

Cumberland Valley School District Mathematics Department 6746 Carlisle Pike Mechanicsburg, PA 17050

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TO: Parents of students entering 7-12 Grades

FR: Mathematics Department

RE: Summer Packets

We want your child to thrive in school and succeed in their mathematical studies both here at CV and in the future. We believe students must practice mathematics on a regular basis in order to master the skills and remain current in the procedures and applications that they have learned in math during this school year.

In order to help students remember the essential material that they have learned and be ready for their next course of study, we are assigning all students a summer assignment that is due at the beginning of next school year.

Students entering **Algebra II and other HS courses beyond that** may download the summer packet for their next course by going to this link,

http://www.cvschools.org/academics/mathematics/summer_packets
. At this link, students will find the expectations for summer work, packet and answer keys so they can check their progress as they complete it. If anyone is unable to print their own packet, you may e-mail me at sknerr@cvschools.org, and we can make arrangements for a packet to be ready for pick up at the high school main office.

Students entering **Geometry**, the summer work will be to work in Exact Path on your Algebra I Keystone prescription plan. We would recommend a minimum of 30 minutes per week. Students who complete the minimum of 30 minutes per week will be entered into a drawing at the end of the summer.

Students entering Math 7 through Algebra I, the summer work will be to refine and extend skills through the use of Exact Path. This summer is a gift of time... time to work on your student's math skills. Exact Path is a program for which each student has an account and an individual learning path based on diagnostic testing. It is a wonderful time to accelerate their skills. This summer we would like each student to complete at least 30 minutes a week on their learning path. If you are looking for an idea, select a day and time to complete the weekly minutes and set an alarm reminder. This way you have a scheduled time and the week doesn't fly by without completing the work. We hope you and your family take advantage of this wonderful opportunity this summer. As an added bonus, students who complete the 30 minutes per week will receive 1 entry into a drawing to be held at the end of the summer. Students will also be awarded 1 additional entry for each trophy they are awarded.

We hope that the summer packets will help all students feel ready for the first day of school and help in the success of next year's math class. We look forward to a productive year. If you have any questions, you may phone me at 717-412-8630 or email at sknerr@cvschools.org.

Sincerely,

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