



CEDAR MOUNTAIN PRIMARY SCHOOL  
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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Our district is continuing to use **Math in Focus** which is based on the concept that teaching math is a three step process from the concrete, to pictorial, and then to abstract. In addition, the new program emphasizes the importance of problem solving. We are inviting all kindergarten and first grade parents/guardians and students to come and participate in activities utilizing this approach on October 24, 2017, from 6:00 – 7:00 pm at Cedar Mountain Primary School.

The format of the evening will consist of a parent information session at the beginning of the evening while students are engaged in math activities. At the end of the informational session, parents will accompany their children to a designated classroom. If you would like to join us for the family math night, please go to the [vtsd.com](http://vtsd.com) website, click district, and under departments click math. From here, you will be able to find the registration link. If you do not have computer access and would like to register, please contact Laurie Nelson or Vinny Gagliostro at 973-764-5514. Registration will be open until October 19, 2017. If you should register and become unable to attend, please email [vtsdmath-coaches@googlegroups.com](mailto:vtsdmath-coaches@googlegroups.com).

Let's work together to foster a positive educational experience. We hope to see you on October 24<sup>th</sup> for an enjoyable and informational session!

Sincerely,

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