
Powell Middle School

Math Department

Overview

Math Class Structure

Grading Policy and Components

Skill Building Tools

Math Class Structure

The Block

- Students will have two consecutive periods of math.
 - Allows for in depth instruction and practice
 - Powell Middle School has shown great growth while utilizing the block structure.
-

6th and 7th Grade Math Class Structure

No Designated “Advanced Math” in 6th -7th Grade

- Research based
 - All students will have the ability to experience extension and remediation depending on current performance.
-

Grading Policy

60% - Summative

- Consists of cumulative common assessments developed to ensure standard acquisition

40% - Formative

- Daily Quizzes
 - Must pass with 80% or better in 8th grade
 - Allows students to practice content
-

What else will we use?

- Daily Skill Practice with Answer Key
 - Wy-Topp Modulares (Great practice to be ready for the state summative assessment)
 - IXL
 - Khan Academy
 - XtraMath
 - Mathcounts
 - Prodigy Math
-

How can you help your student over the Summer?

Encourage your student to continue practicing on IXL, Khan Academy, or Prodigy Math.
