.MATH FOR ME- SCOPE AND SEQUENCE OF MATH CONTENT AND CONCEPT LEARNING PROGRESSIONS

CORE CONSTRUCT = THE OVERALL GOAL FOR THE YEAR THAT APPLIES TO ALL UNITS UNIT 3-HIGHLIGHTED

MELDS COMPONENT	UNIT 1	UNIT 2	UNIT 3	UNIT 4	UNIT 5	UNIT 6
CORE CONSTRUCT	FAMILY	FRIENDS	WIND & WATER	WORLD OF COLOR	SHADOWS AND	THINGS THAT
Concept					REFLECTIONS	GROW
MATHEMATICAL PRACTICES CHILDREN ARE COMPETENT MATHEMATICIANS Attitudes/Approach	Learning math starts with discovery and exploration.	Participating in Math Activities with friends.	Using math to observe the weather.	Playing games = engaging with math concepts & skills.	Science and math concepts help us understand shadows.	Math is energizing and useful in many contexts: school, home, and the surrounding environment.
Usefulness (Mathematizing)	We use math every day: Connecting number to real world situations.	Math in our Classroom- Routines and activities	Math helps us describe and make sense of the physical world.	Math ideas relate to games and outdoor play (comparisons, quantity, subitizing)	Math is embedded in learning projects (Uses math in STEM activities)	
Problem Solving MATH HELPS SOLVE PROBLEMS	What is a problem? Introducing math into problem solving.	People work together to solve math problems	Gathering Information (data) to help solve problems	Finding patterns in data to help solve problems.	Generating and testing solutions to problems [STEM]	Solving practical problems using geometry and measurement data: Planning a garden.
Communication (Mathematizing) MATH = COMMUNICATION	Naming our math center and math activities	Math has special vocabulary. (e.g. 3D and 2D shapes/comparison words)	Math words and math ideas appear in storybooks, outdoors and home.	Identifying math words and math ideas in storybooks, outdoors and home: subitizing, patterns, etc.	Growing accuracy and expanding use of language of math (verbal and non- verbal).	Applying the many "languages" of math in multiple contexts.
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COUNTING & CARDINALITY CLUSTER COUNTING DETERMINES QUANTITY Counting	Practicing the number word list through words & action.	Practicing the number word list through words & action.	Rote Counting Strategies: Numbers have an order. Correcting errors.	Rote: Expanding the number word list to 20 and beyond.	Rote Counting Strategies: Finding patterns in counting above 10.	Counting the same group of objects results in the same result. [Stability of

