DOBBS FERRY MIDDLE SCHOOL

Dobbs Ferry, New York 10522

COURSE OUTLINE

SUBJECT: AIS Mathematics **GRADE:** 7

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

AIS targets the math concepts that cause student difficulty by addressing the root causes of these misconceptions. The focus in AIS is on understanding the concept, not merely answering the question.

Academic Intervention Services (AIS) are designed to help students achieve the learning standards in English Language Arts and Mathematics in grades K-12. Once achieved, students will exit the AIS Mathematics course and enter the 7th Grade Mathematics course. Learning and assessments are facilitated by the SuccessMaker program which is individualized to target specific learning goals and conceptual understandings for each student.

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Identification for participation in Mathematics AIS:

- Level 1 or 2 on New York State Exam
- Teacher recommendation
- Class performance
- Individually administered diagnostic test

ANTICIPATED OUTCOMES:

By June of this year, students in this class will be able to do the following:

Master Decimals and Powers of Ten

Master Rational Numbers

Master Positive and Negative Numbers

Master Percents

Master Expressions and Equations (Part 1))

Master math vocabulary taught in each module

Master Operations and Word Problems

CRITERIA FOR ASSESSMENT:

Students will not receive a grade in this course; however, Progress Report comments will be used to show strengths and weaknesses.

Outline developed by: <u>Mathematics Department</u> Date: Spring 2023