

## Background

- Developed by the University of Chicago School Mathematics Project
- Based on research about how students learn and develop mathematical power
- Provides the broad mathematical background needed in the 21st century

## In *Everyday Mathematics* you can expect to see...

...a problem-solving approach based on everyday situations;

...an instructional approach that revisits concepts regularly;

... frequent practice of basic skills, often through games;

...lessons based on activities and discussion, not a textbook; and

...mathematical content that goes beyond basic arithmetic.