

State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR®)
Performance Level Descriptors
Grade 7 Mathematics

Students achieving Meets Grade Level Performance can

- Use proportional relationships to solve application problems involving experimental and theoretical probabilities related to simple and independent compound events
- Solve application problems involving addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division of rational numbers
- Solve application problems involving proportional relationships
- Model and solve one-variable, two-step equations
- Use proportional relationships to solve application problems involving similarity
- Solve application problems involving circumference, area, surface area, and volume
- Use statistical representations to compare and analyze data
- Solve problems involving tax, interest, and budgets
- Represent relationships between sets of rational numbers

Students achieving Approaches Grade Level Performance can

- Find the probability of a simple event
- Represent constant rates of change in mathematical and real-world problems
- Solve problems using data represented in graphs
- Compare two groups of numeric data using comparative dot plots and box plots

Students achieving Did Not Meet Grade Level Performance can

- Represent sample spaces for compound events
- Calculate unit rates from problem situations
- Solve for a missing side length in problems involving similar shapes and scale drawings