

We will be utilizing our textbooks online feature to assignment work. Students will need to create an account at www.bigideasmath.com. After I receive the notification that students have created an account and joined my class, I can start to assign assignments that will review a section we have already covered this year, or to review a skill students should have and will need later this year.

Instructions for students to create an account at the Big Ideas Math website

1. Visit www.bigideasmath.com
2. Click *New to Big Ideas Math?*
3. Enter your access code and click *Next*.
 - Geometry B (1st and 2nd Period): **Z74A-8JA8-MSXS**
 - Algebra IB (4th Period): **DGYH-B7YK-7EGJ**
 - Algebra IA (3rd Period): **Z2SD-4XKZ-GJ8Y**
 - Geometry A (6th Period): **TGED-JDNA-T7AS**
4. Fill out the required information and click *Next*. (In step five, if you don't remember your student ID number, you can just make up one.)
5. **Write down your username and password**, and click *Next*.

How to get to the assignments:

- Below is what you'll see when you sign in.
- This is the resources page. You can see this at the top center of the page.
- Click on 'Assignments' next to 'Resource'

The screenshot shows the Big Ideas Math website interface. At the top left, it says "BIG IDEAS MATH". On the right, it shows "7TH GRADE (1ST AND 2ND PERIODS)" and "ALEX SMITH". Below this is a navigation bar with "Resources", "Assignments", and "Reports". A "Help" icon is on the far right. The main content area is titled "Resources: Algebra 1: CC 2015" and has a dropdown menu set to "Algebra 1: CC 2015". Below the title is a grid of 12 resource tiles, each with an icon and a label: Student Dynamic eBook, Apps, Game Closet, Graphic Organizer, Interactive Tools, Math Tool Paper, Multi-Language Glossary, Skills Review Handbook, Real-Life STEM Videos, Vocabulary Flash Cards, Download eBooks, and State Specific Resources. At the bottom, there are links for "News", "Blog", "Help Center", "Privacy Policy", "Terms of Use", and "Contact Us". Social media icons for Twitter, Facebook, YouTube, Pinterest, LinkedIn, and RSS are also present, along with the copyright notice "©Big Ideas Learning, LLC. All Rights Reserved".

Student Instructions for checking their answers:

- After answering a problem you can click the check answer button at the bottom on the screen.
- If you answered the questions incorrectly you will get a red box around the problem like shown below. When this happens, you will also get another box that pops up about the 'check answer' button that says 'need help?'
- When you click the 'need help?' button a new box pops up as shown toward the right on the screenshot below. From this box you can be taken to lessons in the textbook that explain how to solve this problem, so to the glossary to explain any vocabulary words in this problem.
- Some problems will even allow you to watch a video tutorial for a similar problem.

The screenshot shows the Big Ideas Math interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with a grid icon, the text "BIG IDEAS MATH", a timer showing "04:01 TOTAL TIME", and the user name "ALEX SMITH". Below the navigation bar, the breadcrumb trail reads "Red Accel: CC > Chapter 1: Integers and Absolute Value > Section Exercises 1.1 > Exercise 22".

The main content area displays the problem: "Complete the statement." followed by a red-bordered input field containing the expression $-5 > \times |-9|$. A red "X" icon is positioned to the right of the input field, indicating an incorrect answer. To the left of the input field, the number "22" is displayed in a blue box.

A "Help" popup window is open on the right side of the screen. It contains the following text:

- Having trouble? Try this first:
- Comparing Integers and Absolute Values (with "WATCH VIDEO" and "REVIEW LESSON" buttons)
- Need more help? Give these a try too:
- Graphing Integers (with "WATCH VIDEO" and "REVIEW LESSON" buttons)
- Ordering Integers (with "WATCH VIDEO" and "REVIEW LESSON" buttons)
- See Multi-Language Glossary (with a "See Multi-Language Glossary" button)

At the bottom right of the interface, there are two buttons: "need help?" (light blue) and "check answer" (dark blue).

Please email Mrs. Suter at xsuter@kibesd.org if you have any questions or are having trouble logging in.