# Pequannock Township School District Curriculum Syllabus

## **PAWS Grade 3**

# **Course Description:**

The PAWS curriculum is designed to support all students in the development of number sense, fluency, and an understanding of mathematical concepts. The curriculum is a guide for teachers as they determine the best ways to support their students in progressing in the aforementioned areas.

### **Course Standards:**

The following is a list of NJSLS that describe what students are expected to know and be able to do as a result of successfully completing this course. The following NJSLS are the basis of the assessment of student achievement. The learner will demonstrate mastery of:

### Operations & Algebraic Thinking

1. Understand properties of multiplication and the relationship between multiplication and division.

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OA.B.5

2. Multiply and divide within 100.

3.OA.C.7

3. Solve problems involving the four operations, and identify and

explain patterns in arithmetic.

3.OA.D.9

### Number & Operations in Base Ten

4. Use place value understanding and properties of operations to perform multi-digit arithmetic.

3.NBT.A.2, 3.NBT.A.3

### Measurement & Data

5. Represent and interpret data.

3.

MD.B.3

6. Understand concepts of area and relate area to multiplication and to addition.

3.

MD.C.5, 3.MD.C.5 a-b, 3.MD.C.6, 3.MD.C.7, 3.MD.C.7a-d

7. Recognize perimeter as an attribute of plane figures and distinguish

MD.D.8

### **Standards for Mathematical Practice**

- 1. Construct viable arguments and critique the reasoning of others. SMP3
- 2. Look for and make use of structure. SMP7
- 3. Look for and express regularity in repeated reasoning. SMP8

# **Scope and Sequence**

### **Unit 1 (Trimester 1)**

Number Talk Unit 1

Fluency Unit 1A: Focus on Addition and Subtraction Fluency Unit 1B: Focus on Multiplication, 0-2, 5, 10

PAWS Project 1: Math - In My School

#### Unit 2 (Trimester 2)

Number Talk Unit 2

Fluency Unit 2: Focus on Multiplication, x3 and x4

PAWS Project 2: Math - Area and Perimeter in the Real World

### Unit 3 (Trimester 3)

Number Talk Unit 3

Fluency Unit 3: Focus on Multiplication, x6-9 PAWS Project 3: Math - *Cooking Up Fractions!* 

### **Assessments**

Evaluation of student achievement in this course will be based on the following:

- a. Teacher observation
- b. Student self-monitoring of progress

# **Curriculum Resources**

#### **Instructional Resources:**

- Number Talks: Helping Children Build Mental Math and Computation Strategies
- Mastering the Basic Math Facts in Addition and Subtraction by Susan O'Connell

- and John SanGiovanni
- Mastering the Basic Math Facts in Multiplication and Division by Susan O'Connell and John SanGiovanni

# **Home and School Connection**

The following are suggestions and/or resources that will help parents support their children:

- YouCubed parent resources: <a href="https://www.youcubed.org/resource/parent-resources/">https://www.youcubed.org/resource/parent-resources/</a>
- Table Talk Math parent resources: https://www.tabletalkmath.com/resources.html
- Fluency Without Fear: Research Evidence on the Best Ways to Learn Math Facts