

This document is intended to ensure that parents have read and understood the information regarding the use of an online program, called Mathletics, used by School District 81 and to:

- 1) notify them of the consequences of using Mathletics; and
- provide the consent necessary to allow children to use this software.

A new learning tool, called Mathletics, is being used by School District 81 to help students enjoy math and improve their math skills. This is an online program that students can access at home and at school. The Mathletics program resides on a website managed by 3plearning.

The issue is that the location of the 3plearning server is outside of Canada and there is a concern regarding providing personal information about students that will be subject to foreign laws and regulations, including the US Patriot Act. To register for this program, students' names and grades are provided to 3plearning. This information is used to correctly identify each student, and to manage his or her account. While online, students may be identified by their first name, initial of their last name and their school. However, in using this program, students are not able to communicate directly with each other, nor are there any chat rooms connected with the learning resources. At all times, students are engaged in a meaningful educational activity within a secure environment. If a student is required to change their password or has account issues, it is dealt with through the teacher, not between the student and 3plearning.

I, _________(print name) have read and understand the attached information in regard to Mathletics and give consent for my child, _________to use Mathletics for educational purposes.

Please call your child's school if you have any questions.

