

# Algorithm

A step-by-step method for  
computing.

Area

The size of a surface takes up,  
measured in square units.

# Area Model

A model of multiplication that shows the product within a rectangular drawing.

# Array

An arrangement of objects in  
equal rows and/or columns.



# Composite Number

A number greater than 0 that has more than two different factors.

# Division

To separate into equal groups or  
find the number in each group or  
the number of groups.

# Equation

A mathematical sentence with an equal sign. The amount on one side of the equal sign has the same value as the amount on the other side.

# Estimation

A number close to an exact amount. An estimate tells about how much or about how many.



# Expanded Form

A way to write numbers that shows the place value of each digit.

# Factor Pairs

A set of two whole numbers that  
when multiplied will result in a  
given product.

# Factors

The whole numbers that are multiplied to get a product.

# Formula

A general mathematical rule that  
is written as an equation.



# Multiples

The product of a whole number  
and any other whole number.

# Multiplication

The operation of repeated addition of the same number.

# Pattern

A repeating sequence or design.

# Perimeter

The distance around around the  
outside of a shape.



# Place Value

The value a digit has because of its place in a number.

# Prime Number

A whole number greater than 0  
that has exactly two different  
factors, 1 and itself.

# Product

The answer to a multiplication problem.

# Quotient

The answer to a division problem.



# Remainder

The amount left over when one number is divided by another.

# Rounding

A method of finding a number to the nearest given place value.

# Standard Algorithm for Addition

A step-by-step method for  
computing the answer.