

# MATH PROGRESSION

## Steps to Learn a New Math Skill

### 1. Connect It

Review what you learned about math that you will need to know to use this new skill.

### 2. Get It

- In your own words, write explanations of any new words that are part of using this skill.
- List the steps to solve a problem with the new skill.
- Practice using those steps with problems.

### 3. Get it Clear

**Write step-by-step directions.**

Explain in **your own words** how you solve problems with this skill.

### 4. Think More

- Make up math word problems that require this skill.
- Give those math problems and your directions to another student.

### 5. Think It Through

- Take a quiz that includes problems that use this skill and problems that use other skills you have learned.
- Solve the problems and tell what you think the best way to solve each one is and why.

### 6. Keep It

- Write part of your own math book.
- Explain how and when you use this skill.