for a Successful Future



All Florida students deserve to graduate high school with the knowledge and skills they need to succeed in college, careers and life. Over the last several years, Florida has made strong academic gains. But, we know today's workforce requires our graduates to have stronger critical thinking, problem solving and communications skills than ever before. Higher standards that challenge and motivate our students are essential.

To address this need, education leaders across the state of Florida improved our academic content standards, creating new expectations for what students need to know and be able to do. The Florida Standards are designed to ensure that **ALL** students reach their greatest potential—whatever their path may be.

Preparing your child for success begins in kindergarten and continues as your child moves up through each grade. This guide will support parents and families with children in **first grade** by helping you:

- Learn about the Florida Standards and why they matter for your child.
- Talk with your child's teachers about what he/she will be learning in the classroom.
- Support your child's learning in practical ways at home.

LEARN ABOUT THE STANDARDS

Florida students will continue to practice many of the same things you learned in first grade—along with some important additional skills. **First grade** students are learning these types of lessons:

- Solving word problems that call for addition of three whole numbers whose sum is less than or equal to 20 by using objects, drawings and equations with a symbol for the unknown number to represent the problem.
- Understanding subtraction as an unknown-addend (an unknown number added to another) problem.

For example: "Subtract 10 − 8 by finding the number that makes 10 when added to 8."



Every child develops at his/her own pace. The activities in this guide are recommended agespecific guidelines for growing young minds.





Download the complete Mathematics Florida Standards for Grade 1 at www.flstandards.org

#FLStandards Join the conversation



Developed by the Florida Department of Education

TALK WITH YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER



When you talk to your child's teacher, don't worry about covering everything. Instead, keep the conversation focused on the most important topics for your child. In first grade, you may ask your child's teacher questions such as:

- How will my child be expected to show his/her work?
- What are some areas where my child is excelling? Where does my child need extra help?

SUPPORT LEARNING AT HOME

As a parent, you are your child's first teacher. You can encourage learning mathematics at home in ways that are fun for you and your child. Try these ideas after school, on weekends and during the summer:



Play number games with your child. Count to answer, "How many?" Think of ways to incorporate "120" into real-life, meaningful activities.



Turn daily activities into real-life math "mysteries." Make word problems that provide practice adding and subtracting within 20.



Gather a collection of coins of various sizes. Ask your child to sort the coins by size. Then pick two of the groups, and ask your child to count the number of coins in each group. Have him/her add the numbers together, then find the difference between the two numbers.



Have your child "check" your addition and subtraction decisions as "true or false." Give him/her opportunities to answer false, and have fun.



Allow him/her to count money and make change. For example, tell your child you have coins in your pocket that total 90 cents and ask, "What combinations of coins could be in my pocket?"



Perform math-based tasks in real life. Set two place settings and ask them to finish the rest, following the pattern you began. Create projects such as planting a garden.

Talk to your child's teacher or principal to learn more great ideas to support learning at home.

Download the complete Mathematics Florida Standards and other resources for parents at www.flstandards.org

Questions? Contact JustforParents@fldoe.org







Grade 1 Mathematics Resources Toolkit



The Grade 1 Mathematics Resource Toolkit is intended to provide recommended guidance to parents in assisting their child with the Florida Benchmarks for Excellent Student Thinking (B.E.S.T.) Standards. This resource toolkit includes Grade 1 standards information and resources related to the Grade 1 curriculum to aid in preparing your child for the Mathematics Florida Assessment of Student Thinking (FAST) Assessment.

Grade 1 Mathematics Resources

This section features links to resources and tools to allow you to assist your child at home.

Student and Parent Resources

- Grade 1 FLDOE Instructional Resources Math Toolkit Videos
- Grade 1 Mathematics Student Resources
- Renaissance Star Sample Test Items

Grade 1 Mathematics Course Description

Course descriptions provide an overview of the required standards for the course. The Grade 1 mathematics course description includes resources for all 41 standards within the Grade 1 mathematics course.

