Dear Parents or Guardians,

I am very excited to introduce myself as your child's Intermediate Math Concepts teacher for the spring semester. I truly believe that a successful education results from cooperation between school and home. Therefore, I am asking for your support in ensuring your child's success in my class.

I am convinced that practice is the essential ingredient to achievement of math concepts. Consequently, there will be plenty of opportunities for your child to practice problems prior to being tested on the material. These opportunities include guided practice, homework, and in-class activities. Your child will succeed if he/she participates in all of the activities and completes all of the assigned work.

I have set and will enforce guidelines for behavior in my class. These guidelines have been listed in the course requirements which are posted on our class website (http://cbsd.org//Domain/2040). The purpose of these is to guarantee a productive learning environment for every student. In an effort to increase student focus and decrease distractions, students will place their cell phones in a bin at the start of each class. Please help your child complete his/her first assignment by reading this letter, accessing the website, and signing and returning the bottom portion of this letter.

Class notes, homework assignments, and a link to Parent Portal will be posted on the Schoolwires website. Grades are updated online on a regular basis. Therefore, you are able to access your child's grades at any time using Parent Portal.

I look forward to meeting you at Back-to-School Night. My e-mail address is <u>csheck@cbsd.org</u>. I thank you in advance for your support and dedication to your child's education!

Sincerely,

Catherine Sheck

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Please sign the line below to confirm that you have read this letter, were able to access our class website, and comply with the classroom cell phone policy. Return by Monday, February 5th.

Student's Name: ______ Student Signature x______

Parent's/Guardian's Name: _______

Parent/Guardian signature x______

Comments or concerns regarding your child: