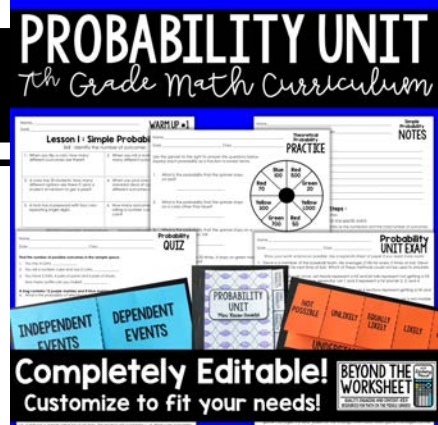


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## Included Resources :

- Weekly warm up recording sheets
- Weekly exit ticket sheets
- Blank lesson plans
- Unit tracking pages
- Unit vocabulary sheet
- Unit pre-assessment
- Warm ups
- Partner Activity
- Traditional notes
- Fold and Flip Notes
- Practice assignments (for homework or classwork)
- A complete PDF of the unit
- An editable PPT version of the unit.
- A binder cover and spine labels
- Unit post-assessment

## Lessons :

- Lesson 1 : Simple Probability
- Lesson 2 : Compound Probability
- Lesson 3 : Simulations

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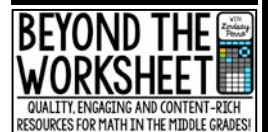


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# PROBABILITY UNIT PLAN

**13 DAY  
UNIT**

Lesson	Resources
Unit Prep (pgs. 6 – 13)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vocabulary Page</li> <li>• Warm Up Page</li> <li>• Unit Pre-Assessment</li> </ul>
(1) Simple Probability  (pgs. 14 – 37)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Four Warm Ups</li> <li>• Understanding Probability Notes</li> <li>• Understanding Probability Fold and Flip Notes</li> <li>• Understanding Probability Sorting Activity</li> <li>• Simple Probability Notes</li> <li>• Theoretical and Experimental Probability Notes</li> <li>• Theoretical and Experimental Partner Activity</li> <li>• Odds vs. Probability Notes</li> <li>• Simple Probability Practice</li> <li>• Simple Probability Spinner Practice</li> <li>• Theoretical Probability Spinner Practice</li> <li>• Theoretical Probability Extra Practice (4 pages)</li> <li>• Experimental and Theoretical Probability Practice (3 pages)</li> </ul>
(2) Compound Probability  (pgs. 38 – 55)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Four Warm Ups</li> <li>• Compound Probability Notes (2 pages)</li> <li>• Independent and Dependent Events Sorting Activity</li> <li>• Independent and Dependent Events Fold and Flip Notes</li> <li>• Compound Probability Practice (2 pages)</li> <li>• Tree Diagrams Practice</li> <li>• Constructed Response Practice (2 pages)</li> <li>• Probability Quiz (Two different versions – two pages each)</li> </ul>
(3) Simulations  (pgs. 56 – 67)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Four Warm Ups</li> <li>• Simulations Notes</li> <li>• Simulations Practice Worksheets (4 different resources - 7 different pages)</li> </ul>
End of Unit (pgs. 68 – 77)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mini Review Booklet</li> <li>• Unit Post-Assessment</li> </ul>

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## WARM UP #1

### Lesson 1 : Simple Probability

Skill : Identify the number of outcomes

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| 1. When you flip a coin, how many different outcomes are there?  | 2. When you roll a 6-sided die, how many different outcomes are there?  |
| 3. A class has 20 students. How many different options are there if I pick a student at random to get a prize? | 4. A bag contains 10 marbles. 3 are red, 5 are blue, and 2 are green. How many different outcomes are there if I pick a marble at random? |
| 5. A lock has a password with four, non-repeating single digits.   | 6. How many different outcomes are there if I pick a card from a standard deck?   |

