<u>SM3A Unit 1-2 Vocabulary</u>

<u>Delta</u> a Greek letter (that looks like a triangle → Δ) used in engineering and math to denote "change."

<u>Slope</u> (of a line) is its steepness calculated as the change in 'y' and the change in 'x' between two points given by: $m = \dfrac{\Delta y}{\Delta x}$

<u>Slope</u> is the coefficient of 'x' when the equation is written in the form: y = mx + b

<u>Linear relation</u> has a constant slope, it's steepness does not change, or the calculation of $m = \dfrac{\Delta y}{\Delta x}$ between <u>any</u> two points of the relation is always the same number.

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