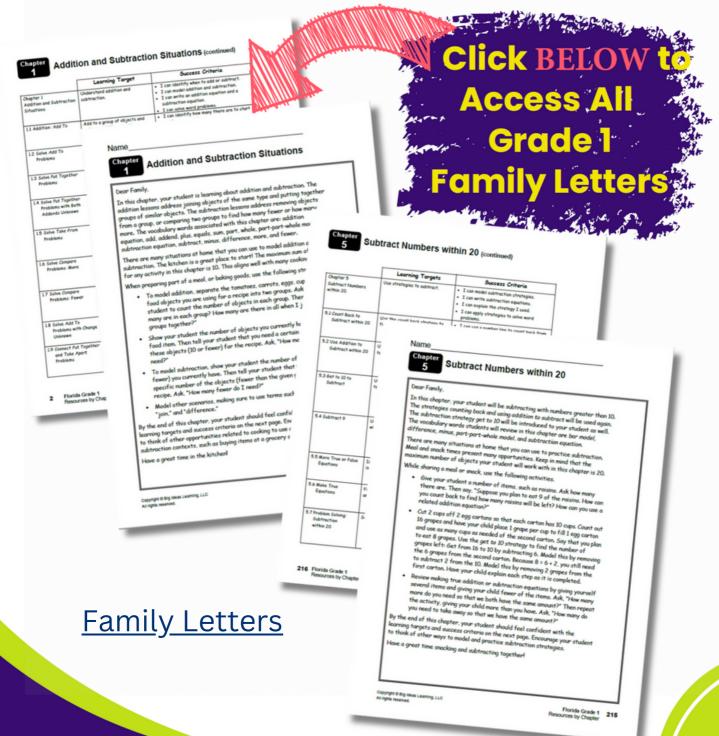
Information retrieved from fldoe.org and cpalms.org

Big Ideas Learning





Family Letters keep the home-school connection strong by involving parents in their student's learning. Parents can easily stay up-to-date on their child's education, giving them the ability to understand concepts in a whole new way and better assist their child with practice and review for assessments.



Big Ideas Learning

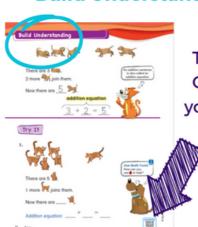


Using Big Ideas Learning Homework & Practice

QR Codes in Grade 1

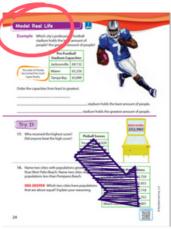
Each Homework and Practice page has a QR Code® to link students and parents to at-home videos for each lesson. This provides access to the videos that align to the lessons, including click-through example videos.

Homework & Practice videos are available for Build Understanding and Model Real Life sections of each lesson.



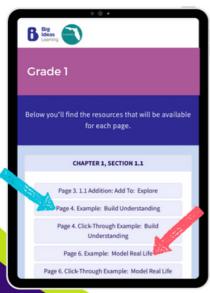
STEP 1:

To access videos, scan the QR Code at the bottom of your child's Student Edition book.



STEP 2:

Open your cell phone camera or a QR Code scanner app. Scan QR Code at the bottom of the page.



STEP 3:

Select Build Understanding or Model Real Life to access the videos that provide the examples from your child's class instruction. Use the remaining links should you need additional support or further math skills assistance.



SKILLS REVIEW HANDBOOK

Skills Review activities provide practice for grade level appropriate skills. This ensures students are solid on basic concept understanding. For your additional practice, links to interactive games are listed below.

Count & Write Numbers to 120

Activity 2 Activity 1

Activity 4 Activity 3

GAME

Drop and Build

Add 2-Digit Numbers with 1-Digit Numbers

Activity 2 Activity 1

Activity 3 Activity 4

GAME

Three in a Row

Subtract 1-Digit Numbers from

2-Digit Numbers

Activity 1 Activity 2

Activity 3 Activity 4

GAME

Numberland

Measurement

Activity 1 Activity 2 *Game Not Available

Time and Money

Activity 1 **Activity 2**

Activity 3

GAME

Time or Money Flip and Find

Algebraic Reasoning

Activity 1 **Activity 2**

Activity 4 Activity 3 **Game Not Available**

2- and 3-Dimensional Shapes

Activity 2 Activity 1

Activity 4 Activity 3

Activity 5

GAME

Shape Roll and Build

Data Analysis

Activity 1 Activity 2

Activity 3

GAME

Spin and Graph





Skills Trainer is a built-in program that provides ample opportunities for students to practice and achieve fluency in skills from prior grades.

Ready for the bonus? Skills Trainer does not have to be assigned by a teacher because students have full access to every skill along with unlimited practice opportunities.

Learn how to access Skills Trainer from the Student Account.

Scan QR Code Below to Access Video

