



MoMath Public Programs

The Museum of Mathematics (MoMath) offers a wide variety of public programs for students, teachers, and the general public.

Math Encounters is a public presentation series that highlights the richness and diversity of mathematics. Mathematicians from academia and business lead fascinating, participatory hands-on presentations about surprising math encounters in everything from origami to the Simpsons. Visit mathencounters.org for upcoming talks and information.

The **Math Midway** has the fun feeling of a carnival. This 4,500-square-foot interactive, hands-on exhibition, which has been touring the U.S. since 2009, has demonstrated to thousands of people that math can be engaging, exciting and relevant. Young children have fun with the colorful and tactile exhibits, while older children and adults appreciate the creative nature of mathematics. Exhibits include the square-wheeled tricycle (also at the new Museum) and the “Ring of Fire” laser light. Visit mathmidway.org for more information and to see the *Math Midway* schedule.

Math Midway 2 Go is a more portable spin-off of the *Math Midway*, designed for use at smaller venues, such as schools and libraries. To learn more about *Math Midway 2 Go*, please visit mm2go.org.

The **MoMath Masters** is an annual tournament-themed competition for adults. (Think of this highly popular event as an “Extreme Math” contest where the public gets to face off against each other in open mathematical combat.) Contestants solve math problems at varied difficulty levels, and time is always of the essence. The second annual Masters Tournament will be February 26, 2013 at TriBeCa Rooftop. For more information visit masters.momath.org.

As seen in the New Yorker, MoMath offers custom math tours of any area in NYC and beyond. You name the starting and ending point, and MoMath will create a tour tailored to your group and location, showcasing the world around us through a mathematical lens.

MoMath hosts a series of middle school math tournaments in the NY metro area. These tournaments encourage math achievement, creative thinking and problem-solving while also capturing the social, cooperative side of mathematics. For more information, email tournament@momath.org.

MoMath also collaborates with Brookhaven National Laboratory to run a program for gifted math students on Long Island, NY. Interested students should first apply to the Institute for Creative Problem Solving in Westbury, NY.

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