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Curriculum Framework Grade 6 Honors (6/7)

#### **Strand: Measurement and Geometry**

- 6.7 The student will
- a) derive  $\pi$  (pi);

<ul> <li>a) derive π (pi);</li> <li>b) solve problems, including practical problems, involving circumference and area of a circle; and</li> <li>c) solve problems, including practical problems, involving area and perimeter of triangles and rectangles.</li> </ul>				
Suggested Pacing				
Related Standards				
Spiral Down: 4th Grade:	Spiral Up:			
Essential Questions	Common Misconceptions			
<ul> <li>What is the connection between the parts of the circle and pi (π)</li> <li>How can one part of a circle help determine the measure of another part?</li> <li>How are area and circumference connected?</li> <li>How can we determine area, given circumference?</li> <li>Can we determine diameter or radius, given area or circumference?</li> <li>How is diameter related to radius?</li> <li>How is circumference related to diameter?</li> </ul>	Circumference Vs. Area: students do not understand the difference and where they are located on the circle; evaluating the formula to solve for circumference/area			
Understanding the Standard	Essential Knowledge and Skills			
• The value of pi ( $\pi$ ) is the ratio of the circumference of a circle to its diameter. Thus, the circumference of a circle is proportional to its diameter.	<ul> <li>Derive an approximation for pi (3.14 or <sup>22</sup>/<sub>7</sub>) by gathering data and comparing the circumference to the diameter of various circles, using concrete materials or computer models. (a)</li> </ul>			

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- The calculation of determining area and circumference may vary depending upon the approximation for pi. Common approximations for  $\pi$  include 3.14,  $\frac{22}{7}$ , or the pi ( $\pi$ ) button on a calculator.
- Experiences in deriving the formulas for area, perimeter, and volume using manipulatives such as tiles, one-inch cubes, graph paper, geoboards, or tracing paper, promote an understanding of the formulas and their use.
- Perimeter is the path or distance around any plane figure. The perimeter of a circle is called the circumference.
- The circumference of a circle is about three times the measure of its diameter.
- The circumference of a circle is computed using  $C = \pi d$  or  $C = 2 \pi r$ , where d is the diameter and r is the radius of the circle.
- The area of a closed curve is the number of nonoverlapping square units required to fill the region enclosed by the curve.
- The area of a circle is computed using the formula  $A = \pi r^2$ , where r is the radius of the circle.
- The perimeter of a square whose side measures s can be determined by multiplying 4 by s (P = 4s), and its area can be determined by squaring the length of one side ( $A = s^2$ ).
- The perimeter of a rectangle can be determined by computing the sum of twice the length and twice the width (P = 2l + 2w, or P = 2(l + w)), and its area can be determined by computing the product of the length and the width (A = lw).
- The perimeter of a triangle can be determined by computing the sum of the side lengths (P = a + b + c), and its area can be determined by computing  $\frac{1}{2}$  the
  - (P = a + b + c), and its area can be determined by computing  $\frac{1}{2}$  the product of base and the height  $(A = \frac{1}{2}bh)$ .

- Solve problems, including practical problems, involving circumference and area of a circle when given the length of the diameter or radius. (b)
- Solve problems, including practical problems, involving area and perimeter of triangles and rectangles.(c)

Vocabulary			Instructional Activities Organized by Learning Objective
			Textbook
Circle	Pi (π)	Circumference	

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Area	Perimeter	Radius	Notes	
Diameter	Triangle	Rectangle		
			Resources  • Print	
Assessment			Technology-based	
			Station Activities	
Cross-Curricular Connections			Tiered Differentiants	