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# Modeling Real Life

## Grades K–5



# Big Ideas Learning

## **Meaningful Coherence From a Single-Authorship Team**

*Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life* by Big Ideas Learning is a comprehensive math program that empowers teachers and promotes student ownership so that all learners can succeed in math.

Written by renowned authors, Dr. Ron Larson and Dr. Laurie Boswell, *Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life* provides a cohesive, coherent, and rigorous mathematics curriculum for students in Kindergarten through Grade 8, successfully preparing students for Big Ideas Learning's high school math curriculum. Program resources, both digital and print, are thoughtfully designed to have the highest impact on learning for all students in any setting.



Ron Larson, Ph.D.



Laurie Boswell, Ed.D.

#### On the Cover Connecting Math to the Real World

The amusement park ride on the cover incorporates real-world applications of counting, shapes, angles, parallel lines, and measurement.



### **Big Ideas Learning provides:**



Meaningful coherence from one authorship team



Integrated Mathematical Practices

Highest-impact teaching strategies



Supportive and engaging learning tools

#### Common Core Edition Also Available!





GRADE 3

GRADE 4

### Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life

**GRADE 5** 

*Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life* is built on a foundation of the most widely accepted research, including pedagogical components of Professor John Hattie's *Visible Learning* research. This pedagogical foundation helps form a clear, concise, and comprehensive vertically aligned solution.



## **Focus and Coherence From a Single-Authorship Team**

From Kindergarten through Algebra 2, Ron Larson and Laurie Boswell developed a logical and comprehensive progression of focused math topics that results in meaningful coherence from course to course.

#### **Focus**

*Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life* features rich lessons, activities, and assessments aligned to grade-level standards, while simultaneously supporting and engaging students in the major work of the course.



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#### Coherence

A single-authorship team ensures a coherent program with an intentional progression of content within and between grade levels. Students build new understanding on foundations from prior grades and connect concepts throughout the year.

#### **Progressions Through the Grades Chart**

Teachers gain insight into where their students have come from and where they are going next with the **Progressions Through the Grades** chart. With this information, teachers are assured that what they are teaching has a purpose and meaning for that particular point in the curriculum.

Through the Grades			
Grade 1	Grade 2	Grade 3	
<ul> <li>Solve addition and subtraction word problems within 20.</li> <li>Determine the unknown number to complete addition and subtraction equations.</li> <li>Use strategies to add within 100.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Solve one- and two-step word problems within 100.</li> <li>Use strategies to fluently add and subtract within 100.</li> <li>Use strategies to add up to 4 two-digit numbers.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Solve one-step word problems involving measurement.</li> <li>Solve one- and two-step word problems involving data.</li> <li>Solve two-step word problems involving the four operations.</li> <li>Use strategies to fluently add and subtract within 1,000.</li> </ul>	

#### **Seamless Progressions Between Grades**

One author team thoughtfully wrote each course, creating a seamless progression of content from Kindergarten through Algebra 2.

	<b>Operations and Algebraic Th</b>	inking			
a and Functions	Understand addition as putting together and adding to, and understand subtraction as taking apart and taking from. <i>Chapters 5–7</i>	Solve problems involving addition and subtraction within 20. Apply properties of operations. Work with addition and subtraction equations. <i>Chapters 1–5, 10, 11</i>	Solve problems involving addition and subtraction within 20. Work with equal groups of objects. <i>Chapters 1–6, 15</i>	Solve problems involving multiplication and division within 100. Apply properties of multiplication. Solve problems involving the four operations, and identify and explain patterns in arithmetic. Chapters 1–5, 8, 9, and 14	
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#### **Intentional Sequence Within Each Grade**

This intentional progression of content results in coherence within the grade. Each lesson builds on prior learning as new concepts are introduced, providing an easy way for students to form connections.



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## **Rigor Through a Balanced Approach**

### **Conceptual Understanding and Procedural Fluency**

A truly rigorous program provides a balance of the three aspects of rigor: conceptual understanding, procedural fluency, and application. Every lesson in the *Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life* program was intentionally written with the following elements to support this balance.



