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Dear Parents/Guardians:

The Derry Cooperative School District has adopted a new math program, *enVisionmath2.0*, distributed by Pearson. This program is a comprehensive, blended digital and print mathematics program that provides a foundation for future math courses and beyond.

Students will be actively involved in using concrete and digital tools to develop deep mathematics understanding and will apply this understanding through practice and problem-solving during math lessons. In addition, you can expect your child to learn and practice new math ideas and concepts in a variety of ways, such as:

- Solving problems and explaining his/her thinking in a write-in text and online.
- Using online animations to help build understanding in a visual way.
- Working individually, in pairs, and in small groups to solve problems and share his/her thinking.
- Completing homework that promotes computational thinking, fluency, and application through rich problem solving.
- Engaging in online practice that provides help as needed through worked-out examples and self-help videos.
- Experiencing a variety of math activities that include Math Games, Math and Science Activities, and Today's Challenge in order to apply understanding in different contexts and different levels of learning.

You and your child will soon have online access to *enVisionmath2.0*. Once you have access, you may use any of the resources available to help your child with homework or to prepare for assessments. Information and directions to access these resources will be sent home soon.

If you have any questions or concerns, we encourage you to correspond with your child's teacher. Please consider attending our Parent Math Night at Derry Village School on Thursday, September 22. The evening's schedule is provided below. If you have children in different grades, please choose one section of presentations as they will be similar in content. We hope to see you on September 22 at Derry Village School!

Sincerely,

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Parent Night Schedule – September 22, 2016

Grades K, 1, 2		Grades 3, 4, 5	
6:30-7:10	Consultant Presentation	6:45-7:15	Technology Introduction
7:15-7:45	Technology Introduction	7:20-8:00	Consultant Presentation