Dear Parents of Rising Eighth Graders,

I am so excited to have the opportunity to teach your child again next year! I have thoroughly enjoyed getting to know each of them this school year.

I've attached a math packet the students will need to complete this summer. I will also post the packet on my Google Classroom page. This packet includes important Pre-Algebra concepts they will need to review in order to better prepare them for Algebra I. Please have your child work on small portions of the packet throughout the summer. In order to receive full credit, they must **SHOW ALL WORK** on another sheet of paper**!** I have included sample problems for the concepts included in the packet. Please have your child look at these sample problems if they have any questions. This packet is **due on the first day of school – August 14th, 2023.**

Optional - If your child is struggling with operations with integers, I've decided to use the Delta Math program to reinforce integer rules. The Algebra I curriculum can be especially challenging if the students do not have a good understanding of integer rules. I can assure you they will feel more confident next school year if they know these integer rules. The students may work in Delta Math to practice operations with integers if they feel as though they need more practice. Please see Delta Math login instructions below.

If you or your child have additional questions, please don't hesitate to email me at sshuford@bullochacademy.com. I look forward to seeing everyone in August! Have a wonderful summer!

Sincerely,

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** **Instructions on how to create a Delta Math Account: (Please read carefully.)**

1) Go to deltamath.com
2) Click Create Account at the top right of the webpage
3) Click Student and then enter my teacher code: 487477
4) Click the drop down box that says "Period" and choose your class period. **(Note: You will click Rising 8th Grade (23/24)!)**
5) Fill in your personal information and create a password – do not forget the password you created!:)