Typical Sightings for Focus on Algebra

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I.3 Justifying Sequence of Activities		T163	Superlesson At a Glance	Functions
II.1 Specifying Prerequisite Knowledge		626	Getting Ready	Functions
II.2 Alerting Teacher to Student Ideas		106t	Research Note	Variables
II.3 Assisting Teacher in Identifying Ideas		187	First Five Minutes	Functions
II.4 Addressing Misconceptions		394	Alert	Operations
III.1 Providing Variety of Contexts		106-113	Using Variables and Expressions	Variables
III.2 Providing Firsthand Experiences		142-147	Simplifying Expressions	Variables
IV.1 Justifying Importance of Standards Ideas		199	Connect	Functions
IV.2 Introducing Terms and Procedures		271-272	Exploring Inequalities	Variables
IV.3 Representing Ideas Accurately		134-135	The Distributive Property	Operations
IV.4 Connecting Standards Ideas		287-288	Connect; Explore	Operations
IV.5 Demonstrating/Modeling Procedures		126-129	Order of Operations	Operations
IV.6 Providing Practice		110-113	Exercises	Variables
V.1 Encouraging Students to Explain Their Reasoning		147, 150-151	Exercises #7-12, 42-51, 67-72	Operations
V.2 Guiding Interpretation and Reasoning		164-171	Relationships as Equations	Variables
V.3 Encouraging Students to Think about What They've Learned		188	Reflect	Functions
VI.1 Aligning Assessment		152-154	Self-Assessment	Operations
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VI.3 Using Embedded Assessment		139t; 138-139, 141	Ongoing Assessment; Exercises	Variables