



Ascend Math News March 2021

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Student Spotlight

Now more than ever we would love to hear about your students' success as you move to remote learning! Tag us in a post on your favorite social media outlet and use #AscendStudentSpotlight to receive a set of Ascend Math pencils for your entire class! [#AscendStudentSpotlight](#)

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The Return of March Mathness!

March Mathness is here and we have created some fun math problems related to the NCAA March Madness Tournament Bracket to share with your students! We challenge you and your students to create and submit your own NCAA tournament themed math problem for a chance to win a \$50 Visa gift card!



- Use the [Ascend Math Graph Exploration](#) with your class to plot the distribution of team colors and mascots by referring to: [Why you should always pick blue and orange teams in the NCAA tournament](#) and [How to pick your NCAA tournament bracket based on team mascots](#)
- Submit a math problem related to the NCAA tournament. You could use the graph exploration, another Ascend Math resource or simply submit your own problem. Send your math problems to marchmath@ascendmath.com
- Every class submitting a math problem will be entered into our contest to win a \$50 Visa gift card. All entries will be featured on the [Ascend Math blog](#) with the name of your school and class

Follow us on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) to see fun March Mathness posts!



Gold Medal Award Nominees

Congratulations to the following Gold Medal Nominees. It's not too late to submit your classroom, school, or district before the April 16th deadline. [Submit Your Nomination](#)



Yeshiva Middle School, FL
Lakeside Christian School, FL
Roseville High School, MI
Ozark Middle School, MO
Huston Academy, TX
McCulloch Junior High School, IN
Austin Area Schools, PA
Stephens County Middle School, GA
Leonard Elementary School, TX
Johnsburg Elementary School, IL
Five Points Elementary School, OH
Garland McMeans Junior High School, TX
Patricia Paetow High School, TX
Stockdick Junior High School, TX
Thorndale Middle School, TX
Oglethorpe Charter School, GA
Truth or Consequences Middle School, NM



Model Educators & Model Schools

[Click here](#) to view the list of Ascend Math Model Educators and Model Schools and learn how you can apply!

Falmouth Middle School, ME
Niles North High School, IL
Armuchee Middle School, GA
The Columbus School, Columbia
Kilgore ISD, TX

Partner School of the Month

Congratulations to **Sankofa Freedom Academy Charter School** in Philadelphia, PA, our March *Partner School of the Month*! Students at Sankofa Freedom Academy have completed over 725 objectives and over 6% have completed one or more levels in Ascend Math during the 2020-21 school year!



“The Sankofa Freedom Academy Charter School community is dedicated to developing good habits of the mind, body, and spirit. We are committed to meeting the needs of every child that walks through our doors.”

-Jan Washington, Upper School Coordinator

Reel Success Winners

[The winners have been chosen!](#)



First Place Winner (*New 3D Printer*)



Delta Middle School
Delta, OH

Second Place Winner (*\$100 Amazon Gift Card*)



Irvin C. Mollison
Elementary School
Chicago, IL

Third Place Winner (\$50 Amazon Gift Card)



Crosby Middle School
Crosby, TX

Congratulations and thank you to all of those who participated and submitted videos. We loved hearing from you and your students!



Tip of the Month



Would you like to see the progress your students have made? Do you have questions about reports in Ascend Math? Now that your students have been working several months, it is a great time to schedule a data review. Feel free to contact your local representative to schedule a convenient date and time or let us know by replying to this newsletter.



Share Your Success!



Share your students' success with us! Tweet with the hashtag #AscendStudentSpotlight and tag @AscendEducation to receive Ascend Math pencils for your entire class!



6 Things You Need to Know

You can find helpful tips in getting started by viewing the Six Things You Need to Know. Once you are signed into Ascend Math, click on the Administration tab, then select the Six Things You Need to Know link. You will find information grouped by subject. Click a subject bar to find out more.



Tell-A-Friend



Want a cool, new t-shirt? We would love to help the students of your friends or fellow educators! Visit our [website](#) to share their contact information with us and we'll send you an "I Teach Extraordinary Kids" t-shirt as our gift to you.



Do you have teachers new to Ascend Math? Consider a [Quick Start Training](#).

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