

GHS Math Club

Description: Math Club is a group of students from every grade, who enjoy math and competitions. Their goal is to prepare for the regional and state math contests each spring. Each student will compete in an individual event (Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, & Pre-Calculus) based on grade level. In addition students will compete in one or two team events (8-person team, 2-person team, calculator, & orals). The team consists of at least 6 students from each grade level. The club is open to all students.

Meetings (time, place, and duration): Mondays 2:50 – 3:30 p.m. in Room 236

Requirements for membership: All students in grades 9 – 12 who meet GHS eligibility requirements may join.

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Highlight activities: GHS has been very successful in the past 5 years by finishing 1st three years, 2nd once, and third once at regionals. Each of those five years, GHS has sent qualifying individuals and teams to the state competition at the University of Illinois. Our team has finished as high as 18th in a field of 65. In addition there have been individuals finishing in the top ten of an event in three of the past five years. Students meeting each Monday for math club enjoy eating cookies.