

Implementing the TEKS Mathematical Process Standards with the TI-84 Plus Family

Available in 1-, 2- and 3-day configurations

Instructional Practice

Audience: Educators who want to implement the TEKS Mathematical Process Standards in middle

grades and high school classrooms using the TI-84 Plus family.

Technology: TI-84 Plus or TI-84 Plus C Silver Edition graphing calculator.

Overview: This workshop models rich tasks using in-depth discussions and the TEKS Mathematical

Process Standards, with an emphasis on task analysis, questioning strategies, and

essential TI-84 technology skills to enhance student learning.

Workshop Objectives:

Introduction to the TEKS Mathematical Process Standards, including how to identify them

1-day in action through task analysis; brief discussions of classroom applications and how technology can support the standards; overview of essential TI-84 technology skills.

Additional coverage of the Process Standards, including video analysis of educators

implementing the standards; discussion of questioning strategies that promote student learning; further exploration of dynamic, interactive content using the TI-84 Plus family.

3-day

2-day

Deeper discussions of strategies for engaging students in the Process Standards; exploration of formative assessment opportunities and techniques; reflection on the role of technology; addresses tasks from the subjects and units indicated below.

Middle Grades: Geometry, Statistics & Probability

Algebra: Equations, Linear Functions,

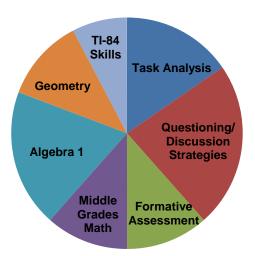
Systems of Linear Equations,

Quadratic Functions, Polynomials

Geometry: Points, Lines & Angles; Right Triangles

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Essential TI-84 technology skills will be introduced, including general calculator, graphing, tabular, and statistical functionality.



Sample Lesson:	What's My Rule?
Objective:	Discuss the Process Standards in the context of an interactive lesson where students move a point in the coordinate plane, observe the movement of a corresponding point, and write a rule that describes the mathematical relationship.
Process Standards:	Analyze mathematical relationships to connect and communicate mathematical ideas; display, explain, and justify mathematical ideas and arguments.