

7th Grade Mathematics - Week of 3/30 through 4/1

Hi guys! I hope you are all staying healthy and safe. I would never have guessed that this would happen in a million years, but here we are. I know this may be the class that has you and your parents worried the most. Math can be difficult for some people, especially when it's a new concept. That being said, we are going to use these weeks to review some topics that I think you will need the most next year. This week we are going to review adding and subtracting integers. It's something we worked on at the very beginning of the year. We are going to be using Pearson Realize and IXL. I know you are already familiar with these apps. If at any time you have a question, you can email me at awilson@risingsun.k12.in.us. I have also tried to set up a class dojo. If your parent has joined, you can message me on there as well. I will be on standby M-W 9-3. If you need me any other time, I will answer you as soon as possible. Please do not hesitate to ask for help. I've got your back! This is new to all of us. I miss all of you and hopefully I will see you all in May! Stay safe!

-Mrs. Wilson

Monday, March 30: Go to the school website and click on apps. Select Pearson Realize. You will need to log in. Your username is your first and last name@ocems (i.e. angelawilson@ocems). Your password is your initials and your lunch code. For some of you, it is only your first and last initial, for others it is first, middle, and last initial. If you have trouble, email me. Your first assignment should appear. Today it is all about adding integers. I have assigned three examples to refresh your memory. Once you have worked your way through the examples, you will be completing the 1-3MathXL. There are 7 problems to work through. I will be taking a grade on this.

Don't forget:

If you add a positive number to another positive number, you will add and get a bigger positive number.

If you add a negative number to another negative number, you will add and get a bigger negative number.

If you add a positive and a negative number together, they are taking away from each other. Find the difference between the two numbers and the biggest number determines the sign of your answer.

Tuesday, March 31: You will go on Pearson Realize again. Today's assignments won't show up until it is actually Tuesday. There are examples to go through and you will need to complete 1-4MathXL. I will be taking a grade on this. This lesson is about subtracting integers.

Don't forget:

Mrs. Wilson always changes subtraction problems into addition problems, but don't forget, "If I change this, I gotta change that". You have to remember to change the sign of the number that follows the subtraction sign as well. Adding a negative number is the same thing as subtracting a positive number.

Subtracting a negative number is the same as adding a positive number.

Wednesday, April 1: We are going to end this week with an IXL, C.11. This IXL is all about story problems that will have you adding and subtracting integers. I think you will probably be able to complete this today, but if you need more time, I won't collect a grade on it until the following Monday.