

Year 2/3 pupils – Minecraft Maths

Date of course	Times	Venue	Cost	Max. places	Subject
Thursday 6 th February 2025	9.30am – 3.00pm	Braeside Education Centre	£60	16	Numeracy AGAT

Course details

Calling all Minecraft-loving mathematicians! Unleash your inner adventurer with our exciting range of mathematical activities, based upon the block-related brilliance that we have all come to know and love.

You will learn how to crack secret codes, solve number problems and complete colourful calculation mosaics of some of your favourite Minecraft characters. As the day progresses, we will use our exciting theme to explore and develop geometrical concepts such as position, direction, co-ordinates and symmetry.

You will meet new friends and work collaboratively and creatively in small teams to solve challenges and earn all-important team points... What do points mean? PRIZES!

Guidance criteria for identifying participants:

- Pupils should be keen and able mathematicians.
- Pupils should demonstrate good problem-solving skills and a 'can do' approach to new challenges.
- Pupils should enjoy a wide range of Maths activities.

Course Tutor

Louise Lawrence graduated from the University of the West of England in 2002, with a BA honours degree in Primary Teaching. Her extensive work as a teacher in a range of settings has seen her teach gifted and talented pupils aged 4 to 11. Louise is an incredibly adaptable teacher. She is passionate about all aspects of teaching and learning and has branched out to fulfil the roles of Early Years Practitioner, one-to-one tutor, secondary language teacher and youth worker. She is also a children's rugby coach. Louise thrives upon the opportunity to use Mathematics as a means of introducing pupils to concepts, skills and thinking strategies that are essential in day-to-day life. Seeing children delight in using Mathematics to solve a problem is one of the things that really makes her tick!

As a result of coming on the course you will have:

- worked collaboratively with others
- put your problem-solving skills to the test
- developed your knowledge of shape, position and direction
- received a personalised course certificate to treasure
- HAD FUN!

Students should bring:

- a notebook/pad and pen/pencil
- coloured pens/pencils
- a water bottle
- clothing that is suitable for outdoor break times

Lunch and refreshments are provided.

School uniform is not required. Minecraft-related attire is not required but will nevertheless be applauded!

No mobile phones.