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Dear Parents,

Summer means long, lazy days, splashing in the pool, and math! Yes, math! Make use of these long, unstructured days to have your child do some math practice. Staying on top of their skills over the summer will help them enter 5th grade with more confidence and will build computational and problem solving capability.

The summer math expectations for students entering Sayre Middle School's 5th grade are to complete an average of 30 minutes per week, or 5 total hours, over the course of the summer. This year, we are using the [Summer Solutions workbook](#). Your child can work on it wherever they are and the lessons are designed to review a variety of skills and take just a few minutes to complete. If they complete 3 lessons per week during the summer, they will have completed all 30 lessons before school starts. Help your child develop a routine over the summer that includes practicing and reinforcing their math skills.

We will collect the math workbooks during the first week of school and look at the time invested, growth, and mastery. We look forward to working with your children next year and hope all their summer fun adds up to a great summer!

Sincerely,

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