

Dixon Math 8 Newsletter



February/March 2017

Greetings!

We are finishing up our third unit, Say it with Symbols. Most of the work that we will be doing for the rest of the year will provide scholars with a foundation for high school Algebra and Geometry. As we begin this 3rd marking period, we have discussed the need to "reset" ourselves to make sure that we all understand the classroom norms. I ask that you discuss these with your scholar and complete the activity at the bottom of the newsletter. Please contact me if you have any questions.

-Ms. Dixon

Upcoming Units

Butterflies, Pinwheels, & Wallpaper:
Symmetry and Transformations

It's in the System:
Systems of Linear Equations

Important Dates

Marking Period 3:

1/30/17-3/31/17

Parent Teacher Conferences:

2/9/17

February recess: 

2/20-2/24

Early dismissal @ 11:15am:

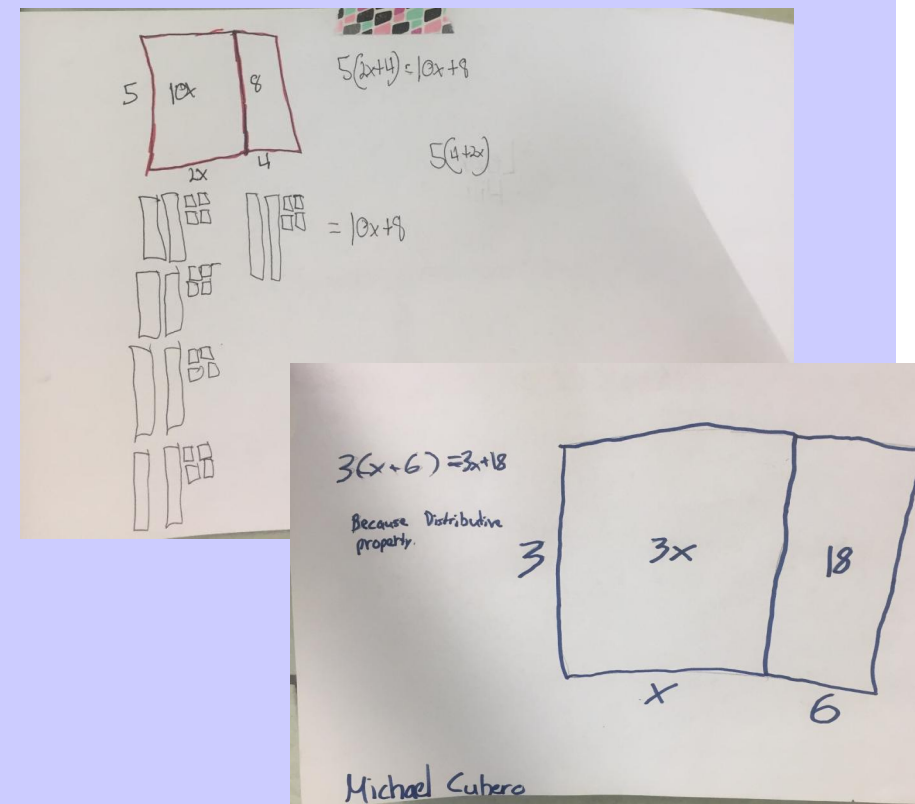
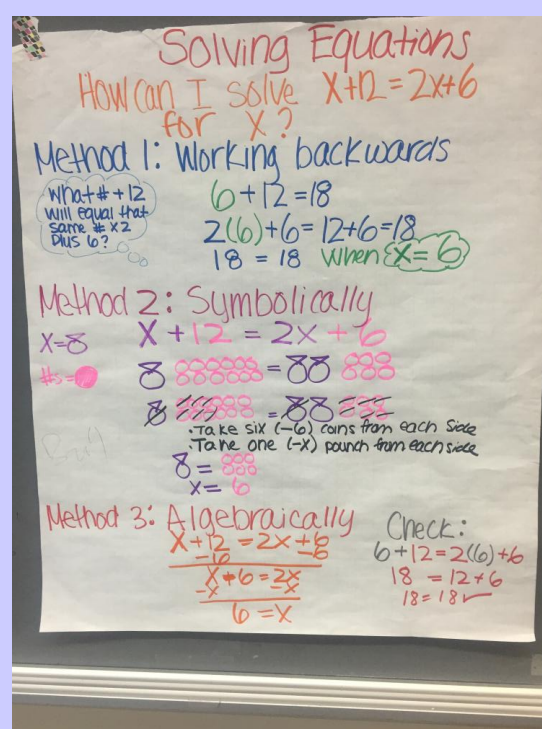
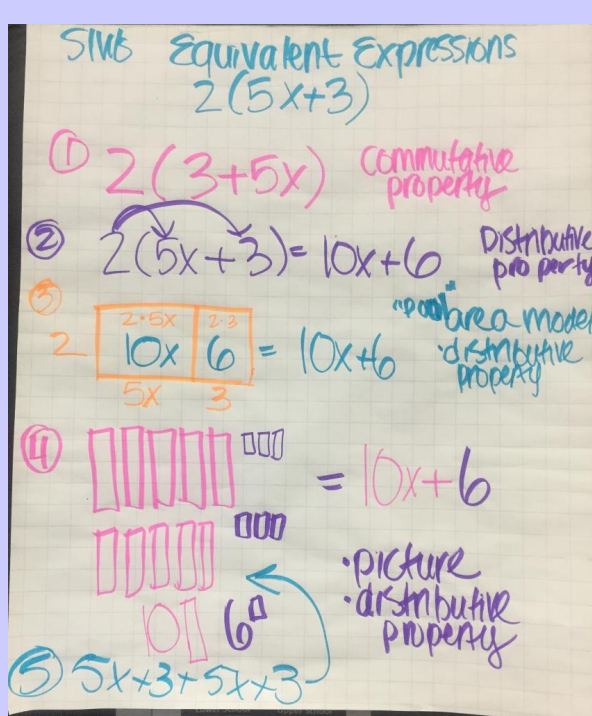
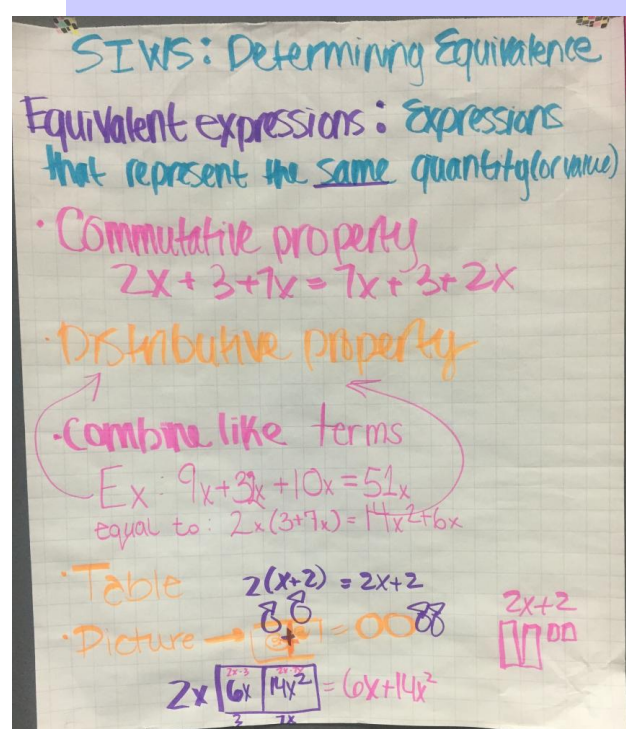
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Say it with Symbols Highlights



- I can create expressions that are equivalent using strategies that I know
- I can determine if two expressions are equivalent and justify my reasoning
- I can utilize strategies I know to solve equations.

Ask your scholar to describe the work we did...



Discuss the following question and return for a homework grade.

What do each of our norms mean to you?

Be respectful

Be (your) g.o.a.t.

Be supportive

Be a good listener

Be focused