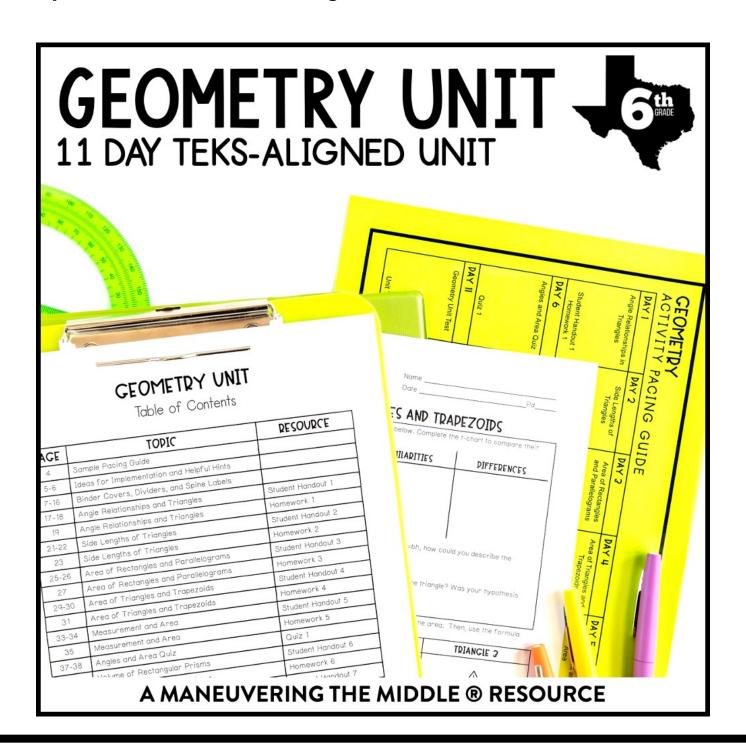
## learning focus:

- apply properties of triangles including side lengths and angle relationships
- $\checkmark$  graph ordered pairs on a coordinate plane
- write equations and determine solutions for problems involving area and volume





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# ready-to-go, scaffolded student materials

### GEOMETRY UNIT

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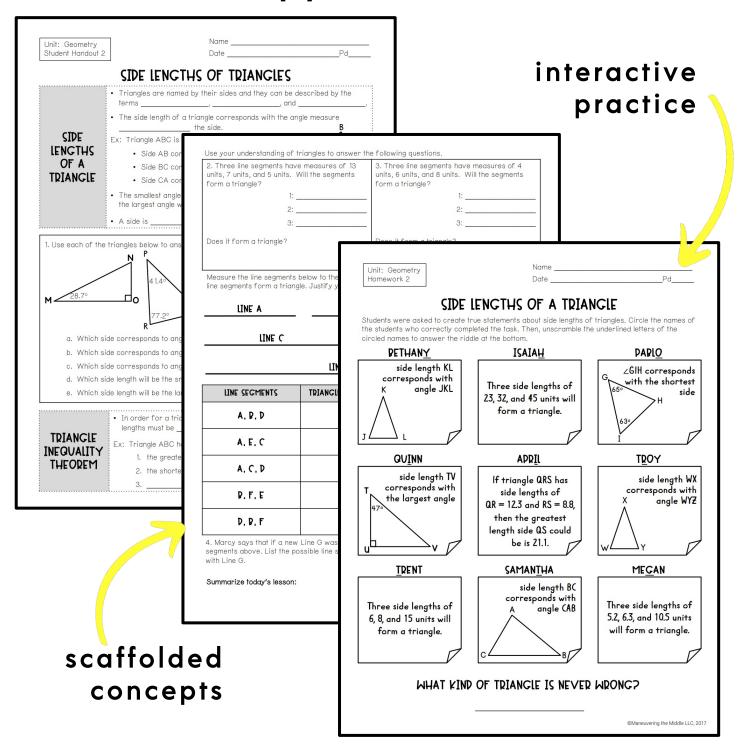
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# streamline your planning process with unit overviews

### CEOMETRY OVERVIEW

DAY 3

Area of Rectangles

and Parallelograms

### **READINESS STANDARDS**

6.8D Determine solutions for problems involving the area of rectangles, parallelograms, trapezoids, and triangles and volume of right rectangular prisms where dimensions are positive rational numbers.

6.10A Model and solve one-variable, one-step equations and inequalities that represent problems, including geometric concepts.

6.11A Graph points in all four quadrants using ordered pairs of rational numbers.

### SUPPORTING STANDARDS

6.8A Extend previous knowledge of triangles and their properties to include the sum of angles of a triangle, the relationship between the lengths of sides and measures of angles in a triangle, and determining when three lengths form a triangle.

