Notes for Section 2.2 – "Powers and Exponents" (grade 6)

5^4

5 = Base
4 = Exponent (power)

Means $5 \cdot 5 \cdot 5 \cdot 5$ (not $5 \cdot 4$)

5^2 = 5 squared

6^3 = 6 cubed

Inequality Symbols

< - is less than

> - is greater than

= - is equal to