



McAuliffe Elementary School Math Club



Do you love solving challenging math problems ? If so, you'll be excited to hear that the *McAuliffe Elementary School Math Club* is about to begin! We will be preparing students to compete in the district-wide **Math Bowl at West High School on Thursday, March 30, 2017 from 5:00-8:00pm.** The Math Bowl date was moved up from May to March this year in hopes that more students will participate. Math Club will be facilitated by Mrs. DeTennis (Gifted/Talented Resource Teacher) & Mrs. Herrala (5th grade teacher).

This year, students will be working more independently on challenging math problems found in the Math Bowl Google Classroom site. Students who choose to participate will gain access to the site **starting Monday, January 9th.** Each Monday a new math problem of the week (POW) will be posted. Students can work on these problems in the classroom or at home. Students will then submit their answers within Google Classroom. The solutions will be posted each Monday along with the next math problem of the week. Fourth graders have the option to work with Mrs. DeTennis on Tuesdays during the 2:05 recess and fifth graders can choose to work with Mrs. Herrala on Thursdays during the 2:05 recess (this is optional for both grades).

Math Club is a fun event for students in grades 4 and 5 to experience an academic competition. We hope your child is interested in this challenge and is able to attend the Math Bowl Competition in March. Please complete the form below to let us know if your child is interested. Feel free to contact us with any questions. Thank you!

Mrs. DeTennis (email: kmdetennis@gbaps.org)

Mrs. Herrala (email: Hlherrala@gbaps.org)

My child, _____,

(Child's first and last name)

will participate in math club **and** attend the Math Bowl night at West High on **Thursday, March 30, 2017 from 5:00-8:00 pm.** I understand that I must provide transportation to and from West High on the evening of Math Bowl.

Grade: _____ **Teacher:** _____

Parent/Guardian name _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Email: _____

Phone number: _____