

## Note from your Math Teacher

Summer 2011

Dear Parents & Students,

Congratulations on successfully completing your education this year. As we look forward to next school year, let us plan ahead now. You can continue to learn in fun ways this summer and collect supplies (below) for when class begins next year.

This summer I encourage you to play together with your family and friends. Many card games use probability and arithmetic. Board games can also boost your math computation skills. On-line you can visit these Top Ten Math Sites (<http://tutoring.sylvanlearning.com/newsletter/0704/math.cfm>) to keep the mathematics side of your brain growing.

Have a great summer. I will be visiting family in California and looking forward to see you in the fall.

Sincerely, Mrs. April Carrillo

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### Materials list:

Assignment Calendar (to use for all classes)

Notebook with lined paper (large, A4 or similar)

Graph Paper (you may print pages from the internet)

Folder (to keep hand-outs, work-sheets & charts)

Ruler (inches & centimeters)

Protractor

Pencil bag (or any type of organizer)

Pencil (with eraser)

Colored pen (for correcting work)

Scientific calculator (I use Casio fx-82 ES Plus)

Water bottle with lid that does not leak

Geometry (grade 9): Compass