

May 21, 2021

Congratulations on finishing the 2020-2021 school year! I am looking forward to having you in my Algebra 1 class next year. Algebra 1 can be a challenging class for some, but I am confident that if you work hard and seek help when needed, you will be successful.

This summer, it is my recommendation that you complete Khan Academy's "Get Ready for Algebra 1" summer course to help you review skills from pre-algebra and previous years of math instruction. This course will focus on 6 units from previous grade levels that have been deemed essential to future success. These units include equations and inequalities, ratios and rates, linear relationships, functions and sequences, exponents and radicals, and square and cube roots. Each unit has subcomponents including lesson videos, practice problems, quizzes, and a unit test. The lesson videos are optional and are a great resource if you are struggling with completing the practice problems and need a refresher on the skill/concept. After you complete the practice problems and quizzes, complete the unit test. Your performance on the unit test will help you identify the skills/concepts that you have mastered within the unit and those that you may still need some additional practice with. There is no limit to the number of times you can complete a set of practice problems, quizzes, or the unit test.

The benefits for you reviewing these problems over the summer are:

- to keep up your math skills, which will better enable you to be successful in Algebra 1
- to allow you to show me what you know and where you struggle so that I can adjust my lessons to best serve your needs

Please try to complete all the recommended Khan Academy lessons by **Friday, August 13, 2021**.

Once again, I am looking forward to a great school year. I hope you all have a restful and fun summer, and I will see you in August!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Rogers

Note: Prior to the end of the school year, Mrs. Peters provided instructions on how to join the Khan Academy Class. In the event you have not yet joined, please join by accessing this link: <https://www.khanacademy.org/join/H4UAUA7Z>.