

Mathematics Knowledge Network Updates (June 2017)

Network Growth

The MKN has grown to include over 12 school districts, 13 universities, and 16 community organizations.

School District Partners

CSC Providence, GECDSB, HWDSB, LDSB, NNDSB, NCDSB, RDSB, TDSB, TCDSB, UGDSB, WCDSB, YRDSB

University Partners

Brock, Lakehead, Laurentian, Laurier, Nipissing, OISE, Ottawa, Queen's, Trent, UOIT, Western, Windsor, York

Community Organizations

AECEO, AFEMO, CMS, CPCO, FNMIEAO, KTEI, MLN, ML2N, Mushkegowuk Council, OAME, OECTA, OMCA, OPC, OSSTF, SWOAME, TVO



Sharing

- **OAME May 11-13:** Many MKN CoP members presented and an MKN flyer was distributed at the OAME resource table.
- Canadian Knowledge Mobilization Forum May 18: KNAER represented the MKN for the panel discussion with OME, KNAER, and KNSWB, and an MKN flyer was distributed at the KNAER resource table.
- Canadian Society for the Study of Education (CSSE) May 29: Panel discussion with OME, KNAER, and KNSWB.

MKN Website & TeachOntario

- You can find us at our **NEW URL**: <u>mathnetwork.ca</u>
- Our main page is now a blog page with weekly updates on CoPs and more. Stay informed of these updates by signing up for our <u>mailing list</u>.
- **Coming soon:** sharing/engaging with Ontario teachers (and beyond!) through online discussion groups at TeachOntario.ca



Communities of Practice Activities

At the first MKN Advisory Panel meeting on February 27 & 28, 2017, CoPs met and started planning for Year 1 (Nov 2016 – Aug 2017). To date, all MOUs, implementation plans, and budget plans have been approved for Year 1. CoP activities are now underway!









Computational Thinking

- 13-15 October 2017: Computational Thinking in Mathematics Education Symposium. Register <u>here</u>.
- Wellington CDSB is developing a Math + Computer Science Cohort in Grade 10.
- Updated math + coding documentary on symmetry as a transformation: Grades 2/3.
- New repeating patterns + coding lesson study documentary coming soon!

See their <u>page</u> for more information.



Math + coding by Grades 2/3 students at St. Andrews PS, TDSB.



Critical Transitions

- Online survey for kindergarten and Grade 1 teachers as well as ECEs.
- 17 August 2017: Kindergarten Forum for Action. Registration for faculty members <u>here</u>.
- 8 September 2017: Early Years Professional Learning Day. Stay tuned for more details.

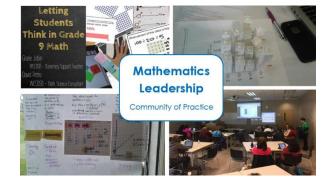
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Indigenous Knowledge in Mathematics Education

- <u>Surveys</u> targeting School Board Math Consultants/Coordinators, Math educators K-12 in provincial system, and Math educators in First Nations Schools.
- 27-29 June 2017: CoP planning meeting at Trent University.
- 28-29 October 2017: FNMIEAO Educator Conference. Details <u>here</u>.

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Mathematics Leadership

- Ongoing meetings with CoP partners.
- Collecting data related to educators' needs.
- Mathematics Leadership Network's (MLN) "Not a Book Study" complete.
- Partners are participating in Canada150 with <u>math challenges</u>.

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