



Washington State  
Board of Education



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## April 28, 2008 Meeting Highlights

On April 28th, the State Board of Education had a special meeting in Olympia to review the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction's proposed K-8 mathematics standards.

### **State Board of Education Actions**

The Board approved the K-8 mathematics standards for adoption by the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

### **Strategic Teaching April 25 Letter**

Strategic Teaching confirmed by letter to the Board that the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI)'s April 25th, 2008 version is faithful to the revised Expectations offered by Strategic Teaching in its report "Edited Expectations for the K-8 Standards" submitted to the Board on April 14, 2008. Additional examples have been added to the standards document by OSPI. Strategic Teaching will develop recommended guidance on the use of calculators once the high school standards are complete. OSPI has conducted a final proof read of the K-8 math standards.

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