

# **March eNews**

# **President's Blog**

Our President's, Dr Colin Foster's, **blog**, aiming to address issues of interest and relevance across the entire range of mathematics, from early years to university, has reached its final three posts, which will appear in March:

- 2 March: Are probabilities and inequalities approximate?
- 16 March: Crocodiles and inequality signs
- 30 March: Teaching specific strategies for problem solving

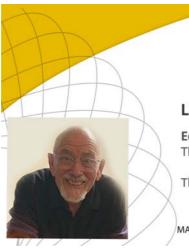
The blog is at

https://blog.foster77.co.uk. Do take a look at these final posts and follow Colin on

Twitter: @colinfoster77



#### Register for Dr Colin Foster's blog





## **LIVE WEBINAR**

**Equals Webinar Series:**The Root of Maths with Les Staves

Thursday 2 March | 16:00

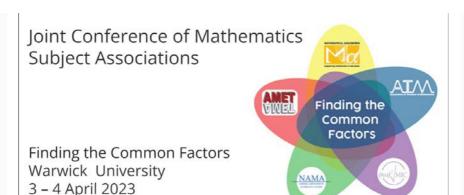
MA Members are FREE, non members £6.

We have a fantastic webinar from our Equals Online team this month. **Les Staves** will be presenting 'The Root of Maths'.

This webinar will delve into the relevance and roots of mathematics for children with very special needs.

When: Thursday 2nd March 2023 at 16:00 Price: MA members FREE / Non members £6

#### **Book your place**



# Join us for Dr Colin Foster's Presidential Address 'Less is More!' on Tuesday 4th April 2023 at 3.30pm!

In this talk **Dr Colin Foster** will highlight seven aspects of teaching mathematics in which '**doing less**' might be advantageous. He will suggest how these seven ways of '**improving by removing**' can benefit both the learners and their busy, hardworking teachers.

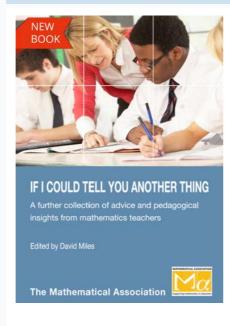
Visit the  ${\it conference website}$  for more information. For any queries about conference please do not hesitate to  ${\it contact us}$ 

**Book your place** 

# **London Mathematical Society Bursaries**

The MA is pleased to announce that a limited number of bursaries are available to cover full attendance at the joint conference. Apply by **24th March 2023** to secure your application - don't miss out.

Find out how to apply



#### If I Could Tell You Another Thing - David Miles

'If I could tell you another thing' is the eagerly anticipated sequel to our popular 2022 publication 'If I could tell you one thing'. For this companion volume, chapters have been commissioned from an entirely different group of mathematics educators who have collectively accumulated hundreds of years of professional expertise in secondary and post-16 settings.

Early career teachers will find the wisdom and guidance shared here of enormous value but more experienced colleagues will also discover plenty to appreciate, consider and implement in their own classrooms.

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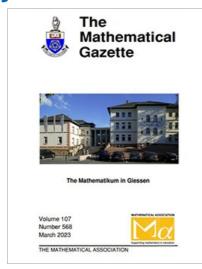
# **First Mathematics Challenge 2023**

We are pleased to announce you can now register for the **First Mathematics Challenge**, taking place between **12th - 23rd June 2023**!

The challenge is specifically created to give all pupils, UK and worldwide aged between **7 and 9**, the opportunity to take part in a fun mathematical challenge and provides an entertaining yet educational ending to the school year.

Register now

# Journals now available





Log in to read the latest journals



# **Renew your Membership**

Don't forget to renew your personal membership for 2023, Renew before 13th March to vote at the AGM. Simply log on to the **member's area** and renew your membership today!



#### Join us for our open day this Saturday 4th March 2023!

Come and browse our collection of journals, books and materials which we have accumulated over the years, and for a donation you can help yourself with all proceeds going towards maintaining the MA Library!

When: Saturday 4th March 2023 from 12 - 3pm Where: 259 London Road, Leicester, LE2 3BE

Open to all members and anyone with an interest in mathematics. If you have an enquiry or would like further information, please contact us by **email**.

# MA BRANCHES



# FOR LOCAL ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS IN YOUR AREA

#### **Branch event information**

### **Cambridge**

Join the NRICH Team

When: 14 March 2023 from 16.30 -

18.00

**Where:** Centre for Mathematical Sciences, Wilberforce Rd, Cambridge CB3 0WA

#### Leicester

Maths CPD Opportunity : MA/ATM East Midlands

**When:** 25 March 2023 from 9.30 - 12.30

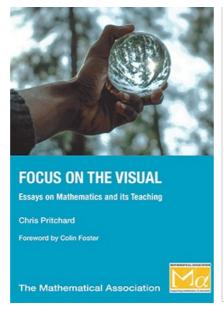
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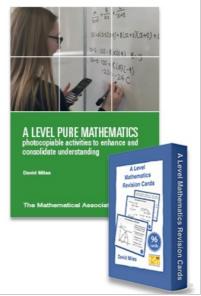
**Where:** School of Museum Studies Building, 19 University Road, Leicester, LE1 7RF

#### **Branch event information**

## **MA SHOP**

We have a vast range of books and resources available for you to purchase from our shop. Log in to receive 30% discount as a member of the MA.





## **Focus on the Visual Chris Pritchard**

Written during his term as President of the Mathematical Association, this collection of essays by Chris Pritchard emphasises the need for us mathematics A level. to focus on the visual.

**Buy now!** 

## **A Level Resources David Miles**

These A Level resources are designed to enhance and consolidate understanding of the reformed

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# Remembering **David Singmaster**

The Mathematical Association is



sadden to learn of the passing of David Singmaster on Monday, 13th February, after a long illness.

Read full article

# **Mathematics Teacher Training Scholarships**

Back for an eleventh year, the Mathematics Teacher Training Scholarships has **270 Maths Scholarships** to award to those starting their initial teacher training in 2023/24, who have a passion for mathematics and want to share their knowledge with others – inspiring young minds in the classroom. **Applications open 9th January - 3rd July 2023.** 

**Find out more** 



# Get ready for Maths Week London 2023

Maths Week London's mission is to ignite a love of maths in children across the capital. Numeracy is a vital skill and we believe it can and should be enjoyable, relatable and accessible.

We are delighted to be supporting Maths Week London, taking place 26 June - 30 June 2023.

Register now

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