

Response for McGraw-Hill Education's *Connecting Math Concepts*

Connecting Math Concepts Comprehensive Edition is a six-level program designed to accelerate the math performance of students in grades K through 5. The program provides highly explicit and systematic instruction in the wide range of content specified in the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics.

Connecting Math Concepts combines facts, procedures, conceptual understanding, applications, and the development of problem solving to provide a comprehensive curriculum, promoting success even for students who struggle with mathematics. A coherent, carefully sequenced progression of key topics, confirmed by field testing, with an emphasis on proficiency ensures optimal learning and achievement for every student. Using an explicit, teacher-directed instruction, teachers can introduce key and gradually build concepts over the course of multiple lessons, providing time students need to learn, process, and build a deep understanding without overwhelming them with too much new information.

Rigorous field testing confirms success for students whether used as a core math program or intensive instruction for students at-risk. When implemented with fidelity, *Connecting Math Concepts Comprehensive Edition* results in significant, positive results in mathematics achievement.

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