## 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.

## Grade 3

describe, extend, and create a variety of numeric patterns and geometric patterns.

## 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.

## 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.

## Grade 8

represent linear growing patterns (where the terms are
[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 able to create and extend a variety of patterns. [He/She] used pattern blocks to make and extend a geometric pattern made of shapes. [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] is encouraged to work on creating patterns. Finding patterns in [his/her] environment and practicing colouring simple patterns would help [Name] develop this skill.
[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].

Spending some time at home using computer resources such as CLIPS would be beneficial to help [Name] understand how to represent linear growing patterns and write them as algebraic expressions.

| 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., $x+4$; $2 x+1$ ) and as equations (e.g., $y=x+7$ ). |  |
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| Grade 1 demonstrate an understanding of the concept of equality, using concrete materials and addition and subtraction to 10 . <br> Grade 2 <br> demonstrate an understanding of the concept of equality between pairs of expressions, using concrete materials, symbols, and addition and subtraction to 18. <br> Grade 3 demonstrate an understanding of equality between pairs of expressions, using addition and subtraction of one- and two-digit numbers. | Using cubes and other manipulatives, [Name] shows understanding of addition and subtraction to 10 [or further]. |  |
| Grade 4 demonstrate an understanding of equality between pairs of expressions, using addition, subtraction, and multiplication. <br> Grade 5 demonstrate, through investigation, an understanding of the use of variables in equations. <br> Grade 6 use variables in simple algebraic expressions and equations to describe relationships. | [Name] understands how to rephrase equations involving multiplication in ways that make them easier to calculate (e.g., "I know that $15 \times 7 \times 2$ equals $15 \times$ $2 \times 7$, which is easier to multiply in my head."). | [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 numbers (e.g., $\qquad$ $x 4=24$ ). |
| Grade 7 <br> model real-life linear relationships graphically and algebraically, and solve simple algebraic equations using a variety of strategies, including inspection and guess and check. <br> 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., $3 x+4$ ). [He/she] can also solve for an unknown in simple algebraic equations. <br> Given [specific evidence, such as a table of values], [Name] is able to model information in an algebraic equation (e.g., $3 x+4$ ). | 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. <br> Spending some time at home using computer resources such as CLIPS would help [Name] |


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