



Farragut Middle School

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Dear Farragut Families,

We wanted to take this opportunity to provide you with information related to the opportunities that will exist for enrichment and extended learning, as well as skill development, in mathematics during the 2025-2026 school year.

Grade	Enrichment/Extended Learning
Grade 5	Students in grade 5 will receive differentiated instruction within their math class. In addition, students demonstrating above grade level performance can receive extended learning opportunities during their daily skills period, as deemed appropriate by the classroom teacher..
Grades 6 & 7	Students in grades 6 and 7 may be selected to enroll in a Mathematics Enrichment/Extended Learning class, in addition to their regularly scheduled grade level math class. Student selection into the Math Enrichment/Extended Learning class will be based on: - the student's math grade average for marking periods 1, 2, and 3 of 5th/6th grade; - the student's STAR Math assessment results throughout their 5th/6th grade year. Unlike in recent years, students will not be eligible to "double accelerate" in math. The district has observed mixed results in subsequent years with students who have done this. The district believes that a strong foundation of math skills in middle school results in stronger math students in high school. Please note that students will still have the opportunity to take all higher level courses in the high school, including Calculus AB, Calculus BC, AP Statistics, etc.
Grade 8	Students in grade 8 may be selected to enroll in the HS Regents-level Algebra course. Student selection into the Algebra course will be based on: - the student's math grade average for marking periods 1, 2, and 3 of 7th grade; - the student's math midterm grade from 7th grade; - the student's STAR Math assessment results throughout their 7th grade year. Families will be notified on or around June 13th of their child's placement in math for Grade 8. If you have any questions, please contact either Dr. Stephens, Mr. Wynne or the Middle School Main Office.

Grade	Skill Development (MTSS)
All Grades	Students who demonstrate below grade level standard performance may receive additional support in math through: - Tier I interventions during their math class (and skills class in 5th grade) and academic coaching; - Tier II interventions in a pull out class every other day with our Math Interventionist; - Tier III interventions in a pull out class every day with our Math Interventionist.

Respectfully,

Scott Wynne
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