



Elementary Accelerated Math Newsletter

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From Mrs. Schram...

Thank you for a wonderful turn out at open house! Please feel free to contact me at anytime. Email is best since I travel throughout the district.

Reminders...

- Parent conferences are November 18th and 19th (Unless scheduled otherwise).
- Please let me know if you are not receiving the daily emails for homework!
- Mrs. Schram will be available for students who need extra help per parent, teacher, or student request. Please email me for more information!

Websites...

<http://www.brainbashers.com/>

An exciting collection of brain teasers, puzzles, riddles, games and optical illusions.

<http://www.mathgoodies.com/students.html>

A great site for extra practice, problems, and challenges!

Textbook Access Code...

6th Grade Math News

We are currently working on statistics and graphing which includes creating, reading and interpreting graphs, as well as looking at the data (mean, median, mode and range).

We will also be beginning our first project. The "Survey Says" project is a project in which they create a survey, collect data and interpret the data. Past topics for the survey project include:

- "Should students under 12 be allowed on Facebook?"
- "Should children under 12 be allowed to stay home alone?"
- "Would you get the H1N1 flu vaccine?"
- Should the U.S. go to war with Iraq.

The topics are real world and relevant to the students which makes this project so enjoyable and rewarding for all!

Looking Ahead...Uh Oh! Here they come...we will be spending a lot of time on decimals and fractions. A very tough but rewarding area for many of the students.