6.8B Model area formulas for parallelograms. trapezoids, and triangles by decomposing and rearranging parts of these shapes

6.8C Write equations that represent problems related to the area of rectangles, parallelograms, trapezoids, and triangles and volume of right rectangular prisms, where dimensions are positive rational numbers

DAY 2

Side Lengths of

Student Handout 2

Homework 2

Volume of Rectangula Prisms

Student Handout 6

NOTES



key vocabulary



DAY 4

Area of Triangles and

Student Handout 4

vertical alignment



### **PIC IDEAS**

- · A figure can be decomposed
- The volume of a rectangular
- The area of a 2D figure description · The coordinate plane is an in
- The coordinate plane is used

### **ESSENTIAL QUESTION**

· Why do different shapes hav

### **GEOMETRY** PACING GUIDE

Angle Relationships in

Triangles

Student Handout 1

Homework 1

Angles and Area Quiz

Geometry Unit Test

Unit Test

DAY 1

DAY 6

DAY II



sample pacing calendar

- · How are the interior angles of



	GEOMETRY OVERVIEW			
	TOPIC	TEACHING TIPS		
	Angle Relationships and Triangles	This is one of my most favorite topics! Have students work in groups of three. Give them a long piece of string that has been tied to form a circle. Each student will hold the string and form a vertex. As a review, you could call out the various triangle classifications and have students move to create that type of triangle.  Oftentimes during the STAAR exam, students are asked to bubble these types of responses. Consider practicing bubbling the correct value or even showing the answers bubbled incorrectly.		
	Area of Quadrilaterals	I love teaching area as a covering of a 2D object. This could be as simple as using graph paper to color various shapes with various dimensions. Students could create a picture with various shapes or even spell out their name.     Cheez-Its® are also a great way for students to physically cover an object. Consider giving students a specific number of Cheez-Its®, and then ask them the various dimensions that can be created with that area.		
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teaching ideas

Area of Triangles

Measurement and Area

Search <a href="www.illuminations.nctm.org">www.illuminations.nctm.org</a> for the Area Tool to find an interactive tool that allows you to draw the height of the triangle (and trapezoid) to see various changes. This helps to see the height of the triangle, even on an obtuse triangle

I would suggest printing a TEKS Mathematics Chart from the TEA website and laminating it for everyday use throughout the unit. Students are able to practice using the reference materials.

For additional practice, consider incorporating the Desmos activity, "Exploring Triangle Area with

Reference materials: https://tea.texas.gov/student.assessment/staar/math/

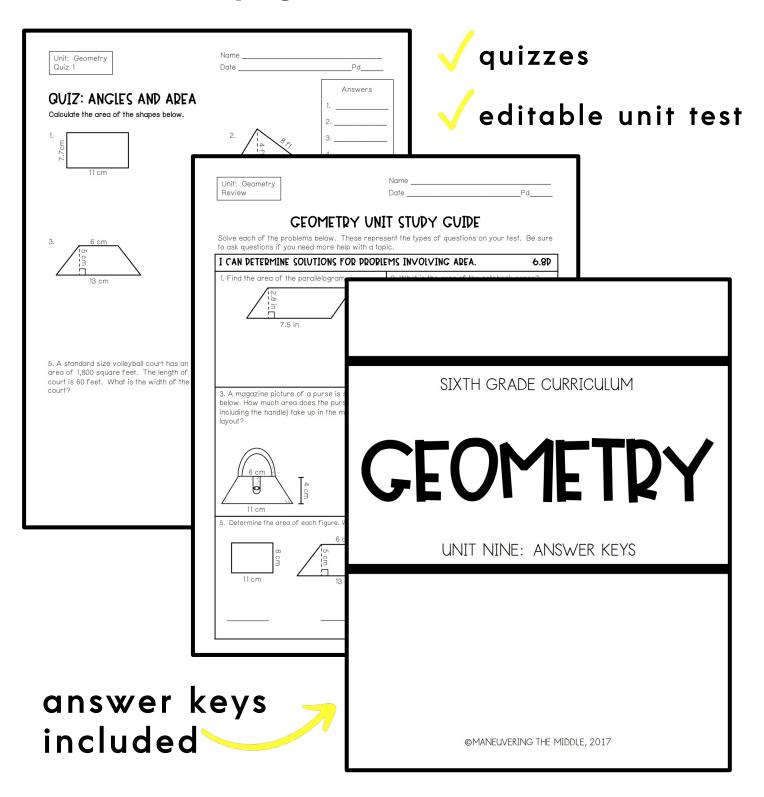
The main purpose of the lesson is for students to practice using the math chart to measure and then use the formula. If students are doing well, then you might consider supplementing this lesson with more hands-on objects instead of the images on the student handouts. Examples include: the window on your classroom door, any posters hanging on the wall, etc.

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