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# Ambrozic Math News

**Problem 6 Edition: Solving Linear Equations Focus**



## Which Bridge Is Better?

Now having completed Problem 5 (Algebra Focus), students should have a deeper understanding of relationships, models and algebraic tools. We continue to focus on the Algebraic Model to help students solve problems and make decisions.

During “Problem 6”, students will learn, develop and select tools that will assist them in solving abstract algebraic models more effectively. They will develop methods for solving linear equations using various tools.

Students will then use these tools in the context of solving the problem: “Determine Which Bridge Is Better”.

Below are some of the tools students will be exposed to:

1. Solving single step linear equations
2. Solving multi-step equations
3. Solving equations with fractions
4. Choosing an appropriate method for solving equations

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### **EQAO Math Aid: May 2015**

After School EQAO Math Aid available to all students. These afterschool modules will allow students to practice mathematics while getting ready for EQAO

### **EQAO: June 2015**

EQAO will run for two days in June (dates to be determined). Students are expected to attend both EQAO writing days as the test will be included in your son/daughter's final grade.

### **Practice**

Students are encouraged to do their practice daily, as outlined in their Problem 6 Package. Please encourage your children to practice, review and come ask their teacher for assistance when needed.

### **Math Aid**

Math Aid is available for ALL students from Tuesday to Thursday after school in room 224. Encourage your child to attend so they may receive assistance with their practice. Math Aid is NOT a substitute for the classroom.

### **Homework Help**

Homework help is available to every student in grades 9 and 10. This online service allows students to get assistance with their practice after school hours. Please visit:

<https://homeworkhelp.ilc.org>