

Parent Math Night Series (Pre School to Grade 3) Yes, teachers are parents too! PART 1

**PRESENTED BY****Geri Lorway****SERIES SESSIONS**

Date	Time
October 10, 2017	6:15 PM - 8:15 PM

**LOCATION****Foundations for the Future Charter
Academy - 8710 Ancourt Rd. SE****FEE****\$15.00****QUESTIONS?****Contact Us:****crc-register@arpcd.ab.ca
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Program

TARGET AUDIENCE: PARENTS, CAREGIVERS (AND TEACHERS) OF CHILDREN PRE-SCHOOL TO GRADE 3 ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND

The focus of this three night series is on things you can do at home to help build your child's (ren's) confidence, ability, knowledge and skills for both learning and "doing" math. The sessions are set up over 3 nights so that you can take materials home, try them out, then come back and talk about what went wrong, what went right, what to do next. These are brief focused tasks and activities that focus on building the foundations for fluently and accurately solving addition and subtraction problems with numbers to 10, then to 100. (in your head!)

Parents and teachers who participated last year told us they also:

- *Learned or relearned some basic mathematics in a way that surprised them with its simplicity and COMMON SENSE.*
- *Recognized that they did not understand much of the math they learned in school and therefore felt unable to help when their child(ren) had difficulty.*
- *Learned that mathematics is not JUST about memorizing facts and formulas but is actually also about learning how to diagram and puzzle and think your way through things. Once you understand how numbers and number operations are connected you can teach yourself and your child to perform all kinds of calculations in your head and know you are correct.*

You may sign up for just one night, however, the materials are designed to allow you to progress through a set of concepts with your child (ren) at home. If you take the time to practice ten minutes a day with your child(ren) between each session, you will see their attitude and ability change.

Please register for Part 2 and Part 3:

[Parent Math Night PART 2](#)

[Parent Math Night PART 3](#)

This learning opportunity is being offered through curriculum implementation funding from Alberta Education.

Presenters

Gerri Lorway

: I am the Director of Thinking101. I do not promote or support “discovery learning”. I promote and support teaching all learners how to think, how to reason and problem solve, how to comprehend and communicate both written and oral language, how to access the visual spatial power of the human brain to learn, recall and apply FACTS.

The basics that form the foundation for success with Readin’, Ritin’ and ‘Rithmetic all connect when we make learning to think and reason the focus with everything we teach.

My career in education spans more than 35 years over which I have taught in single and multi grade classrooms, served as a principal, a District Principal, a District Consultant, University Professor, action researcher, coach and mentor to thousands of teachers, parents and students across Western Canada.

I share an infectious energy & enthusiasm when I present or teach but make no mistake, my goal is to challenge every learner to master complex ideas and to achieve to his or her full potential. Changing the world, one mind at a time.



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