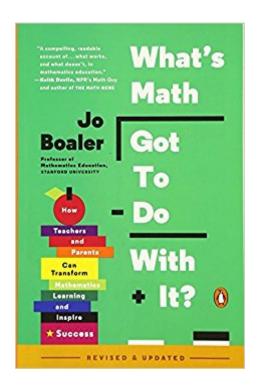


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# What's Math Got To Do With It?: How Teachers And Parents Can Transform Mathematics Learning And Inspire Success





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seven books and numerous research articles, she serves as an advisor to several Silicon Valley companies and is a White House presenter on girls and STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math). She recently formed youcubed.org to give teachers and parents the resources and ideas they need to inspire and excite students about mathematics.

I am a math teacher who has abandoned the school system and tutors now. Jo Boaler has all the right ideas on how to excite students and turn them into thinkers instead of test performers who really don't learn anything. Students should love math, problem solving and exploration. Sadly, the school system in the US is not going to change anytime soon, so we parents, grandparents and tutors will have to carry the load for those we can help. This book is great in helping people understand why we want to change the way math is taught and how to start doing that. Also visit Jo's website for more ideas

I love the philosophy and perspective of this book. I only wish it would have outlined specific ways to teach in this way because it isn't easy, especially if your district requires you to follow a tightly paced "basal" math program (although her Stanford website is working on this). Jo Boaler writes with passion without talking down to teachers who have never thought or known how to teach a different way. Lots of research quoted. Worth a read.

Great read and gives me hope that my children will receive better math teaching than what Americans have historically received. Quick read that helps explain how math teaching in the U.S. can be greatly improved. It seems like Jo Boaler's You Cubed organization is picking up steam and will soon revolutionize math education in our country.

Especially a must read for parents! This is a revolutionary approach to teaching and learning math. Math is not only about calculations, but also about creativity. Would like to stretch that Boaler is not the first one who tries to improve math understanding: Silvanus Thompson, Polya, Paul Lockhart and others contributed as well. Jo Boaler should be a mandatory text before doing any math.

Absolutely great book! I read this book every summer before starting a new school year. Boaler has great information in this book and it is written in a way that keeps your attention (and that comes from someone who is not much of a reader). It pertains mainly to math teachers, but is also a great read for teacher of other subjects as well.

I would recommend this book to ANY teacher or parent. It is an excellent resource that will surely revolutionize the way that you teach maths. We teachers owe it to not only our students, but also to our country to produce the highest quality of learners who think conceptually and have a growth mindset. Our only limitation is the one we set for ourselves!

Great book on making math relevant for your students.

Excellent book. As a parent I found the book easy to read and very useful. Have not read the old edition so cannot compare it. Highlights: growth mind-set, number sense, concepts vs memorization, puzzles. Highly recommend it to all parents, especially parents/moms who perceive themselves as "not a math person". It will hopefully transform your view of math and help open doors for your child as they learn math.

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