



Calling all *Mindsteins*.....

SFX Math Team needs you!

Students in grades 2-5 are invited to join the SFX Math Team to compete in the **Noetic Learning Math Contest**, a nationally acclaimed bi-annual competition. In the past four years, many SFX participants have received National Honor Roll as well as Honorable Mention recognition for their math scores, and we hope to continue on this path to success! The fall test will be November 12, 2015, and additional details are available at www.noetic-learning.com.

SFX Math Team is designed for students who have mastered basic math skills and concepts and who look for greater challenge beyond the regular curriculum. It is also for students who have an ambition to excel in math and to compete in contests. The SFX Math Team prepares students for these challenges by utilizing the following techniques:

- Developing and encouraging students' interest in math
- Promoting critical thinking while inspiring students to excel in math
- Teaching collaborative and individual approaches to solving challenging math problems

Details:

- Math Team will meet for ten weeks on Thursdays from 2:45-3:30pm beginning on September 10th.
- Math Team participants must sign and adhere to the SFX Math Team Student Code of Conduct. *Students who would like to participate must get the form from their math teacher and it will be collected by the coaches the first session of Math Team.*
- To sign your student up, please use the google form link in the eblast. A **\$75** fee for fall season will be billed to your FACTS account after the second session. **Optional:** for an additional \$25, you can purchase Noetic Math Challenge Learning (good for fall and spring seasons) to get the problems online. For scholarship information, please contact mary.harvey@sfxphx.org.

We hope you will consider this engaging program! If you are interested in getting involved or if you have any questions, please email kathy.valladao@sfxphx.org.