

How Can I Help my Child to ❤️ Math?

Create a positive attitude about math in your home.

Have conversations with your child about what he/she is learning about in math class.

Whether baking, out shopping, or at a restaurant, incorporate math in everything you do with your child.

Study for upcoming assessments with your child

Have your child teach you how to do their math homework

Teach your child that it is NORMAL to make mistakes. Valuable learning takes place when mistakes are corrected.



Helpful Links

www.khanacademy.com

Offers tutorials on a variety of topics discussed in 6th grade mathematics

www.ixl.com/signin/egsd

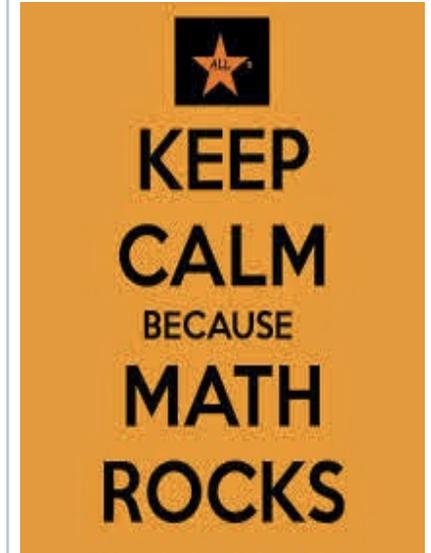
School-purchased program that allows for practice of 6th skills. Students receive immediate feedback as well as an explanation of how to correctly complete a problem if answered incorrectly.

<http://www.kitzkikz.com/flashcards/>

Free flashcard maker; definitely useful in studying new math vocabulary.



Welcome to Math 6



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How to Study for a Math Assessment.

"The only way to LEARN mathematics is to DO mathematics."

-Paul Halmos

Tips to Become a Better Mathematician

WHAT MY CHILD CAN DO IN SCHOOL

Be attentive during class

Ask questions if a concept doesn't make sense.

Come prepared to extra help sessions with a list of skills or concepts that need to be addressed.

Try their best on the daily activities even if they seem really challenging.

Work collaboratively with their groups members when instructed. Communicating mathematically is a mathematical practice that will be implemented daily.

WHAT MY CHILD CAN DO AT HOME

Refer to class guided note sheets when completing at-home practice assignments. If difficulty arises on a problem, they should do as much of it as they can and record some questions they have regarding that skill/concept.

Revise and correct practice assignments each night by re-working incorrect problems.

Thoughtfully complete assessment corrections because they are a valuable component to the learning process.

Utilize the team website to obtain class notes, documents and class announcements.

Perfect Practice Makes Permanent
Continuously practice problems from notes, practice sheets, and warm-ups since we already know the answers to those problems.

Begin preparing several days in advance. The human brain is not wired to handle cramming the night prior to an assessment.



Create flashcards or foldables and use them to study in order to become more familiar with new math vocabulary.