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Dear Parents,

MATHS BATTLES

RGS Maths Battles started in 2015 with the help of the “We Solve Problems” charity. There are a few extra places for RGS Maths Battles 2019/2020 and I invite your son to take part.

A Maths Battle is a Maths competition between two teams of students, where each team presents their solutions to the opposition who challenge their answers. The idea is similar to that of a sports team, and the Maths Battles teams compete regularly and train in between the competitions. A team can win by solving more problems and presenting their solutions successfully. This is a chance to develop problem-solving skills and apply knowledge and logic in unfamiliar situations. We also teach mathematical reasoning and how to prove mathematical statements.

To participate in Maths Battles your son will need to do an entrance test on **Friday 11th October** at 1.30 pm in Room 37.

Maths Circles runs every Wednesday from 3.45pm to 5.15pm in Room 37.

Maths Battles take place on the last Wednesday of each half term from 3.45-6.30pm.

The best students will have a chance to compete with other schools at University College London on 11th January and at another event in the Spring.

Kind regards

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