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## WARM UP #1

### Lesson 2 : Compound Probability

Skill : Identify the number of outcomes

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| 1. How many outfits can you make if you have 4 shirts, 5 pairs of shorts and 3 pairs of shoes?   | 2. How many different combinations are there for a lock if there are 3 numbers in the combination, 0-9 and they can be repeated?           |
| 3. You must pick a PIN number for your bank account. You can pick the numbers 0-9 and it must be 4 digits long. Digits cannot be repeated! | 4. How many different pizzas can you make if you have 4 options for a crust, 3 sauce flavors and you can pick one of 8 different toppings? |

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## WARM UP #3

### Lesson 2 : Compound Probability

Skill : Calculating combinations and probability

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|---|--|
| 1. You download 6 songs. You randomly choose 4 of the songs to play. How many different combinations of the four songs are there?                 | 2. You can take 5 friends to a concert. You have 9 friends who want to go. How many different combinations of friends can you take to the concert?                                   |
| 3. You have the letters A L G E B R A in a bag. You pull out an A and keep it out. What is the probability that the next letter you pull is an L? | 4. You have a bag of 10 marbles. 3 are red, 5 are blue, and 2 are green. You pull out a red marble and keep it. What is the probability that the next marble you pull is a blue one? |

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### Lesson 2 : Compound Probability

Skill : Compound probability

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1. You roll two number cubes. What is the probability of landing on a six on each?  | 3. A bag contains 10 marbles. 3 are red, 5 are blue, and 2 are green. You pull out a red marble and keep it. What is the probability that the next marble you pull is a blue one? |
| 2. A bag contains cubes. Each cube displays one letter from the alphabet. There are 26 cubes in total. What is the probability of pulling out a cube with the letter A? |   |

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## WARM UP #1

### Lesson 3 : Simulations

Skill : Identify the number of outcomes and combinations.

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1. Paige, Alyssa, Lauren and Safa ran a race. In how many different ways can they finish? | 2. How many ways can a president and vice president be selected from a class of nineteen students?    |
| 3. In how many ways can 5 people stand in line?   | 4. You are creating three digit password using digits 0-9. How many different passwords are possible? |

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# Warm Ups

outcomes are there in the sample space?

5 sectioned spinner and flipping tails on a coin?

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Date \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

## Understanding Probability NOTES

### Define :

- Probability is the \_\_\_\_\_
- Probability is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the number of possible outcomes.
- Probability can be expressed as a \_\_\_\_\_

### Calculating probability :

- Write the probability as a fraction. The denominator and the numerator will be the number of ways the event can occur.
- Simplify the fraction.
- Re-write the fraction as a decimal or percent if needed.

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## Odds Vs. Probability NOTES

- Probability is a measure of the likelihood, or chance, that an event will occur.
- Odds compare the number of favorable and unfavorable outcomes. When determining odds, you do not use the total number of outcomes.

Odds in Favor =  $\frac{\text{Number of Favorable Outcomes}}{\text{Number of Unfavorable Outcomes}}$

Odds Against =  $\frac{\text{Number of Unfavorable Outcomes}}{\text{Number of Favorable Outcomes}}$

### Define :

- Dependent Events – \_\_\_\_\_

## Compound Probability NOTES

➤ **Example :** You pick a piece of candy out of a jar. There are 5 strawberry pieces, 4 orange pieces, 3 cherry pieces and 6 banana pieces. You choose and eat a strawberry piece. Your friend chooses a cherry piece. What is the probability of picking a strawberry piece then a cherry piece?

**Step 1** - Are the events independent or dependent?  
Explain \_\_\_\_\_

**Step 2** - Find the probability of each event.

The probability of picking a strawberry candy is \_\_\_\_\_

The probability of picking a cherry candy is \_\_\_\_\_

**Step 3** - Multiply the two probabilities. Simplify. \_\_\_\_\_

### Tree Diagrams :

Tree diagrams can be used to show all possible outcomes. For example, identify all possible outcomes for making a sandwich with one of two sauce flavors and one of two toppings.

