MATHEMATICS – Patterning and Algebra				
Grade 1 identify, describe, extend, and create repeating patterns. Grade 2 identify, describe, extend, and create repeating patterns, growing patterns, and shrinking patterns.	[Name] is able to create and extend repeating patterns. [He/She] demonstrates this during [specific task, such as class calendar time when we make and extend a pattern on each day of the month].	[Name] is encouraged to work on creating patterns. Finding patterns in [his/her] environment and practicing colouring simple patterns would help [Name] develop this skill.		
Grade 3 describe, extend, and create a variety of numeric patterns and geometric patterns.	[Name] is able to create and extend a variety of patterns. [He/She] used pattern blocks to make and extend a geometric pattern made of shapes.			
Grade 4 describe, extend, and create a variety of numeric and geometric patterns, make predictions related to the patterns, and investigate repeating patterns involving reflections.	[Name] can accurately create a sequence of numbers based on a pattern rule involving addition, subtraction, or multiplication (e.g., "start at 1 and multiply each term by 2 to get the next term").	[Name] should practice recording number patterns in the form of a table of values (a simple chart that shows the sequence of numbers created by following the pattern). Examples of this are found in [specific resource].		
Grade 5 determine, through investigation using a table of values, relationships in growing and shrinking patterns, and investigate repeating patterns involving translations.				
Grade 6 describe and represent relationships in growing and shrinking patterns (where the terms are whole numbers), and investigate repeating patterns involving rotations.				
Grade 7 represent linear growing patterns (where the terms are whole numbers) using concrete materials, graphs, and algebraic expressions.	[Name] represented linear growing patterns [specific evidence, such as by placing tiles on an x-, y-axis on a large piece of grid paper]. These patterns were also written as an algebraic expressions (e.g., x+4; 2x +1)	Spending some time at home using computer resources such as CLIPS would be beneficial to help <i>[Name]</i> understand how to represent linear growing patterns and write them as algebraic expressions.		
Grade 8 represent linear growing patterns (where the terms are	[Name] represented linear growing patterns [specific			

whole numbers) using graphs, algebraic expressions, and equations.	evidence, such as by placing tiles on an x-, y-axis on a large piece of grid paper]. These patterns were also written as an algebraic expressions (e.g., x+4; 2x +1) and as equations (e.g., y=x+7).	
Grade 1 demonstrate an understanding of the concept of equality, using concrete materials and addition and subtraction to 10.	Using cubes and other manipulatives, <i>[Name]</i> shows understanding of addition and subtraction to 10 <i>[or further].</i>	
Grade 2 demonstrate an understanding of the concept of equality between pairs of expressions, using concrete materials, symbols, and addition and subtraction to 18.		
Grade 3 demonstrate an understanding of equality between pairs of expressions, using addition and subtraction of one- and two-digit numbers.		
Grade 4 demonstrate an understanding of equality between pairs of expressions, using addition, subtraction, and multiplication.	[Name] understands how to re- phrase equations involving multiplication in ways that make them easier to calculate (e.g., "I know that 15 x 7 x 2 equals 15 x 2 x 7, which is easier to multiply	[Name] could improve [his/her] understanding of multiplication by using guess and check (with or without a calculator) to fill in the missing number in equations involving one- and two-digit
Grade 5 demonstrate, through investigation, an understanding of the use of variables in equations.	in my head.").	numbers (e.g., x 4 = 24).
Grade 6 use variables in simple algebraic expressions and equations to describe relationships.		
Grade 7 model real-life linear relationships graphically and algebraically, and solve simple algebraic equations using a variety of strategies, including inspection and guess and check.	Given [specific evidence, such as a table of values], [Name] is able to model information in an algebraic equation (e.g., 3x+4). [He/she] can also solve for an unknown in simple algebraic equations.	Keeping organized notes of the main ideas learned in math class each day and reviewing those notes would help [Name] formulate questions that [he/she] can ask to help clarify understanding.
Grade 8 model linear relationships graphically and algebraically,	Given [specific evidence, such as a table of values], [Name] is able to model information in an algebraic equation (e.g., 3x+4).	Spending some time at home using computer resources such as CLIPS would help [Name]

and solve and verify algebraic equations, using a variety of	[He/she] can also solve for an unknown in simple algebraic	develop [his/her] understanding of algebra.
strategies, including inspection,	equations and verify that	
guess and check, and using a	[his/her] answer was correct.	
"balance" model.		