#### **Conceptual Understanding**

Each lesson contains a **Dig In** from **Laurie's Notes** to help teachers launch the lesson. These **Dig Ins** help build conceptual understanding and connect students' prior knowledge to the concepts in the lesson.

Students develop conceptual understanding as they investigate new topics during the **Explore and Grows.** Through discovery learning, the use of manipulatives, and mathematical conversations, students develop deeper levels of understanding.

#### Dig In (Motivate Time)

Students compare two numbers using additive (is \_\_ more than) and multiplicative (is \_\_ times more than) language.

- Fold a strip of paper in half and then half again as shown. Unfold and write 3 in one section.
  Turn and Talk: "Tell your partner what number the whole strip represents and how you know you are correct." Listen for each section represents 3 and 4 × 3 is 12.
- 2 "How many times greater is 12 than 3?" 4 times "How much greater is 12 than 3?" 9 greater





#### **Math Tools**

Teachers and students can use the point-of-use **Math Tools** to support students' conceptual development.



You can use multiplication to co	ompare two numbers.
<b>Example</b> Write two compar	ison sentences for $24 = 4 \times 6$ . The Commutative Property Multiplication to multiplication to multipl
6	4 in any order.
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24 is times as	24 is times as
many as	many as
You can compare two numbers	using addition or multiplication.
<ul> <li>Use addition to find how man</li> </ul>	y more or how many fewer.
Use multiplication to find how	v many times as much.
Example Write an equation	for each comparison sentence.
10:00	. 12 is 3 times as many as 4.
12 is 8 more than 4	
12 is 8 more than 4	
12 is 8 more than 4	

#### **Procedural Fluency**

Following the Explore and Grow, students solidify their learning with clear, steppedout teaching through **Key Ideas** and **Think and Grow** examples.

#### **Scaffolding and Differentiating**

Students demonstrate what they have learned in the **Show and Grow,** allowing teachers to determine how to scaffold and differentiate during the **Apply and Grow.** During the Apply and Grow, students will complete both conceptual and procedural questions and exercises.

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## **Rigor Through a Balanced Approach**

#### **Real-Life Application**

*Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life* emphasizes real-life application, balancing the three aspects of rigor.

#### **Modeling Real Life**

Every lesson contains a **Think and Grow: Modeling Real Life** example. This provides students with a relevant real-world problem that brings together their conceptual understanding and procedural fluency as they seek to apply and transfer their knowledge.





#### **Problem-Solving Plan**

Through an emphasis on the **Problem**-**Solving Plan,** all students can be successful with application problems. Featured in many of the **Think and Grow: Modeling Real Life** examples, students become familiar with the process, helping them make sense of the problem and grow their confidence.

#### THE PROBLEM-SOLVING PLAN

- Understand the Problem
   Think about what the problem is asking, what information you know, and how you might begin to solve.
- 2. Make a Plan

Plan your solution pathway before jumping in to solve. Identify any relationships and decide on a problem-solving strategy.

3. Solve and Check

As you solve the problem, be sure to evaluate your progress and check your answers. Throughout the problem-solving process, you must continually ask, "Does this make sense?" and be willing to change course if necessary.

#### **Connecting to Real Life**

Teachers can launch every chapter by having students think about their world. After the chapter, teachers can use the related **Performance Task** to connect students to what they just learned.



#### **STEAM Videos**

Starting in Grade 3, students can watch STEAM Videos online and complete the corresponding STEAM Performance Task, giving them further opportunities to connect to real life through varying interests and scenarios.



### **Integrated Mathematical Practices**

Developing proficiency in the Mathematical Practices is about becoming a mathematical thinker. Newton and Descartes, student-friendly math guides integrated throughout the program and in Math Musicals, help students use the Mathematical Practices by posing questions for students to consider

as they learn to reason and communicate. Plabels throughout the book indicate gateways to those aspects. Collectively, these opportunities lead students to a full understanding of each Mathematical Practice.

