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Attention: Head of Mathematics Department

Dear Colleague,

## **Mathematics Enrichment Classes - 2017**

Since 1998 the Department of Mathematics and Statistics of Curtin University has successfully run a Mathematics Enrichment program for Years 5 – 11 students. I am writing to let you know that we will be running the program again in 2017, and to ask you to pass on the enclosed information to parents perhaps through a notice in your newsletter with a web link. The web address for further information is <a href="http://scieng.curtin.edu.au/science/mathematics-and-statistics/mathematics-enrichment-classes/">http://scieng.curtin.edu.au/science/mathematics-and-statistics/mathematics-enrichment-classes/</a>
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The topics covered by the program will be selected to complement the school curriculum and to challenge students with some non-standard problems. The course presenters will be drawn from the WA mathematical community. The classes will run in second and third terms as scheduled in the attached letter for parents.

The classes are intended for able, but not necessarily brilliant students. However, we point out that the program is not intended for weak students who need remedial studies. There will be some overlap with the mathematics covered at school but in general we intend to cover topics which are new to the students.

There will be 16 weekly sessions held at the Curtin University campus in Bentley. The cost for two terms will be \$330.00 per student (including GST). A further 10% discount applies for additional enrolments from the same family. Places are limited and early applications will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis. Students who participated in the 2016 program have already been invited to apply for 2017. All applicants will be informed in writing about the outcome of their applications, and of the time and venue of the classes.

Applications are available on our website at <a href="http://scieng.curtin.edu.au/science/mathematics-and-statistics/mathematics-enrichment-classes/">http://scieng.curtin.edu.au/science/mathematics-and-statistics/mathematics-enrichment-classes/</a> and I have included a copy should you wish to make them available to suitable students. The closing date for enrolment is Friday 14th April, 2017.

Yours sincerely.

Lou Caccetta

Professor Louis Caccetta Course Director Mathematics Enrichment Program



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Year 5	Tuesday Friday	4.00 – 5.00pm OR 4.00 – 5.00pm
Year 6	Monday* Thursday	4.00 – 5.00pm OR 5.00 – 6.00pm
Year 7	Monday* Thursday	5.00 – 6.00pm OR 4.00 – 5.00pm
Year 8	Friday	4.00 – 5.00pm
Year 9	Friday	5.00 – 6.00pm
Year 10/11	Wednesday	5.00 – 6.00pm

<sup>\*</sup> Monday Classes will finish a week later in Term 2 in view of public holiday (Western Australia Day) on Monday 05<sup>th</sup> June 2017. There will be no classes on the public holiday. The last Monday classes for Term 2 will end on the Monday, 26<sup>th</sup> June 2017.



## **Mathematics Enrichment Classes 2017**

Application for New Enrolment

Registration Fee	\$300.00 + 30.00 * \$330.00 (10% GST)	This fee is for the 16 week course and is <i>non-refundable</i> once classes start.		
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Payment mad	de online via:			
https://payme	ents.curtin.edu.au/SAE_MATH_2017	Receipt No:		
Please <b>send your application form</b> to the below address after making the payment or via email to <b>MATHSAdmin@curtin.edu.au</b> :				
	Mathematics and Statistics Curtin University GPO Box U1987 PERTH 6845			
NOTE: Applications without payment will not be accepted. All application forms have to be submitted to the Department of Mathematics and Statistics with a proof of online payment (Receipt Number).				
Student's Name:	(Given Name) (Surn	ame)		
Address:				
		Post Code:		
Phone Number:	Mobile:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
Email:				
School:				
Current Year at S	chool in 2017:			
	ted: Day:			
*We reserve the right to cancel or merge classes should numbers be inadequate*				
Parents Signature	:			
Parents Name: Date:	(Please Print)			

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