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TO: District Superintendents
Superintendents of Public and Nonpublic Schools
Principals of Public, Charter, and Nonpublic Schools

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SUBJECT: Grades 5-8 Math Reference Sheets

The purpose of this memorandum is to provide the Grades 5-8 Math Reference Sheets that will be in use for State testing purposes, beginning with the 2013-14 school year and beyond. In addition, these reference sheets will be used for Grades 5-8 math field tests to be administered in selected schools next month.

The attached Reference Sheets have been updated based on input from the field and additional information provided to the Department through its participation in the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC). These Math Reference Sheets will also appear in the 2014 Test Guides.

For questions concerning the new Reference Sheets, please contact the Office of State Assessment by e-mail at emscassessinfo@mail.nysed.gov or by calling (518) 474-5902.

Thank you for your assistance in distributing this information to appropriate staff.

Attachments

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Grade 5 Mathematics Reference Sheet

CONVERSIONS

1 mile = 5,280 feet

1 pound = 16 ounces

1 cup = 8 fluid ounces

1 mile = 1,760 yards

1 ton = 2,000 pounds

1 pint = 2 cups

1 quart = 2 pints

1 gallon = 4 quarts

1 liter = 1,000 cubic centimeters

FORMULAS

Right Rectangular Prism

$$V = Bh \text{ or } V = lwh$$

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Grade 6 Mathematics Reference Sheet

CONVERSIONS

1 inch = 2.54 centimeters

1 meter = 39.37 inches

1 mile = 5,280 feet

1 mile = 1,760 yards

1 mile = 1.609 kilometers

1 kilometer = 0.62 mile

1 pound = 16 ounces

1 pound = 0.454 kilogram

1 kilogram = 2.2 pounds

1 ton = 2,000 pounds

1 cup = 8 fluid ounces

1 pint = 2 cups

1 quart = 2 pints

1 gallon = 4 quarts

1 gallon = 3.785 liters

1 liter = 0.264 gallon

1 liter = 1,000 cubic centimeters

FORMULAS

Triangle

$$A = \frac{1}{2}bh$$

Right Rectangular Prism

$$V = Bh \text{ or } V = lwh$$

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Grade 7 Mathematics Reference Sheet

CONVERSIONS

1 inch = 2.54 centimeters

1 meter = 39.37 inches

1 mile = 5,280 feet

1 mile = 1,760 yards

1 mile = 1.609 kilometers

1 kilometer = 0.62 mile

1 pound = 16 ounces

1 pound = 0.454 kilogram

1 kilogram = 2.2 pounds

1 ton = 2,000 pounds

1 cup = 8 fluid ounces

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1 gallon = 4 quarts

1 gallon = 3.785 liters

1 liter = 0.264 gallon

1 liter = 1,000 cubic centimeters

FORMULAS

Triangle

$$A = \frac{1}{2}bh$$

Parallelogram

$$A = bh$$

Circle

$$A = \pi r^2$$

Circle

$$C = \pi d \text{ or } C = 2\pi r$$

General Prisms

$$V = Bh$$

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Grade 8 Mathematics Reference Sheet

CONVERSIONS

1 inch = 2.54 centimeters	1 kilometer = 0.62 mile	1 cup = 8 fluid ounces
1 meter = 39.37 inches	1 pound = 16 ounces	1 pint = 2 cups
1 mile = 5,280 feet	1 pound = 0.454 kilogram	1 quart = 2 pints
1 mile = 1,760 yards	1 kilogram = 2.2 pounds	1 gallon = 4 quarts
1 mile = 1.609 kilometers	1 ton = 2,000 pounds	1 gallon = 3.785 liters
		1 liter = 0.264 gallon
		1 liter = 1,000 cubic centimeters

FORMULAS

Triangle

$$A = \frac{1}{2}bh$$

Parallelogram

$$A = bh$$

Circle

$$A = \pi r^2$$

Circle

$$C = \pi d \text{ or } C = 2\pi r$$

General Prisms

$$V = Bh$$

Cylinder

$$V = \pi r^2 h$$

Sphere

$$V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$$

Cone

$$V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$$

Pythagorean Theorem

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$
