

# Math Summer Initiative

Holy Ghost Catholic School  
Summer 2019

The goal of the initiative is to have students work over the summer on skill based activities to maintain their math skills for the upcoming school year.

Our school-wide initiative is computer-based, utilizing [FirstinMath.com](http://FirstinMath.com) for students entering 2nd - 5th grades and [ixl.com](http://ixl.com) for students entering 6th - 8th grades. Your child's username and password remain the same as this school year. Please call the school office during summer office hours if you have misplaced your login information. Please refer to the appropriate grade-level guide lines below.

**\*\*** Also, please note that if your student is in **advanced math** they will work on the grade level they just completed. Ex: 4th grader who has just completed the 5th grade advanced math will work on the 5th grade IXL assignments.

**Students entering grades 6th - 8th** will complete the following IXL activities by Tuesday, July 30th that will count as their first two **FORMATIVE** math grades for the 2019-2020 school year.

**A formative grade of 36 points** will be given in accordance to the standards below. To receive credit, a student must reach **100% OR work a minimum of 15 minutes and reach a minimum of 80% ON EACH LESSON.**

**A separate 10 point formative grade** will be given for written work. Students must copy each problem into a notebook or packet of paper and show the steps necessary to solve. Problems that DO NOT require written work will be indicated with an asterisk\* by the standard. Work must be labeled, neat and organized, and must be turned in on the first day of school.

★ **STUDENTS WHO COMPLETED 5TH GRADE MATH** will be required to complete the following standard for 5th grade IXL work.

- After logging into IXL.com students will click on the 5th grade tab and complete the following standards:
  - A.2\*
  - D.11
  - EE.10
  - EE.13
  - L.8
  - L.10
  - M.24
  - N.10
  - O.5
  - O.7
  - R.2\*
  - S.7