

## **MathCounts**

### **Students Served:**

All students in grades 7-8

### **Description:**

This math club is for serious lovers of the subject who like to think outside the box and compete against themselves and other students. They are taught shortcuts to algebra and geometry concepts in fun ways. They work both in groups and with partners with different types of math problems, especially with word problems.

### **Time Period:**

October through February

### **Practices:**

Practices are held during lunch once a week throughout the season. We participate in four math meets after school in the Fox Valley Junior Math League, and one meet all day on a Saturday at UWGB as official members of Mathcounts. Students may advance to state (held in Madison in March) if they score high enough at UWGB.

### **Contact:**

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