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**"Learn. Care. Lead."**

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### 2019-2020 Open House

<b>JJMS Goal:</b>	Take the time to get to know our students well and use that knowledge to increase student engagement in our classrooms.
<b>Classroom Mission:</b>	We believe we all learn from each other and we persevere through collaboration, by working through challenging problems, showing all work and asking questions.
<b>Subject:</b>	Math 7/7A ( <b>Bold Topics are for 7A Math</b> )
<b>Teachers:</b>	<b>Jane Williams and Greta Laffey</b>
<b>Curriculum:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ratio/Proportion</li> <li>• Rational Numbers and Percents/<b>Exponents and Scientific Notation</b></li> <li>• Algebraic Equations and Inequalities</li> <li>• <b>Graphing and Writing Linear Equations/Slope-Intercept</b></li> <li>• Geometry ( Angles and Circles), 2- and 3- D Shapes</li> <li>• <b>Parallel Lines Cut by a Transversal/Spheres</b></li> <li>• Probability and Statistics</li> </ul>
<b>Grading and Homework:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Active Engagement (includes homework): 20%</li> <li>• Quizzes/Tests: 80%</li> <li>• Timely completion of all missed homework assignments, quizzes, and tests due to absence</li> <li>• Student work must be shown on homework assignments to receive credit</li> </ul>
<b>Resources:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Big Ideas Math Textbook and Phone/Tablet App</li> <li>• <a href="http://www.bigideasmath.com">www.bigideasmath.com</a> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Big Ideas Math (Online Access has additional resources, listed below.)</li> <li>• Student Dynamic eBook has videos for every example. Hit RED arrows.</li> <li>• Basic skills handbook w/answers online</li> <li>• Live tutor for selected problems on online assignments</li> <li>• Phone App with videos for all lesson examples</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <u>Quizlet Math 7 NYS contains study guides with all vocabulary</u></li> <li>• <a href="http://www.Studyzone.org">www.Studyzone.org</a></li> <li>• <a href="http://www.khanacademy.org">www.khanacademy.org</a></li> <li>• <a href="http://www.ixl.com">www.ixl.com</a></li> <li>• <a href="http://www.engageny.org">www.engageny.org</a> student modular materials</li> </ul>
<b>Extra Help:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• One afternoon per week 2:50 - 3:25</li> <li>• Additional help by appointment</li> </ul>
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