

Vocabulary Units 1 & 2

- **absolute value:** the distance between a number and zero on a number line.
- **integer:** A number with no fractional part. Any number from the set {... -4, -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4 ...} where ... means continues without end.
- **negative integer:** a number that is less than zero. It can be written with a – sign.
- **positive integer:** a number that is greater than zero. It can be written with or without a + sign.
- **rational number:** a number that can be written as a fraction
- **repeating decimal:** the decimal form of a rational number
- **fraction:** a number that represents part of a whole or part of a set.
- **reciprocals:** any two numbers that have a product of 1. Since $\frac{5}{6} \times \frac{6}{5} = 1$; $\frac{5}{6}$ and $\frac{6}{5}$ are reciprocals.