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Good morning! It's Irene Qiu from 731 and I'm here this Thoughtful Thursday on behalf of the S.E.A.L Team.

Math. The language of the universe. It plays a crucial role in understanding other subjects such as science, social studies, and sometimes even art! That's why today is national Mathematics day! Mathematics day is on December 22 because it is the birthday of the most respected mathematician Srinivasa Ramanujan. Born in 1887 he spent most of his life under British rule in India. Despite not having proper training in mathematics, he still made some of the most significant contributions to math EVER! This just goes to show, if you work hard you can do anything!

Here are some fun math jokes to start the day.

- **What shape is usually waiting for you inside a Starbucks?** A line.
- **I saw my math teacher with a piece of graph paper yesterday.** I think he must be plotting something.
- **Why did the mathematician spill all of his food in the oven?** The directions said, "Put it in the oven at 180° ".

Thanks for listening have a Transformational Thursday 😊

SEAL Team pledge:

We are the Dyker S.E.A.L. Team

Positivity is our dream

We teach it every day

To help others live the optimistic way

We learn to control our emotions and feelings

So, we always have effective social dealings

No stone left unturned; no person left behind

Every member of our team has the power to be kind

We spread kindness to our friends, families, and those who need a smile

When facing hardships and adversity, the S.E.A.L. Team goes the extra mile

