**Mr. Linderman’s Math Class**

**Sharon Hill School**

 Welcome to the 2019-20 school year at Sharon Hill School! My name is Mr. Linderman and I will be your child’s math teacher for the school year. This letter serves to introduce myself, and to give you a brief overview of what our year will look like in the math classroom.

 As part of the District-wide curriculum, we will utilize the enVision Common Core math curriculum for grades 6 thru 8. In addition to the writable hands-on workbook each student will receive, they will also have access to a digital interactive platform, allowing each student access to unlimited enrichment and/or intervention content. Student passwords will be given to students in class to allow access to the online platforms.

 **Required Materials**: Every student is responsible for having a dedicated math journal that they bring to class daily (**a composition book or spiral notebook**) which they must keep up with over the course of the entire school year. Graded journal checks will occur throughout the year, and students will be graded on keeping up with their notes cumulatively from the start of the school year. Students should also have a **dedicated math pocket folder** for worksheets and handouts, plenty of **loose leaf paper** for classroom assignments, and an **ample supply of wood pencils with erasers**. Please do **NOT** send your child with mechanical pencils!!! Calculators for use in the classroom will be provided.

 **Homework**: Homework will be given 4 nights per week, with no homework typically assigned over the weekend. Homework will usually be in the form of a printed worksheet, or problems directly from our workbooks. Homework grades will be entered weekly, and will count towards a percentage of each student’s overall grade.

 **Contact**: If at any point you need to contact me, I can be reached via email at **clinderman@sedelco.org**. Email is my preferred method of communication, but I also can be reached via phone at **610-522-4355**. If you are calling, please be aware that I often cannot have a phone conversation during class, so please be prepared to leave a message and I will call you back as soon as I have time to speak.

 I also utilize the Remind App for Smartphones. For text reminders and updates, please text the following code to register for class updates.

Text **“@linderman1**” to 81010

 Additionally, if at any point you would like to see what we are doing in class, or need to find my contact information in one place, I have my own class website at **mrlindermanmath.weebly.com**. This will be updated regularly with current assignments and resources in the event your child has questions when he or she is away from the classroom.

 I look forward to getting to know your child and sharing the experience of learning! **Please complete and return the bottom section of this letter so we know it was received and so that we have the most up-to-date contact info for you and your family.**

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