



# A Message from Mrs. Nabors

## Hillsdale Middle School

### 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Mathematics

(Week #18)

Friday, December 20, 2024

Math Enrichment Opportunities:

<http://nrich.maths.org/weekly>



I hope everyone has a wonderful three-week vacation filled with good health, happy memories, and great celebrations with family and friends. Thank you to all my student's families for your generous gifts this season. It was very unexpected and so appreciated. I hope to see all my students in the new year when we return on Tuesday, January 14, 2025!

**LATE WORK OVER BREAK:** There is NO homework over winter break, except for students who have missing assignments. Please look carefully at the math grade report sent home today and have your student complete any missing work to be turned in by Thursday, January 16<sup>th</sup>. After this date, I will no longer accept missing work from 2024. NO EXCEPTIONS!!!

SEVERAL STUDENTS NEED TO GET CAUGHT UP ON THE MATH CLASS I-READY REQUIREMENT OF 1 LESSON PER WEEK. WINTER BREAK IS AN EXCELLENT TIME TO TRY TO GET CAUGHT UP ON THE THE LESSONS IN I-READY MATH MY PATH!!

**SKIPPED PROBLEMS ON HOMEWORK:** I am no longer accepting homework with skipped problems. Students must attempt to solve every assigned problem on their homework assignments. Remember, full credit on homework is issued if every problem is completed and all work is shown, regardless if the correct answer is given.

**TARDIES:** Students need to be in their assigned seat ready to learn BEFORE the bell rings. PLEASE TALK WITH YOUR STUDENT ABOUT THE IMPORTANCE OF BEING ON TIME TO EVERY CLASS.

Week #18 = 18 I-Ready Assignments Completed and Passed by yesterday at 8:59 pm!

**I-READY:** I-Ready is a district-purchased online program for mathematics that will help personalize your student's learning and monitor progress throughout the school year. I-Ready consists of two parts: Diagnostic and Personalized Instruction that provides data to increase your student's learning gains.

This year, your student is required to take 3 diagnostic assessments and complete 1 math lesson per week. Every four weeks the I-Ready will be graded and students will earn a score reflective of the number of lessons they have completed to date. **Students who have completed 4/4 by week 4, 8/8 by week 8, 12/12 by week 12, and so on, will be able to participate in P.A.T. (Preferred Activity Time).** Students who have not completed the required lessons will work on I-Ready during that time.

**I-READY LESSONS ARE DUE ON THE DAY BEFORE P.A.T. BY 8:59 PM. ANYTHING SUBMITTED AFTER 8:59 PM WILL NOT COUNT FOR THAT PARTICULAR WEEK.**

**TIMES TESTS:** Every four weeks before P.A.T., all students will be taking a multiplication facts quiz (100 facts, 0's through 12's in 6 minutes). We have been working on this periodically in class, however you could also help your student at home to prepare for this quiz.

- 1) Make multiplication flash cards and quiz your student.
- 2) Print each of the four different Times Test forms from my website and practice, practice, practice! The Times Tests are in the LEFT navigation bar on my website, or you can click [HERE](#).
- 3) Log onto Hoodamath.com and have your student practice the multiplication timed test online.
- 4) Play Multiplication War with a deck of cards (remove the Kings, Queens = 12, Jacks = 11, and Aces = 1).

**MY WEBSITE:** <https://www.cajonvalley.net/Domain/518> If you have a moment, please visit my website for information about me, the math curriculum, forms, tools, resources, and other things you may find helpful.

**INFRACTIONS:** An Infraction Log is kept daily for violations of basic school and classroom rules, which include but are not limited to the following: Gum, Tardy, Cell Phone ON, Inappropriate Use of Technology, Disruption, Not bringing necessary school supplies (charged chromebook and charger), Profanity, Dress Code, etc. **EVERY 3 INFRACTIONS RESULT IN ONE LOWERED CITIZENSHIP GRADE.**

**GRADES:** I update grades every FRIDAY and post them in my gradebook program iGrade Plus and will be emailed to you on Fridays. If you and your student check his/her math grade before Friday, there may be blank entries. This means I have yet to enter the grades for that assignment, so please check back on Friday. Assignments turned in on Friday will NOT be reflected on the emailed report until the following week.

**If you are not receiving emailed grade reports, please email me a working email for you so I can update my records. Be sure to include your student's first and last name in the subject line of your email.**

**NEXT WEEK'S HOMEWORK:** You can find next week's math homework assignments at <https://www.cajonvalley.net/Page/11701>. Make sure you click on the correct week and are looking in you

student's course column for the assignments. \*Please note, that although my lesson plans on my website are accurate, some changes may occur without notice.

**UP-COMING EVENTS/DATES:**

**Dec. 21-Jan. 13 WINTER BREAK!!!**

January 14<sup>th</sup> Accelerated - Unit 8 I.N. Due

**January 20<sup>th</sup> HOLIDAY! No School!**

January 22<sup>nd</sup> Common Core - Module 6 Quiz  
Accelerated - Module 6 Quiz  
ALL - Grades close for Trimester 2 Progress Report Cards

January 23<sup>rd</sup> Honors - Module 7 Quiz  
**ALL - 20 IReady lessons completed and passed by 8:59 pm**

January 24<sup>th</sup> Times Test, Integers Test #4, P.A.T.

January 29<sup>th</sup> Honors - Unit 3 Exam

January 30<sup>th</sup> Honors - Unit 3 I.N. Due

January 31<sup>st</sup> Accelerated - Module 18 Quiz  
ALL - Trimester 2 Progress Report Cards are available in the Q Portal

February 4<sup>th</sup> Common Core - Module 7 Quiz

February 6<sup>th</sup> Accelerated - Module 7 Quiz

February 7<sup>th</sup> Common Core - Unit 3 Exam

**February 10<sup>th</sup> HOLIDAY! No School!**

February 11<sup>th</sup> Common Core - Unit 3 I.N. Due

February 12<sup>th</sup> Accelerated - Unit 3 Exam

February 13<sup>th</sup> Honors - Module 8 Quiz  
Accelerated - Unit 3 I.N. Due

**February 17<sup>th</sup> HOLIDAY! No School!**

Please email me at [nabors@cajonvalley.net](mailto:nabors@cajonvalley.net) with any questions or concerns you may have regarding your student and math.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Nabors



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### PROGRESS REPORT/REPORT CARD TIMELINE 2024-2025

Tri 1 Progress Report - September 27th marks the end of the 1<sup>st</sup> 6 weeks of Tri 1

- October 4 - Progress Reports Available for Parents to print

TRI 1 REPORT CARD - November 1st marks the end of Tri 1

- November 9 - Report Cards Available for Parents to print

Tri 2 Progress Report - January 24<sup>th</sup> marks the end of the 1<sup>st</sup> 6 weeks of Tri 2

- February 1 - Report Cards Available for Parents to print

TRI 2 REPORT CARD - March 7th marks the end of Tri 2

- March 15 - Report Cards Available for Parents to print

Tri 3 Progress Report - April 25th marks the end of the 1<sup>st</sup> 6 weeks of Tri 3

- May 3 - Report Cards Available for Parents to print

TRI 3 REPPORT CARD - June 17<sup>th</sup> marks the end of Tri 3

- June 17 - Report Cards Available for Parents to print