### Make Sense of Problems and Persevere in Solving Them

One way to **Make Sense of Problems and Persevere in Solving Them** is to use the Problem-Solving Plan. Students should take time to analyze the given information and what the problem is asking to help them plan a solution pathway.



<ol> <li>Reasoning Newton has 10 tokens. Which equati can Newton use to make an array with his tokens?</li> </ol>				
	2 + 2 + 2 + 2 + 2 = 10	7 + 3 = 10		
	2 + 8 = 10	5 + 5 = 10		

**Construct Viable Arguments and Critique** 

When students Construct Viable Arguments and Critique the

Reasoning of Others, they make and justify conclusions and

decide whether others' arguments are correct or flawed.

## Reason Abstractly and Quantitatively

Students **Reason Abstractly** when they explore an example using numbers and models to represent the problem. Other times, students **Reason Quantitatively** when they see relationships in numbers or models and draw conclusions about the problem.



 Modeling Real Life There are 40 chairs in the library. There are 30 fewer tables than chairs. How many tables are there?

the Reasoning of Others



#### Model With Mathematics

To **Model With Mathematics,** students apply the math they have learned to a real-life problem and interpret mathematical results in the context of the situation.



#### Use Appropriate Tools Strategically

#### To Use Appropriate Tools Strategically,

students need to know what tools are available and think about how each tool might help them solve a mathematical problem. When students choose a tool to use, remind them that it may have limitations.





#### Attend to Precision

When students **Attend to Precision,** they are developing a habit of being careful in how they talk about concepts, label their work, and write their answers.

### Look for and Make Use of Structure

Students **Look for and Make Use of Structure** by looking closely to see structure within a mathematical statement or stepping back for an overview to see how individual parts make one single object.



**4.** Structure Write an equation that matches the number line.



## Look for and Express Regularity in Repeated Reasoning

When students **Look for and Express Regularity in Repeated Reasoning,** they can notice patterns and make generalizations. Remind students to keep in mind the goal of a problem, which will help them evaluate reasonableness of answers along the way.

## **Accelerating Learning for All Students**

Five Highest-Impact Teaching Strategies

*Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life* incorporates the highest-impact teaching strategies from Professor John Hattie's *Visible Learning* research. Reinforced throughout the program, these five strategies are proven to have the greatest impact on student achievement, giving all students the opportunity to be successful.



**Learning Target:** Identify the values of digits in three-digit numbers.

#### Success Criteria:

- I can model three-digit numbers.
- I can identify the values of digits in three-digit numbers.
- I can use place value to compare two numbers.

#### **Teacher Clarity**

## Learning Targets and Success Criteria are

incorporated into every chapter and lesson, and visibly reflect the standards, allowing teachers to clearly communicate learning expectations.

#### Feedback

Providing timely and relevant feedback is crucial for students to make connections and further their understanding. Feedback helps students determine what they are learning, where they are in the learning, and where they are going next. In turn, students can also provide teachers with feedback using the **Self-Assessment** tool.

• "You have modeled multiplying by 2 and found the product. Sometimes the number of groups is 2, sometimes the size of the group is 2. Tell your partner what you learned today about multiplying a number by 2."



#### **Classroom Discussion**

When students participate in mathematical discourse, they hone their ability to reason, construct arguments, and critique each other's reasoning. **Turn and Talk,** found in **Laurie's Notes,** allows students to frequently analyze each other's mathematical thinking.

#### **Explore and Grow**

- **Turn and Talk**: "Describe the relationship between the number of red counters and yellow counters." Discuss and record valid statements:
  - There are many more red counters than yellow counters.
  - There are 10 more red counters than yellow counters.
  - There are 3 times as many red counters as yellow counters.



#### **Direct Instruction**

Every investigative **Explore and Grow** is followed by explicit instruction, allowing students to build their procedural fluency. **Think and Grow** examples have been carefully designed to ensure students meet the success criteria of each lesson.

#### **Spaced Practice**

Students must revisit concepts over time so deeper learning occurs. The **Review & Refresh** exercises in every lesson provide ongoing practice so students continue to focus on the major topics.



