

Holden Christian Academy Middle School

Summer 2024 - Math Work

Dear Mathematicians,

"What time is it?"

"Summertime! It's our vacation!!!"

"What time is it?"

"Party time! School's out; scream and shout!!!"

For some of us, the words of the High School Musical song express the way we feel about summer! It's about fun, parties, vacations, and most of all, no school! And while it is good to take a break from school to recharge, research shows that the summer break can negatively impact math students. How does that happen? Well, you see, there's something called the summer slide that could happen. And no, I'm not talking about amusement parks. J.K!

The summer slide is something researchers and educators have noticed, where students lose a good amount of the Math they've learned while they're on summer break.

This is problematic! While it's great to relax and have fun over the summer, it's not great that the math slide could happen. So how do we combat the math slide and keep our summer relaxing and free?

By working on your summer review packet!

Each grade has a unique packet with answers. The packet includes notes with practice problems on most of the topics you covered this year. You can use the packet to review lessons, practice concepts, and correct your mistakes.

Each student will receive a printed version of the packet.

If you have any questions, you can ask your parent to email me at teachernaskas@gmail.com. The document is copyright protected and so you are not allowed to share it electronically with others.

If you'd like additional practice, you can also use Khan Academy to prepare for next year.

Students going to 5th Grade: <https://www.khanacademy.org/math/get-ready-for-5th-grade>

Students going to 6th Grade: <https://www.khanacademy.org/math/get-ready-for-6th-grade>

Students going to 7th Grade: <https://www.khanacademy.org/math/get-ready-for-7th-grade>

Students going to 8th Grade: <https://www.khanacademy.org/math/cc-eighth-grade-math>
<https://www.khanacademy.org/math/get-ready-for-algebra-i>

Thank you for a great year. Have a wonderful summer!

Mrs. Nkrahene.