## Section 1.1 Problem Solving

## **Key Topics:**

- Know the names of the 7 problem solving strategies.
- Be able to apply one of the strategies to a specific problem.
- Know what a counterexample is and how to use one to disprove a mathematical statement.

#### Section 1.2 Estimation

#### **Key Topics:**

- Rounding and compatible numbers.
- Over-estimates and under-estimates
- Estimating percentages.

## Section 1.3 The Language of Sets

#### **Key Topics:**

- The definition of a set; set-builder and roster notation.
- Well definedness
- Common numerical sets, universal sets, the empty set, and sets of sets.
- $\bullet \in \notin$ , and the cardinal number of a set A: n(A)

## Section 1.4 Comparing Sets

## **Key Topics:**

- Equality of sets and equivalence of sets.
- Subsets and proper subsets.
- Counting the subsets of a set; Pascal's Triangle.

## Section 1.5 Set Operations

## **Key Topics:**

- Unions, intersections, differences, and compliments
- Disjoint sets
- Venn diagrams; counting the elements in the union of two sets.
- Combining multiple set operations; De Morgan's Laws.

## Section 1.6 Survey Problems

# **Key Topics:**

- Illustrating combinations of set operations by shading a Venn diagram.
- Naming regions in a Venn diagram using set operations.
- Counting and organizing survey information using sets and Venn diagrams.

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