

**Virginia Standards of Learning Assessments
Grade 5 Mathematics Performance Level Descriptors
Brief**

Performance Level	Descriptor
Pass/Advanced	The student demonstrates exceptional and consistent attainment of the knowledge and skills necessary to solve problems using whole numbers, decimals and fractions; determine lapsed time; solve problems involving measurement; display and analyze data; solve probability problems; and write variable expressions and open sentences.
Pass/Proficient	The student demonstrates satisfactory attainment of the knowledge and skills necessary to solve problems using whole numbers, decimals and fractions; determine lapsed time; solve problems involving measurement; display and analyze data; solve probability problems; write variable expressions and open sentences.
Fail/Basic	The student demonstrates inconsistent attainment of the fundamental knowledge and skills necessary to solve problems using whole numbers, decimals and fractions; determine lapsed time; solve problems involving measurement; display and analyze data; solve probability problems; write variable expressions and open sentences.
Fail/Below Basic	The student shows little if any attainment of the fundamental knowledge and skills necessary to solve problems using whole numbers, decimals and fractions; determine lapsed time; solve problems involving measurement; display and analyze data; solve probability problems; write variable expressions and open sentences.