

## Maverick Math Details and Rules

1. Worksheets will be available for download from the PTA website ([www.iespta.org](http://www.iespta.org)) beginning Friday, October 9th. A hard copy will be available in the front office on Monday, October 12th for you to come in and pick up. We encourage you to download the worksheet each week and print from home. **Your child will receive 1 bonus point for each sheet, if you download & print from the website at home.**
2. **Worksheets are due Friday mornings before 8:30 a.m. or 12:30 p.m. for afternoon Kindergarten.** The students should insert the completed worksheets into the Maverick Math box located in front of the library. Although the worksheets may be turned in early, they **WILL NOT** be accepted after the above times.
3. Once turned in, the students cannot get the worksheets back to make changes.
4. The worksheets are to be completed at home, not in the classroom. The teachers' involvement is limited to ensuring that the worksheets contain problems related to their curriculum. They will not be teaching with the worksheets in the classrooms. **Teachers will not turn worksheets in or send them home for students.**
5. Students are encouraged to work independently. However, parents may assist by reading the problem to the student and explaining new words. If the student needs more help, the parents should explain the nature of the problem and demonstrate a similar problem. The actual problem should be **COMPLETED ONLY BY THE STUDENT.**
6. **Each week a student may earn up to 21 points, including one point for their FULL name, one point for their teacher's name, one point for printing the worksheet from the website ([www.iespta.org](http://www.iespta.org))** and up to 18 points for the math problems. Each problem is worth varying point levels. Some problems are given one point for showing work and another point for the correct answer.
7. It is normal for a child NOT to be able to complete every problem each week. The process of reading, understanding, and approaching the problems is a valuable step in the solving of many types of problems. Remind your child that he or she is not expected to know the answers to every problem.
8. Individual scores will be posted by class on the Maverick Math Wall by Wednesday of each week. Classroom totals will be posted on the website. Graded worksheets will be sent home in the student's take-home folder the following week. If you feel an error has been made, please use the Maverick Math Request Form (one is included in this packet, more can be found online). Complete the form, attach it to the worksheet and place in the Maverick Math Box for further review. **Please keep every worksheet for your records.**
9. Students will accrue points for the duration of the program and be eligible for some fun prizes at the end of the program! **Students who complete all 12 weeks will be invited to the awards ceremony in the spring.**
10. **Maverick Math is a PTA sponsored program, all students whose parents/guardian join PTA will receive 5 bonus points.** If you would like to join PTA, please go to the PTA website at [www.iespta.org](http://www.iespta.org) for information.
11. If you have any questions, please contact the Maverick Math Team at [robynhowarth@iespta.org](mailto:robynhowarth@iespta.org)
12. The PTA website is [www.iespta.org](http://www.iespta.org)
13. Maverick Math is not a requirement but is a positive, fun and rewarding program.