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Computing Technology for Math Excellence

Preparing for Your State Test in Mathematics

The following is a K-W-L chart for students to help you monitor your test preparation.

Directions:

1. Identify the benchmark that you are reviewing. Below the benchmark, list the resource(s) you will use to review the concept or to complete practice problems. Include the URL for easy retrieval later.
2. *Before accessing a resource* for the benchmark you chose, fill in the “K” column: What do you already know about that benchmark? Then in the “W” column: Write what you still want to know.
3. When you have completed using a resource, place a check in the box in the first column. This will help you keep track of resources used. Decide if the resource was helpful. Write “yes” or “no” in the last column. Add your comments, if any, about the resource.
4. *After using the resource(s) you chose* for each benchmark, go to the “L” column and write what you learned. Read your “K” column entries again to see if any of your prior knowledge was inaccurate, and rewrite those statements so that they are correct.
5. Look at the “W” column again, and place a check next to any of your questions that were not answered by using the resource(s). Be sure to mention those questions in class. Decide how you will find answers to those remaining questions.
6. *When your K-W-L chart is complete*, reflect on your overall understanding of the benchmark. Be honest with yourself. In the last column circle your belief about your level of mastery: still no or very little understanding (N), some to a great deal of progress (P), I’ve got mastery (M).

See sample test questions in your state and other tips for success at https://www.ct4me.net/standardized_test_preparation.htm

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Benchmark:		Circle Mastery Level: N P M			
What I K now		What I W ANT to know		What I L earned	
Check when completed	Resource(s) Used. Include URL.			Was the resource helpful? (yes/no) Comment(s)	

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Are you ready for the test?

Don't forget to complete an online practice test. List the test you completed and its URL.



How did you do?

Score: _____ right out of _____ questions.

Look at the "W" column again for the benchmarks you chose to work on. List the questions you checked that you still have. For each of those, decide how you will find the answer.

What I still WANT to know—my unanswered questions	My Plan to Find the Answers

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Use this page for additional resources you used for test preparation. Write the benchmark.

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