

A FOCUS ON MATHEMATICS SEMINAR



MATHEMATICS THROUGH NUMBER TRICKS

This Focus on Mathematics seminar will demonstrate mathematically-based tricks and explore the algebra, number theory, and probability underlying them. More than just magic tricks, these activities offer important experiences for students to construct equations and develop algebraic reasoning. Join us for an afternoon of surprising card and number tricks and share some of these methods with your students.

Presenter:
Ann Halteman,
Chelsea Public
Schools

16	3	2	13
5	10	11	8
9	6	7	12
4	15	14	1



Albrecht Dürer's Magic Square

Teachers of all grade levels are encouraged to attend!

Date: Wednesday, December 3, 2008
Time: 3:00 – 6:00 p.m.
Location: CHELSEA HIGH SCHOOL
BLUE GYM (located on second floor)
299 Everett Avenue
Chelsea, MA 02150

For directions, visit <http://chs.chelseaschools.com/chs/about-chs/directions.htm>

Refreshments will be served from 3:00 to 3:20.
The seminar begins promptly at 3:30.

Deadline for registration is November 26 .
To register, please e-mail **Melody Hachey** at
mhachey@edc.org or call 617-618-2801

Focus on Mathematics is a unique partnership of mathematicians and educators from Boston University, Education Development Center, Inc., UMass Lowell, Lesley University, and five Greater Boston school districts: Arlington, Chelsea, Lawrence, Waltham, and Watertown. Focus on Mathematics is funded by the National Science Foundation under grant EHR 0314692. Any opinions, findings, and conclusions or recommendations expressed in these materials are those of the author(s) and do not necessarily reflect the views of the National Science Foundation.