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## Simulations NOTES

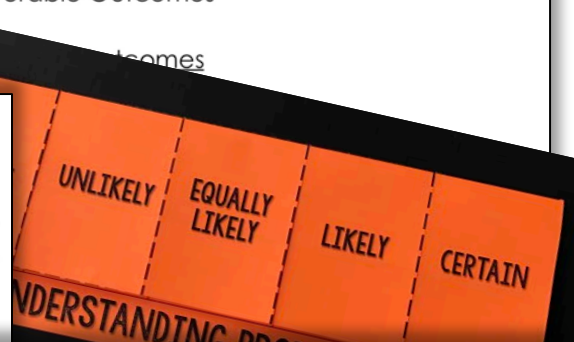
### Define :

Simulation : \_\_\_\_\_

### Designing a Simulation : The Steps

1) \_\_\_\_\_

2) \_\_\_\_\_



PROBABILITY  
UNIT  
Mini Review Book

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# Notes



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## Simple Probability PRACTICE

**Directions :** Use the spinner to complete this page.

What is the theoretical probability of :

- Spinning a 2 : \_\_\_\_\_
- Spinning an even number : \_\_\_\_\_
- Spinning a 5 or 7 : \_\_\_\_\_
- Spinning a 2, 4 or 6 : \_\_\_\_\_
- How many times would you expect to land on a 2 or a 3 after 8 spins?  
\_\_\_\_\_



Suppose you are playing a game where two dice are tossed and the values on the faces of the cubes are added together. The possible outcomes in this game will be the sums of the two dice.

Complete the table below to show all of the possible sums.

Faces	1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4			
2	3	4	5			
3						
4						
5						
6						

## Theoretical Probability PRACTICE

	Theoretical Probability (as a fraction)	Prediction for 20 spins	Results for 20 spins
1			

6. There are 36 possible outcomes. Complete the following table by calculating the probability of each sum.

Sum	Probability
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IMPOSSIBLE

UNLIKELY

EQUALLY LIKELY

LIKELY

CERTAIN

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## Compound Probability PRACTICE

Solve each problem. Show your work in the second column. Put your answer in the third column.

<p>1. You flip a coin and roll a dice. What is the probability the coin lands on heads and the dice lands on a number less than 3?</p>		
<p>2. You have 18 shirts in your closet. 4 blue, 4 red, 3 green and 7 black. You pick one without looking. What is the probability of picking a blue or black shirt?</p>		
<p>3. 8 of the last 40 cars that passed you were black. What is the probability the next car will be black?</p>		

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## Simulations PRACTICE

### Science Class

It's time for a quiz in Science, but you are not at all prepared! The quiz consists of 10 true / false questions. You decide to guess at each response.

### Dependent Events

- You pull two socks out of a drawer that has 20 socks inside. Half are red, half are blue. You grabbed two red socks.
- Elle eats the first piece from a pizza with 8 slices. Gavin picks the next piece.
- Two students are being selected from a class of 22.

### Independent Events

- You pull a card from a standard deck. You put it back and then pull another card. Both cards are an ace.
- You spin a four-sectioned spinner and flip a coin. The spinner lands on 2 and the coin lands on heads.
- You roll two number cubes. One lands on 6 and the second lands on 2.

There are 9 marbles in a bag. 5 are blue and 4 are green. One marble is removed and not replaced. The next time the bag is shaken, what is the probability the marble lands on blue?

...ct responses to get a C on the quiz, and you want to estimate the probability of passing. You will simulate guessing on the test by flipping a coin. Let heads represent a correct answer and tails represent an incorrect answer.

...nd record your results in the table below.

	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

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# Worksheets

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ **PRE-ASSESSMENT**

# Probability

- 1) The probability of rain today is 20% and the probability of rain tomorrow is 45%. What is the probability that it will rain both days?
- 2) You have a bag containing 10 marbles. 3 are red, 2 are blue, and 5 are green. What is the probability of drawing a red marble?
- 3) The password to a safe is made up of four letters. Only the letters A – G can be used and each letter may be used only once. How many possible combinations are there for the safe password?

