# **UNIT 9 - INEQUALITIES**

6.10A model and solve one-variable, one-step equations and inequalities that represent problems, including geometric concepts

## **Essential Questions:**

- How can you solve an inequality involving addition or subtraction?
- How can you solve an inequality involving multiplication or division with positive numbers?
- How do you solve inequalities that involve multiplication and division of integers?
- How is solving an inequality similar to solving an equation?

### Misconceptions:

 Students may forget to reverse the inequality symbol when multiplying or dividing both sides of an inequality by a negative number.

### Vocabulary:

- quotient
- algebraic equation
- factor
- solution
- coefficient
- inequality
- sum

- inequality symbol (<</li>
  - $\leq$ ,  $\geq$ ,  $\neq$ )
- constant
- inverse operations
- term (in an expression
- variable
- difference
- product

#### Prior Knowledge:

 In Grades 4–5, students represented multi-step problems involving the for operations and whole numbers using equations with a letter (variable) standing for the unknown quantity.