

# 7 Math Unit 10: Surface Area & Volume

Content Area: **Mathematics**  
Course(s):  
Time Period: **Marking Period 4**  
Length: **15 days**  
Status: **Published**

## Unit Overview

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Students have prior experiences with surface area and volume. Chapter 10 extends measurements to triangular prisms, cylinders, and pyramids. Nets help students reason that surface area is the area of the base(s) plus the areas of the lateral faces. The "formulas" are written in words and not as algebraic equations.

## Standards

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MATH.7.G.A.3	Describe the two-dimensional figures that result from slicing three-dimensional figures, as in plane sections of right rectangular prisms and right rectangular pyramids.
MATH.7.G.B.4	Know the formulas for the area and circumference of a circle and use them to solve problems; give an informal derivation of the relationship between the circumference and area of a circle.
MATH.7.G.B.6	Solve real-world and mathematical problems involving area, volume and surface area of two- and three-dimensional objects composed of triangles, quadrilaterals, polygons, cubes, and right prisms.

## Materials

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### Big Ideas Math

- 10.1 Surface Areas of Prisms
- 10.2 Surface Areas of Cylinders
- 10.3 Surface Areas of Pyramids
- 10.4 volumes of Prisms
- 10.5 Volumes of Pyramids
- 10.6 Cross Sections of Three-Dimensional Figures

### Desmos

Unit 7: Angles, Triangles, Prisms

### Other Resources:

- [ST Math](#)
- [Delta Math](#)
- [3 Act Lessons](#)
- [Brainiaccamp Manipulatives](#)
- [Nearpod Lessons](#)
- [Brainpop Resources](#)

- [Online Resources](#)

## **Technology**

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CS.6-8.8.1.8.AP.6	Refine a solution that meets users' needs by incorporating feedback from team members and users.
CS.6-8.8.1.8.DA.1	Organize and transform data collected using computational tools to make it usable for a specific purpose.

## **Assessment**

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### **Formative Assessment**

- Teacher Observation
- Daily Quick Check
- Quizzes
- Exit Tickets

### **Summative Assessment**

- Topic Tests
- Benchmark Tests
- NWEA Grade 7 Assessment
- Alternative Assessments: Performance Tasks & Projects

## **Accommodations & Modifications**

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### **Special Education**

- Follow IEP Plan which may contain some of the following examples...
- In class/pull out support with special ed teacher
- Additional time during intervention time
- Preferred seating
- Questions read aloud
- Extended time for completing tasks
- Graphic organizers
- Vocabulary support
- Mnemonic devices
- Songs/videos to reinforce concepts
- Limit number of questions

- Scribe
- Manipulatives
- Calculators
- Reteach pages
- Leveled homework
- Lesson intervention activities
- Math Diagnosis & Intervention System
- Another look homework video
- Practice buddy

## **504**

- In class/pull out support with special ed teacher Additional time during intervention time
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## **ELL**

- Translation device/dictionary
- In class/pull out support with ESL teacher
- Preferred seating
- Questions read aloud
- Extended time for completing tasks
- Graphic organizers
- Vocabulary support
- Mnemonic devices
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## **At-risk of Failure**

- Additional time during intervention time
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## Gifted & Talented

- Independent projects
- Enrichment pages
- Online games
- Leveled Homework
- Extension Activities
- Today's Challenge

## Interdisciplinary Connections

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### Topic 8 STEM Project - Upscale Design

In this project, students apply the results of the Topic 8 STEM Project to develop a scale drawing of an existing or new bike path or walking path that will enhance the quality of life for users.

#### Science Connection -

Students consider the impact on Earth's systems and resources as they develop plans for new or improved existing walking pathways or bikeways.

ELA: NJSLSA.R1. Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly and to make logical inferences and relevant connections from it; cite specific textual evidence when writing or speaking to support conclusions drawn from the text.

Science: MS-ETS1-1. Define the criteria and constraints of a design problem with sufficient precision to ensure a successful solution, taking into account relevant scientific principles and potential impacts on people and the natural environment that may limit possible solutions.

#### Climate Change:

- **Climate Change:** Students may solve real-world problems involving area, surface area, and volume related to deforestation and increasing livestock farming as key contributors to climate change.

## Career Readiness, Life Literacies & Key Skills

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PFL.9.1.8.CP.1	Compare prices for the same goods or services.
PFL.9.1.8.EG.1	Explain how taxes affect disposable income and the difference between net and gross income.
PFL.9.1.8.FI.4	Analyze the interest rates and fees associated with financial products.
WRK.9.2.8.CAP.2	Develop a plan that includes information about career areas of interest.
TECH.9.4.8.CI.2	Repurpose an existing resource in an innovative way (e.g., 8.2.8.NT.3).
TECH.9.4.8.CT.2	Develop multiple solutions to a problem and evaluate short- and long-term effects to determine the most plausible option (e.g., MS-ETS1-4, 6.1.8.CivicsDP.1).
TECH.9.4.8.TL.1	Construct a spreadsheet in order to analyze multiple data sets, identify relationships, and facilitate data-based decision-making.
TECH.9.4.8.TL.2	Gather data and digitally represent information to communicate a real-world problem (e.g., MS-ESS3-4, 6.1.8.EconET.1, 6.1.8.CivicsPR.4).
TECH.9.4.8.TL.3	Select appropriate tools to organize and present information digitally.
TECH.9.4.8.TL.4	Synthesize and publish information about a local or global issue or event (e.g., MSLS4-5, 6.1.8.CivicsPI.3).
TECH.9.4.8.IML.9	Distinguish between ethical and unethical uses of information and media (e.g., 1.5.8.CR3b, 8.2.8.EC.2).

## Career Ready Practices

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- CRP1. Act as a responsible and contributing citizen and employee.
- CRP2. Apply appropriate academic and technical skills.
- CRP4. Communicate clearly and effectively and with reason.
- CRP8. Utilize critical thinking to make sense of problems and persevere in solving them.
- CRP12. Work productively in teams while using cultural global competence.