During the year we will be using various online tools to help you study and learn math. This assignment will help you become familiar with the tools so you are comfortable accessing them later.

1. **Mrs. Bagley's Website**: Go to <u>http://www.mathbagley.rocks</u> to find my website. Or get there from the Mountain Ridge Website (mountainridge.alpineschools.org), under Faculty, then Teachers. Hover over my picture and you should see a link to my website. My website is one place to find helpful videos and the homework assignments. <u>Bookmark the site.</u>

On my homepage, look for the grey button that says "Getting to Know You" on the second row of grey buttons. This link will take you to a "Getting to Know You Survey." <u>Complete the survey, it should take about 10 minutes.</u>

2. Videos for Homework Help: I make videos to help you on your daily homework assignments. These short videos will explain the concepts we covered in class and work out a few problems. Also, before tests, I post a review video where I work out every problem on the review, and you will receive extra credit for watching the review videos. Still on my website, click the blue 8<sup>th</sup> Grade ALL Math tab.

Then click on "Unit 1 - Systems" to see all the lessons for our first unit. In the box labeled Day 0, click on the word "video" which should open a new tab and show a short video. Watch the video and <u>write the secret message in this space</u>:

3. **Canvas**: I will also store resources on Canvas because students are automatically enrolled in the course for our class. I have made all the videos and homework assignments available on Canvas as well as my website. If you are absent or lose an assignment, you can print it off at home. <u>Use your school email to log in to Canvas and click on your math class</u>. <u>Find the assignment in Unit 1 called "Practice Assignment" and click on it</u>, which should bring up a pdf document. During the year, you would see an actual worksheet that you could print off and complete at home. Don't print it off today; just write the secret message in this space:

4. **Desmos**: We will occasionally be using a fantastic math site called Desmos. Class will go more smoothly if you have already practiced using Desmos at home. Note: there is a related site called desmos.com which you are welcome to use anytime as a calculator or graphing tool, but the only way to access the activities I have planned for you is to use student.desmos.com.

Go to student.desmos.com and enter this class code: 2AKEQE (Don't sign in). Follow the instructions and <u>write the</u> <u>secret message in this space</u>:

5. **Delta Math**: Sometimes it is helpful to have immediate feedback, so you know right away if you understand a concept. In this class when you need extra practice on a topic, we will mostly be using an online site called delta math. Go to <u>www.deltamath.com</u> then <u>use your school email</u> to create a student account in the upper right corner. My teacher code is **345255**. PLEASE USE A PASSWORD THAT YOU WILL REMEMBER ALL YEAR LONG!

Select the "Practice Assignment" and write down the instructions for the first question in this space:

6. **Disclosure Document**: The disclosure document lists all of my policies on things like grading, late homework or test corrections. It's important that you read and understand these policies at the beginning of the year so you know what to expect in my class. You can locate the disclosure document in two places:

1. In Canvas under Unit 1, click on the link for Disclosure Document

OR

2. On my website, click on the tab for your class, then scroll past all of the buttons for the units until you see a button for the Disclosure Document.

## Read it with a parent.

Follow the link at the end of the document for your parent to digitally acknowledge they have read this document.

## You will not be allowed to take the first test in this class until your parent has read/signed the online disclosure document AND you have turned in this completed assignment.