8.PAR.3 Create and interpret expressions within relevant situations. Create, interpret, and solve linear equations and linear inequalities in one variable to model and explain real phenomena.

- **8.PAR.3.1** Interpret expressions and parts of an expression, in context, by utilizing formulas or expressions with multiple terms and/or factors.
- **8.PAR.3.2** Describe and solve linear equations in one variable with one solution (x = a), infinitely many solutions (a = a), or no solutions (a = b). Show which of these possibilities is the case by successively transforming the given equation into simpler forms, until an equivalent equation of the form x = a, a = a, or a = b results (where a and b are different numbers).
- **8.PAR.3.3** Create and solve linear equations and inequalities in one variable within a relevant, real-life application.
- **8.PAR.3.4** Using algebraic properties and the properties of real numbers, justify the steps of a one-solution equation or inequality. **8.PAR.3.5** Solve linear equations and inequalities in one variable with coefficients represented by letters and explain the solution based on the contextual, mathematical situation.
- **8.PAR.3.6** Use algebraic reasoning to fluently manipulate linear and literal equations expressed in various forms to solve relevant, mathematical problems.
- 8.PAR.4 Show and explain the connections between proportional and non-proportional relationships, lines, and linear equations; create and interpret graphical, mathematical models and use the graphical, mathematical model to explain real-life phenomena represented in the graph.
- **8.PAR.4.1** Use the equation y = mx (proportional) for a line through the origin to derive the equation y = mx + b (non-proportional) for a line intersecting the vertical axis at b **8.PAR.4.2** Show and explain that the graph of an equation representing an applicable situation in two variables is the set of all its solutions plotted in the coordinate plane.

8.FGR.5 Describe the properties of functions to define, evaluate, and compare relationships, and use functions and graphs of functions to model and explain real-life phenomena.

- **8.FGR.5.1** Show and explain that a function is a rule that assigns to each input exactly one output. 8.FGR.5.2 Within realistic situations, identify and describe examples of functions that are linear or nonlinear. Sketch a graph that exhibits the qualitative features of a function that has been described verbally.
- **8.FGR.5.3** Relate the domain of a linear function to its graph and where applicable to the quantitative relationship it describes.
- **8.FGR.5.4** Compare properties (rate of change and initial value) of two functions used to model an authentic situation each represented in a different way (algebraically, graphically, numerically in tables, or by verbal descriptions).
- **8.FGR.5.5** Write and explain the equations y = mx + b (slope-intercept form), Ax + By = C (standard form), and (y y1) = m(x-x1) (point-slope form) as defining a linear function whose graph is a straight line to reveal and explain different properties of the function.
- **8.FGR.5.6** Write a linear function defined by an expression in different but equivalent forms to reveal and explain different properties of the function.
- **8.FGR.5.7** Construct a function to model a linear relationship between two quantities. Determine the rate of change and initial value of the function from a description of a relationship or from two (x,y) values, including reading these from a table or from a graph.
- **8.FGR.5.8** Explain the meaning of the rate of change and initial value of a linear function in terms of the situation it models and in terms of its graph or a table of values.
- 8.FGR.5.9 Graph and analyze linear functions expressed in various algebraic forms and show key characteristics of the graph to describe applicable situations.

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- **A.FGR.2.1** Use mathematically applicable situations algebraically and graphically to build and interpret arithmetic sequences as functions whose domain is a subset of the integers.
- **A.FGR.2.2** Construct and interpret the graph of a linear function that models real-life phenomena and represent key characteristics of the graph using formal notation.
- **A.FGR.2.5** Analyze the difference between linear functions and nonlinear functions by informally analyzing the graphs of various parent functions (linear, quadratic, exponential, absolute value, square root, and cube root parent curves).
- **A.FGR.2.3** Relate the domain and range of a linear function to its graph and, where applicable, to the quantitative relationship it describes. Use formal interval and set notation to describe the domain and range of linear functions.
- **A.FGR.2.4** Use function notation to build and evaluate linear functions for inputs in their domains and interpret statements that use function notation in terms of a mathematical framework. (See the <u>Mathematical Modeling Framework</u> and the <u>Framework for Statistical Reasoning</u> for contextual connections.)