4) A bag contains 12 purple marbles and 8 blue marbles. You choose a marble at random. What is the probability of selecting a purple marble? Express the probability as a decimal.

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## Probability QUIZ

Find the number of possible outcomes in the sample space.

1. You toss 4 coins. \_\_\_\_\_
2. You roll a number cube and toss 2 coins. \_\_\_\_\_
3. You have 5 shirts, 4 pairs of pants and 6 pairs of shoes. How many outfits can you make? \_\_\_\_\_

A bag contains 12 purple marbles and 8 blue marbles. You choose a marble at random.

4. What is the probability of selecting a purple marble? Express the probability as a decimal.
5. You randomly select two marbles, one after the other. What is the probability that you pick a purple marble, followed by a blue marble? The first marble was not replaced.
6. With replacement, what is the probability of pulling a purple marble, followed by another purple marble? Express the probability in simplest form.

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## Probability UNIT EXAM

Show your work whenever possible. Use a separate sheet of paper if you need more room!

1. Steve is a member of the baseball team. He averages 2 hits for every 5 times at bat. Steve might get a hit his next time at bat. Which of these methods could not be used to simulate this situation?
  - a. Flip a fair coin once. Let heads represent a hit.
  - b. Use a random number generator. Let 1 and 5 represent not getting a hit.
  - c. Spin a spinner with 10 equally-sized sections. Let 6 sections represent not getting a hit.
  - d. Draw a marble from a bag that contains 8 red marbles and 2 blue marbles. Let a red marble represent getting a hit and let a blue marble represent not getting a hit.

2. What is the range of the bowling scores in the table below?

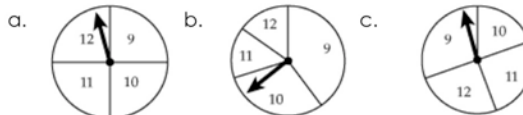
Week	1	2	3	4	5
Score	123	154	117	121	163

3. Javier wants to collect data about the number of books read per week. Based on the principles of simple random sampling, which method for Javier to collect his data?
  - a. Randomly select 20 students from both the girls and boys.
  - b. Randomly select 10 freshmen, 10 sophomores, 10 juniors, and 10 seniors.
  - c. Choose any 3 buses, and randomly select a student from each bus.
  - d. Number all students in the school, and randomly select 40 students.
4. At Mary Mount Middle School there are 9 mathematics clubs. If 3 clubs are selected for a school competition, what is the number of possible combinations?
5. A quality control engineer for the Have Fun Toys Company found 3 defective game cartridges this year. Based on the findings, how many more game cartridges are expected to be defective?

## Probability Unit Exam

6. The table shows the number of students in a high school by grade level. A student is selected at random. Which spinner would best simulate the grade level of the student?

Grade	Number of Students
9	400
10	300
11	150
12	150



7. Jeremy plays soccer. He scores a goal in 40% of his games. Jeremy wants to design a simulation using a spinner to predict the probability that he will score a goal in 8 out of 10 games. Which simulation design has an appropriate device and a correct trial?

- a. Divide a spinner into 5 equal sections labeled 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5. Spin the spinner 8 times.
- b. Divide a spinner into 5 equal sections labeled 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5. Spin the spinner 10 times.
- c. Divide a spinner into 4 equal sections labeled 1, 2, 3, and 4. Spin the spinner 8 times.
- d. Divide a spinner into 4 equal sections labeled 1, 2, 3, and 4. Spin the spinner 10 times.

8. Each year Ms. Fong, a physics teacher, has her students build bridges out of toothpicks. Last year Ms. Fong recorded the number of toothpicks that 20 of her students used to build their bridges. The data is shown. Ms. Fong will use the mode of this data set to determine the number of toothpicks needed for each student this year. How many toothpicks will be needed for each student?

