Dear Parent/Guardian of Pre-calculus students,

For years, our pre-calculus class has been teaching the same material that is taught at local community colleges. This year, North Kitsap High School is excited to be able to offer your student dual credit for that same pre-calculus class through Central Washington University’s Cornerstone program. This year’s pre-calculus course is aligned with an actual CWU class taught by our high school teachers Mr. Bill Hobaugh, Mr. Jon Nelson and Mr. Corey Burchill, who have been accepted as adjunct faculty by CWU. What this means for your student is that he/she can earn college credit while taking our pre-calculus course here at North Kitsap High School.

The Cornerstone program is a private pay program where the student and parent are responsible for the costs. It offers eligible 10th-12th graders 5 semester credits transferrable to other Washington state public colleges and universities as well as those in the regional accreditation network of Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU). The cost is $55 per credit ($275 for the semester), which is 75% cheaper than normal CWU tuition.

I’m sure there are many questions you may have. Our teachers will be giving the information to your students in class, so please ask them to share that info with you. If there are any more questions, please check out Mr. Burchill’s webpage and click on the Cornerstone link where you will find further information, or email your student’s teacher.

Sincerely,

Megan Sawicki
Principal, North Kitsap High School