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Rote & Rational		Transition from rote	Transition from rote	—	Transition from rote	sets and/or order
		to rational counting	to rational counting	Transition from rote	to rational counting	irrelevance]
		strategies: One	strategies: Counting	to rational counting	strategies – Order	
		object has only one	dissimilar objects	counting Strategies;	irrelevance;	Using and applying
		name		Connecting groups	Keeping track of	rational counting to
_				to number names	numbers counted	questions of quantity
Numerals	Some writing	Identifying/naming	Matching numerals	Matches numerals	Writing number	We communicate
NUMERALS AND MATH	marks are called	number symbols in	with their names (0-	with their names (0-	symbols up to 10.	math ideas using
SYMBOLS REPRESENT MATH	numbers	the environment.	5).	10).		number symbols.
IDEAS	(numerals) and		Exploring writing	Exploring Writing		
	others are letters.		numerals	numerals with		
		0	#C : # C	intent.	5 1 1 1/5"	51
Cardinality		Grouping of objects	"Seeing" groups of	"Seeing" groups (up	Exploring the "5"	Relating counting and
SEEING, SAYING AND		and describing likes	numbers	to 5) and sometimes	group in activities.	cardinality with
REPRESENTING CARDINALITY	Grouping objects	and differences	automatically up to	using them as a		increasing accuracy:
INVOLVES MULTIPLE	of 1 or 2 (arbitrary		5.	counting strategy		labeling groups with
CONCEPTS.	or attribute-based)		(perceptual			various
Subitizing			subitizing)			arrangements/arrays.
Cardinality		Using a number	Counting groups of	Counting groups of	Showing	
_		word or some form	objects or persons	objects or persons	understanding that	
		of Counting to	and assigns a	and assigns a	How many means the	
		answer How Many?	number name	number name	last number counted	
			(1-2)	(Increasing accuracy)	& represents amount	
					in entire group.	
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OPERATIONS AND	Introducing	Responding to	Beginning to count	Showing	Showing	Combining ideas of
ALGEBRAIC THINKING	Number Questions	Number Questions	from 1 onward when	understanding that	understanding that	1:1 correspondence,
Quantity		with Demonstration	asked how many.	How many means	How many means the	cardinality and
		or Words.(1, 2)	Gives an answer.	the last number	last number counted	number stability to
DETERMINING HOW MANY?			Number words refer	counted represents	represents amount in	understand quantity.
IS THE GOAL OF EARLY MATH			to quantity	the entire group.	entire group.	
Relationships	Demonstrating	1:1 Correspondence	Beginning	Beginning to	Counts groups and	Comparing groups of
MATH = FINDING	perceptive	is a special type of	comparison of	compare groups	begins to compare	numbers (< > + - =)
RELATIONSHIPS AND	(intuitive) number	relationship—one	groups for more or	using counting	numbers(< > +=) (up	using word, actions or
PATTERNS.	in play or other	name, one object.	less (visual	strategies (up to 10).	to 10)	objects.
1:1 Correspondence	daily activities	(See rational	estimating/	Beginning to	Finding number	Beginning to
& Other math		counting)	counting).	recognize	partners: number	compose/decompose
relationships				parts/wholes of	within numbers (up	numbers (up to 5)
_				number groups.	to 5).	
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Representation MATH IDEAS APPEAR IN MANY MODES AND CONTEXTS. Physical/verbal Modeling Visual Tools for Representing Number & Relationships	Objects can represent other objects.	Representing number with words signs or gestures. Exploring number matching puzzles and manipulatives to represent relationships	Number can be represented by manipulatives (unit blocks, counters) and symbols and people. Using number matching puzzles and manipulatives to represent relationships	Drawing, describing or showing with manipulatives how number names relate to groups. Introducing number paths. Identifying a story problem.	Beginning concepts of Adding and Taking (up to 5) Away (varying ways of representing) Using number paths and grid games as a counting tool. Using story problems to visualize operations	Communicating addition and subtraction with fingers and manipulatives. (up to 5) Beginning to use number paths and grid games to communicate math ideas. Acting out story problems to visualize operations up to 10.
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GEOMETRY (INCLUDES CLASSIFICATION) FORMING AND APPLYING IDEAS OF SHAPES AND SPATIAL RELATIONSHIPS Shape 3D-2D Attributes	Manipulating and building with 3-D Shapes	Finding 3-D and 2-D shapes in the environment and using words to describe geometrical figures.	3D and 2D shapes have different attributes and uses. Discovering and describing some attributes of shapes.	Classifying shapes by describing and comparing some attributes.	Copies or represents shapes using manipulatives or drawing.	Growing accuracy in discovering, describing and comparing attributes of shape: Exploring grouping shapes by characteristics.
Parts/Wholes COMPOSING & DECOMPOSING FIGURES	Taking apart and putting together toys, puzzles & manipulatives	Taking apart and putting together toys, puzzles and manipulatives and sometimes describing parts and wholes	Identifying the parts of objects in the classroom and outside world and relating those parts to whole.	Using shape puzzles and shape manipulatives for parts/whole understandings	Putting a variety of shapes together to make objects or pictures. Identifying words for part/whole concepts.	Taking apart shapes and reassembling. May identify parts.
Space (Spatial relations) Orientation Directionality	Informal spatial movement: Moving our bodies in many different directions	Recognizing and responding to Directionality and Orientation words or commands	Moving objects and our bodies and describing relative positions in space.	Playing games and initiating activities that involve directionality and orientation.	Orientation: Shapes are still the same shape, despite their orientation (Intro to slides, flips and turns).	Orientation: Manipulating and describing 2-D Shapes y Slides flips and turns Integrating shape and space concepts in

			(Movement patterns or models such as maps)		Identifying shape and space concepts in STEM activities	class projects and problem solving.
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MEASUREMENT & DATA (INCLUDES CLASSIFICATION AND PATTERNS) FINDING MEASURABLE PROPERTIES AND EXPLORING MEASUREMENT METHODS Measurement Tools		Exploring measurement tools indoors and outdoors.	Matching measurement tools to their purposes: measuring water; temperature	Mixing and creating colors using measurement tools.	Using tools to measure and compare shadows.	. Solving problems using some form of measurement method and tools.
Measurement Methods & Attributes		Exploring and describing Measurable Attributes in everyday activities.	Experimenting with measurement: Directly comparing 2 or more items on an attribute.	Experimenting with measurement methods Using measurable attributes to organize materials.	Experimenting with measurement methods Non-standard measurement	
Specific Language & Concepts PRACTICAL APPLICATION OF MEASUREMENT	Everyday use of measurement words in play, at school and at home.	Growing use of accurate measurement terms: Exploring the Language of Time in classroom routines	Growing use of accurate measurement terms: Exploring temperature and capacity/volume	Growing use of accurate measurement terms: Exploring weight and mass. Describing past, present & future events.	Growing use of accurate measurement terms: Exploring length and distance: Continuous and discrete measurement	Demonstrating the practical use of measurement
Data GATHERING, ORGANIZING AND USING INFORMATION TO MAKE MEANING AND SOLVE PROBLEMS	Matching and grouping (Attribute recognition)	Describing, sorting and classifying collections (Self-described or in response to questions	Growing use of discrete attributes for classification sorting strategies to organize collections Discovering patterns in movement song or materials.	Organizing data: Recording data graphically in charts & graphs. Describing patterns.	Growing abilities to recognize, copy describe and create patterns.	(including data skills) to solve problems in everyday life