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To: Orange Parents and Guardians
From: Math Specialists
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Re: Commissioner's Summer Math Challenge: *Math All Around Us*

The Connecticut State Department of Education (CSDE) is proud to announce the 2017 Commissioner's Summer Math Challenge: Math All Around Us. With an engaging variety of activities, students avoid the "summer math slump" and are better prepared for the upcoming school year. Schools with the highest percentage of participating enrollment and the highest number of badges earned by participating students will be recognized for their efforts.

To assist students in retaining math learning during the summer, the Summer Math Challenge, sponsored by the CSDE in partnership with Metametrics is offering a FREE math skills maintenance program based on grade-level standards. The program is targeted to students who have just completed grades 1 through 8. It is designed to help them retain math skills learned during the previous school year. Families enroll online and receive daily emails from June 19, 2017, through July 28, 2017, with fun activities and links to educational resources. Each week of the six-week program targets a different grade level concept. The Students earn badges for completing the activities related to each concept and can print a certificate showing their earned badges.

Similar to the Governor's Summer Reading Challenge, all information and printable materials (e.g., math log, registration information, and information for parents and students) for the Commissioner's Summer Math Challenge can be found on the State Department of Education Web site. The link to the web page is <http://www.ct.gov/sde/summermathchallenge>.

Please contact Jennifer Michalek at 860-713-6557 or jennifer.michalek@ct.gov if you have questions about the Commissioner's Summer Math Challenge.

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THE COMMISSIONER'S
2017 SUMMER
MATH
CHALLENGE

Join the Summer Math Challenge

Quantiles.com/summer-math

- 1 Go to quantiles.com/summer-math to enroll your child.
- 2 Starting Monday, 6/19, check your inbox for daily emails with fun math activities and resources.
- 3 Visit quantiles.com/summer-math every day to read about the weekly math concept and earn badges.
- 4 When the program ends on Friday, 7/28, print an award certificate to celebrate your child's summer accomplishment!

The Summer Math Challenge is a **FREE** math skills maintenance program based on the Connecticut Core Standards for Mathematics. The program is targeted to students who have just completed 1st through 8th grades and is designed to help kids retain math skills learned during the previous school year.





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Students and Families:

To learn more, ask your teacher or principal to contact the Connecticut State Department of Education at 860-713-6557 or www.ct.gov/sde.

Name _____

Grade _____

School _____

Town _____

My favorite math topic was _____

I liked this topic because _____

Summer Math Log



THE COMMISSIONER'S
2017 SUMMER
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THE COMMISSIONER'S 2017 SUMMER MATH CHALLENGE



WEEK 1

I earned a badge for: _____

To complete the activities this week I had to:

WEEK 2

I earned a badge for: _____

To complete the activities this week I had to:

WEEK 3

I earned a badge for: _____

To complete the activities this week I had to:

WEEK 4

I earned a badge for: _____

To complete the activities this week I had to:

WEEK 5

I earned a badge for: _____

To complete the activities this week I had to:

WEEK 6

I earned a badge for: _____

To complete the activities this week I had to:
