
Math Biography

What do you think helps you to learn math best: circle **all** that apply:

- a. Teacher explanation for whole class
- b. Working in small groups or pairs
- c. Using the text book/worksheets
- d. Using manipulatives (blocks, fraction circles, etc.)
- e. Using drawings, pictures or models
- f. Receiving one-on-one help
- g. Solving problems
- h. Playing math games
- i. Learning about math is used in the 'real world'
- j. Other: _____

1. Describe some things that teachers have done, or class activities, or settings that have really helped you to learn math in the past (no need to use any teacher names):

2. Describe some things that teachers have done, or class activities, or settings that negatively affected your ability to learn math in the past (no need to use any teacher names):

3. What topics or parts of math do you like best?

4. What topics or parts of math do you dislike the most?

5. What are your goals for this year's math class?

6. Please write anything else I should know about you as a math learner for this year:

7. On a scale of 1-10, rate yourself in MATH on:

Your confidence: _____ How much you like it: _____ Your ability: _____