

Dear parents of rising 4th graders,

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Greetings! Next year will be an exciting and Challenging year as your child takes on 4th grade math. The curriculum has been designed to prepare your child to meet the rigorous competitive field of mathematics and be prepared for 4th grade math and beyond. Some of the important skills that your child will need to have in order to be ready for 4th grade include: fluently adding and subtracting up to 1,000, multiplying and dividing within 100, measuring area, telling time, rounding to the nearest 10 and 100, foundations of fractions, Classifying shapes, finding perimeter, and using and understanding number lines and line plots.

To help your child strengthen and keep their math skills sharp over the summer, all students will be required to complete the assigned lessons each week using the TENMARKS program. Every week, I will assign one assignment, comprised of ten problems, for them to complete. Each assignment will cover material that was learned throughout the third grade school year. The assignments will have a deadline of the first day of school, but is highly recommended to complete them weekly.

Please encourage your child to take his/her time because I want this program to continue to help build a strong mathematical foundation for the fall. I will follow-up through an occasional email to encourage students to complete their work with excellence.

See the attachment for your child's username and password. Please do not misplace the attachment in order to allow your child access to TENMARKS throughout the summer months.

Based on the passing completion of these assignments, your child's first math grade will be given. I hope to work together with you and your child to help ensure reinforce skills learned in 3rd grade.

If you have any questions or concerns throughout the summer, feel free to contact me at your convenience. I hope that you have a fun and safe summer. I look forward to the opportunity to teach

your child in August!

With hugs,
Ms. Bittengle