### **Flexible Resources Accessible Anywhere**

*Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life* is powered by a robust technology platform that enhances instruction and includes interactive resources for facilitating and completing lessons, assessment options, and video support for both students and teachers.



#### **Assignment Builder**

The **Assignment Builder** gives teachers the flexibility to create digital assignments and assessments that match the print resources or develop their own questions. The parity between the print and digital ensures teachers can provide equitable access to course content for all students. The embedded tools in the assignments provide students with optional support so that all students can be successful.



#### Newton and Descartes's Math Musicals With Differentiated Rich Math Tasks

Math Musicals offer elementary students a fun and engaging connection between math, music, and literature. Two furry friends, Newton and Descartes, team up in these educational stories and songs to bring mathematics to life!





**Explore** Math Musicals! MathMusicals.com

# Each task includes three different levels so

students can complete tasks that are

designed to challenge them.

#### **Support for Social and Emotional** Learning (SEL) with Newton and Descartes

Students tap into rich characters, relationships, and emotions with Math **Musicals,** providing a landscape for developing SEL skills. Use the **SEL Guiding Questions for Math Musicals** found online for additional SEL support!





## **Support to Empower Teachers**

*Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life* provides teachers with everything they need to plan, teach, and assess to accelerate learning for all students.





Written by master educator and author Dr. Laurie Boswell, **Laurie's Notes** offer teachers point-of-use support through content overviews, motivation techniques, teaching strategies, questions to ask students for discussion, closures, and more! Laurie's Notes also include specific support for the Mathematical Practices, so teachers can ensure students are using them on a daily basis.



# Teach Effectively

Teachers use the **Dynamic Classroom** to facilitate lessons using the engaging explorations, digital examples, and interactive practice all at their fingertips. They can even use the **Flip-To** feature to send students directly to a specific place in their **Dynamic Student Edition**, which makes managing a classroom full of devices a breeze.





### **Rich Assessments** Improving Student Outcomes

*Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life* is supported by a rich collection of assessment tools for diagnostic, formative, and summative assessment. Consistent and frequent checkpoints allow teachers to evaluate where students are in their learning, while real-time results and progressive reporting are easily accessible on the digital platform.

#### **Diagnostic Assessment**



#### **DAP Assessment**

The DAP (Diagnostic Adaptive Progression) Assessment

measures learning across grades and gives teachers full insight into where students fall on the continuum of skills. With this cohesive and effective test, questions adapt based on student responses. The detailed report suggests resources to use with students who need support, empowering teachers with information to become even more effective in their instruction.

#### **Prerequisite Skills Practice**

With the **Prerequisite Skills Practice**, teachers can identify prior skills where students may need more support before starting grade-level content.



#### **Formative Assessment**



#### **Summative Assessment**



#### **Dynamic Assessment System**

Teachers can assign practice and assessments aligned to course content or create their own assignments, including writing their own questions. Assignments are automatically scored and provide detailed reports on performance and standards.

#### **Assessment Book**

Chapter Tests, Pre- and Post-Course Tests, and Course Benchmark Tests from the **Assessment Book** assess course content and can be assigned periodically throughout the year to show growth. Digital versions can be customized online in the Assignment Builder.

### **Reach All Learners**

*Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life* ensures teachers can easily meet the needs of all learners through differentiation and intervention strategies and resources.

#### **Scaffolding Instruction**

Using **Scaffolding Instruction** in **Laurie's Notes,** teachers can provide specific support for Emerging and Proficient learners, with options for extending lessons by adding even more rigor for Advanced students.







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#### **Built-In Differentiation**

Resources found online and in the **Resources by Chapter,** such as Reteach, Extra Practice, and Enrichment and Extension, as well as Differentiating the Lesson, provide teachers with materials they can use with their students that are directly related to the lesson goals but also targeted to students' needs.

#### **Timely Intervention Support**

Through a multitude of print and digital resources, *Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life* completely supports the Response to Intervention and Multi-Tiered System of Supports models. With resources for students at every tier, including access to the entire K–12 curriculum online, teachers can target students with specific support to get them back on track at any point.





