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May 7, 2020,

Dear Parents/Guardians,

You are receiving this letter because your student is currently completing Advanced Math 7 (which is 7th and 8th grade math) this school year as a 7th grader. Next year, your 8th grade student will have the opportunity to take GSE* Algebra I, the first year of math in the high school course sequence. In order to earn high school credit for GSE Algebra I, your student will take the Milestones End of Course (EOC) assessment (for GSE Algebra I) and will have to successfully pass GSE Algebra I with a 70 or above average 1st semester and 2nd semester. **Please note that the final course average WILL be calculated into your student's high school GPA (grade point average).**

Below, you will find the course sequence for your student if he/she continues on the accelerated math sequence.

Accelerated Math Course Sequence
8 th grade—GSE Algebra I
9 th grade—GSE Analytic Geometry
10 th grade—GSE Advanced Algebra II
11 th grade—GSE Pre-Calculus/AP Stats/Dual Enrollment**
12 th grade—4 th math course option or Dual Enrollment**

*GSE (Georgia Standards of Excellence)

**Dual Enrollment; College Courses

Students who earn high school math credit in middle school will be advised to take **4 math courses in high school** to remain competitive on college applications.

If you would like for your student to continue on the Accelerated Math Course Sequence, please sign the permission form and return to Ms. Sales by Friday, May 15th; as we are in the process of scheduling for next school year.

Sincerely,

Mary Carol Stanley
Principal

Permission to Continue **Accelerated Math Course Sequence**

I, _____, give my student, _____
(please print) (please print)

permission to continue with the Accelerated Math Course Sequence. I understand that as an 8th grader, my student will take GSE Algebra I; the first year of math in the high school course sequence. I understand that in order for my student to earn high school credit for Algebra I, he/she will take the Milestones End of Course (EOC) assessment and will have to successfully pass Algebra I with a 70 or above for both 1st semester and 2nd semester. **I understand that my student's final course average WILL be calculated into his/her high school GPA.** I understand that my student will be advised to take **4 math courses in high school** to remain competitive on college applications.

Parent Signature

Date