# of toothpicks used by each student

157 200 150 175 130

9. Marty has a bag with 5 yellow candies and 5 blue candies. His friend, Susan, picks a candy at random.
  - Step A: What color candy is Susan most likely to pick?
  - Step B: Explain why your answer is correct.

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# Assessments

# Probability

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## Lesson 1 : Simple Probability

Skill : Identify the number of outcomes

1. When you flip a coin, how many different outcomes are there?

2. When you roll a number cube, how many different outcomes are there?

3. A class has 20 students. How many different options are there if I pick a student of options to get a piece?

4. When you pick one card from a standard deck of cards, how many different outcomes are there?

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Find the number of possible outcomes in the sample space.**

- You lost 4 coins.
- You roll a number cube and toss 2 coins.
- You have 5 shirts, 4 pairs of pants and 6 pairs of shoes.  
How many outfits can you make?

**A bag contains 12 purple marbles and 8 blue marbles. You choose a marble at random.**

- What is the probability of selecting a purple marble? Express the probability as a decimal.
- You randomly select two marbles, one after the other. What is the probability that you pick a purple marble, followed by a blue marble? The first marble was not replaced.
- You randomly select two marbles, one after the other. What is the probability of pulling a purple marble, followed by another purple marble? The first marble was not replaced.

## WARM UP

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

**Define :**

- Event :
- Experiment :
- Outcome :

**Simple Probability NOTES**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**QUIZ**

**Theoretical Probability PRACTICE**

Answer to the right to answer the questions below. Express each probability as a fraction in lowest terms.

What is the probability that the spinner stops on red?

What is the probability that the spinner stops on a color other than blue?

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\_\_\_\_\_ your work whenever possible. Use a separate sheet of paper if you need more room.

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\_\_\_\_\_ below?

	6	7	8	9	10
135	111	132	109	147	

INDEPENDENT EVENTS

DEPENDENT EVENTS

NOT POSSIBLE

UNLIKELY

EQUALLY LIKELY

LIKELY

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## STUDENT TRACKING

Name	Pre Assessment	Post Assessment	Notes

## STUDENT TRACKING

Name	Compound Probability Practice 1	Compound Probability Practice 2	Tree Diagrams Practice	Constructed Response Practice	Probability Quiz

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# Tracking Sheets & Binder Labels



# PROBABILITY UNIT PLAN

Vocabulary	Other	WEEKLY WARM UP SHEET
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Compound Event</li> <li>Dependent Event</li> <li>Equally Likely</li> <li>Event</li> <li>Experiment</li> <li>Experimental Probability</li> <li>Certain</li> <li>Impossible</li> <li>Independent Event</li> <li>Likely</li> <li>Mutually Exclusive Event</li> <li>Odds</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Develop probability</li> <li>Understand between impossible</li> <li>equally likely</li> <li>Simple probability</li> <li>Compound tree diagram</li> <li>Represent and identify outcomes</li> <li>Design an</li> </ul>	Name _____ Week of _____ to _____ Date: _____ Date: _____

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## Probability Lesson Plan

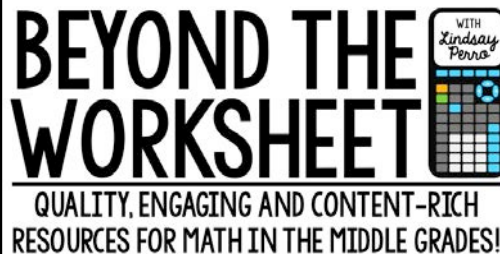
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**Student Materials:**

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<input type="checkbox"/> Colored pencils	<input type="checkbox"/> Glue	<input type="checkbox"/> Graph paper	<input type="checkbox"/> _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Ruler	<input type="checkbox"/> Protractor	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry erase	<input type="checkbox"/> _____

## PROBABILITY UNIT VOCABULARY

Compound Event	
Dependent Event	
Equally Likely	
Event	
Experiment	



# Planning Pages

Certain