

K-8th Grade Mathematics GUARANTEED VIABLE CURRICULUM

Guidance Document
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Fresno Unified School District (FUSD) students can and must learn at grade level and beyond. To ensure our students graduate ready for college and career, we are committed to providing a guaranteed and viable curriculum (GVC) as a resource for our educators. **A guaranteed and viable curriculum ensures that all students in Fresno Unified have the opportunity to learn challenging content.** Our written curriculum provides clear guidance on what content must be addressed in specific courses at specific grade levels. In K-8 Mathematics, the primary source we use to address that content is HMH *GoMath!*

While HMH *Go Math!* will serve as the primary resource for instructional materials in K-8 Mathematics, teacher instructional decision making remains essential to ensure all students engage in excellent instruction that reflects the tenets of FUSD’s Instructional Practice Guide (IPG) and the unique learning needs of our students.

This document describes expectations for implementing the GVC and definitions of common terms. The differentiated instructional resources, including a wide variety of math student and teacher resources, math tools and manipulatives, assessment resources, intervention options, differentiated instructional tools, English Learner guide, and technology options included in the materials will provide for the varying needs of students and support Accountable Communities in answering the four guiding questions.

GVC Usage Expectations

Primary Source (expected to be used—choose how and when)		Optional (may or may not be used—based on student data)
Go Math Teacher Edition (Planning Guide, Chapter Planners)	Getting Ready for Smarter Balanced Assessment (Elementary)	Intensive Intervention Kit
Student Edition Chapter Books	Chapter Performance Assessment Tasks Embedded in Scope and Sequence	Common Core Math Interactive White Board Lessons
Manipulative Kits	Critical Area Performance Assessment Tasks Embedded in Scope and Sequence	Professional Development Podcasts & Math Practices Videos
5 E Lesson Structure	Critical Area Projects	iTools virtual manipulatives
Personal Math Trainer	Reteach and Enrichment Workbooks	Interactive Student Edition
Common Core Standards Practice Book	English Learner Activity Guide	Math on the Spot Videos
Teacher Resource Book (tools and organizers)	Strategic Intervention Activity Guide	Mega Math (Elementary)
Math Boards (Elementary)		Grab-and-Go Differentiated Centers Kits (Elementary)
Teacher Assessment Guide		Math Concept Readers (Elementary)
Strategies and Practice for Skills and Facts Fluency (K-3)		Animated Math Models (Elementary)

Common Terms	Common Definitions
Guaranteed Viable Curriculum	Board Adopted standards-aligned curriculum to ensure that all students in Fresno Unified have the opportunity to learn challenging content.
Primary source document	HMH <i>Go Math!</i>