



California State University, Fresno
DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

2017 Sonia Kovalevsky Mathematics Day

A Fun Math Day For Girls in Grades 7-12

Saturday, February 25, 2017

9:00 am - 3:30 pm

University Business Center

Immerse Yourself in the Playful Side of Math!
Fun + Free + Prizes! Lunch provided.

The Department of Mathematics at Fresno State invites high school and middle school female students, their teachers, and their parents or guardians to a daylong program featuring fun and interactive mathematics activities, talks, and career panel discussions. The event is designed to nurture and inspire girls to recognize their potential and pursue opportunities in mathematics and related fields. Individuals or schools planning to attend should pre-register by February 15, 2017.

A link to the registration page and more information can be found at:

www.fresnostate.edu/csm/math/activities-and-events/news-and-events/kovalevsky.html

Sonia Kovalevsky was a renowned mathematician, writer, and advocate of women's rights in the 19th century. She was the first woman to receive a Ph.D. in mathematics, and a role model for other women in mathematics. It was her enthusiasm and struggle to receive the best education available that began to open doors at universities to women. Come celebrate women in mathematics!

For questions, or if you need a disability-related accommodation or wheelchair access information, please contact the coordinator, Dr. Carmen Caprau at 559.278.4996 or ccaprau@csufresno.edu.

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