#### Digital Opportunities for Reinforcement and Enrichment

*Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life* offers a variety of digital resources for skill development, review, and enrichment. The **Skills Trainer** provides opportunities for students to review or extend skills from Kindergarten through Algebra 2. **Interactive Tools,** such as base ten blocks, linking cubes, and fraction models, help students make connections by visualizing key concepts.

#### **Skills Review for Success**

The **Skills Review Handbook** includes examples and practice to review concepts from Kindergarten through Grade 8. It can be used for remediation, enrichment, and differentiation. Available in print or digitally, the handbook provides students with an additional opportunity for review and practice.



### **Ensure Success for English Language Learners**

In the Teaching Edition, teachers will find leveled **ELL Support** for Beginner, Intermediate, and Advanced ELL students for every lesson, which is in addition to the leveled Scaffolding Instruction notes.

#### Support for Spanish-Speaking Students

The Spanish Student Edition, in both print and digital, is a carefully developed translation of the complete student program. In addition, a full assessment suite in Spanish ensures formative and summative assessment can be delivered effectively.





#### School-to-Home Connections Family Letters and the

Multi-Language Glossary are available in 16 languages, including Spanish, providing parents with the information and tools they need to help their students succeed. The **Game Library** contains English and Spanish interactive games with audio, making math fun at home!

#### **ELL Support**

After completing the example, have students work in pairs to complete Exercises 1–3. Have one student ask another, "How many jumps of five do you make? What is the answer?" Have them alternate roles for each exercise.

Beginner students may answer using numbers. Intermediate students may answer using phrases, such as, "eight times." Advanced students may answer with sentences, such as, "I make eight jumps of five."



#### **Digital Language Support**

**Spanish audio** is also available in the **Dynamic Classroom** to enhance the Digital Examples, Extra Example Videos, practice, assessments, and more!

### **Program Resources**

*Big Ideas Math: Modeling Real Life* provides all teachers and students with access to all materials on one digital platform in addition to easily accessible print resources.

#### **Student Resources**

#### **Student Edition\***

#### **Dynamic Student Edition**

Interactive Tools Interactive Explorations Digital Examples Tutorial Extra Example Videos Self-Assessments

#### **Additional Resources**

Vocabulary Flash Cards\* Graphic Organizers Math Tool Paper

Skills Trainer Skills Review Handbook Game Library\* Multi-Language Glossary\* STEAM Videos+ eBook App Homework App

#### Teaching Edition Resources by Chapter

Family Letter\* Warm-Ups Extra Practice Reteach Enrichment and Extension Chapter Self-Assessment\*

#### **Assessment Book**

Prerequisite Skills Practice\* Pre- and Post-Course Tests\* Course Benchmark Tests\* Chapter Tests\*

#### **Instructional Resources**

Vocabulary Cards Activities Blackline Masters

#### **Skills Review Handbook**

Newton and Descartes's Math Musicals with Differentiated Rich Math Tasks

**Manipulative Kit** 

**Literature Kit** 

#### **Teacher Resources**

#### **Dynamic Classroom**

Laurie's Notes Interactive Tools Interactive Explorations Digital Examples with PowerPoints Formative Check Self-Assessment Flip-To Digital Warm-Ups and Closures

#### **Dynamic Assessment System**

Practice Assessments DAP Assessment Performance and Standard Reports

#### Answer Presentation Tool Additional Resources

Lesson Plans Differentiating the Lesson Pacing Guides Worked-Out Solutions Key• Family Letters\*

#### Video Support for Teacher

Life on Earth Videos Professional Development Videos Concepts and Tools Videos

- \* Available online in Spanish
- Available for Grades 3–5
- Indicates Print/Hands-On Resources



## **K–12 Programs Designed to Meet the Needs of All Learners**

Big Ideas Learning provides a cohesive, coherent, and rigorous mathematics curriculum to empower teachers and support student learning from kindergarten through high school.

Written by a renowned, single-authorship team, these programs encourage students to become strategic thinkers as they prepare for college- and career-readiness.



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