

## **Kendall Hunt Response to EdReports Review of Illustrative Mathematics HS**

Kendall Hunt is thankful to EdReports for the positive evaluation of our Illustrative Mathematics high school program for Algebra 1, Geometry, and Algebra 2. We are grateful and proud to have met expectations in all three gateways for each grade level. We appreciate that the reviewers at EdReports recognize that the Illustrative Mathematics high school program fully attends to the intent of the focus, coherence and rigor of the mathematical content standards and the mathematical practice standards. We are grateful for all the time and work they put into reviewing the program.

Kendall Hunt would also like to thank the team at Illustrative Mathematics for a great partnership. Their mission is to create a world where learners know, use, and enjoy mathematics. The ultimate purpose of the high school program is to impact student learning and achievement.

### **ABOUT THE CURRICULUM**

- **Spark discussion, perseverance, and enjoyment of mathematics.**

IM Algebra 1, Geometry, and Algebra 2 are problem-based core curricula rooted in content and practice standards to foster learning and achievement for all. Students learn by doing math, solving problems in mathematical and real-world contexts, and constructing arguments using precise language. Teachers can shift their instruction and facilitate student learning with high-leverage routines that guide them in understanding and making connections between concepts and procedures.

- **Intentional lesson design that promotes mathematical growth.**

IM Algebra 1, Geometry, and Algebra 2 lessons are designed with a focus on independent, group, and whole-class instruction, building mathematical understanding and fluency with all students. Teachers will also use Warm-ups and Cool-downs to help guide lesson pacing and planning.

Driven by student discourse, IM Certified™ high school program is a rich, engaging core program built around focus, coherence, and rigor. These trusted, expert-authored materials were developed to equip all students with the skills they need to thrive in mathematics and are delivered by Kendall Hunt. Kendall Hunt is the only IM Certified™ provider of the free digital content. You can access that free content at <https://im.kendallhunt.com/>.

Kendall Hunt also offers print materials and IM Certified™ professional learning. To learn more about Kendall Hunt's Illustrative Mathematics visit <https://k12.kendallhunt.com/program/illustrative-mathematics-high-school>.