



Waterloo Wayside Centre

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are very excited to open registration for the **Waterloo Wayside After-School JUMP Math Program!** Waterloo Wayside, a secular, registered Canadian charity, is a community-run initiative that brings together local gifts and talents, empowering community members through mutual contribution.

The JUMP Math & Cooking Club programs are designed to empower students through practical math support, culinary confidence, and community mentorship. Our goal is to develop your child's interest in math by making lessons engaging and accessible. The program is generously supported by local foundations (Astley Family Foundation and Lyle S. Hallman Foundation), tech community volunteers, UW and WLU students, and the Conestoga College Culinary program.

Program Overview:

Who: MacGregor Senior Public School students in Grades 7 & 8

What we offer:

- **JUMP Math Tutoring:** In addition to **daily homework support**, we support math learning through this evidence-based program designed to **build student confidence**. Whether your child needs step-by-step support to overcome math anxiety or engaging challenges to dive deeper, our team would tailor support to their strengths and needs. All team members go through comprehensive background checks and we maintain **small group sizes** to maximize individual attention
- **Cooking Club:** We connect their math learning with **practical, hands-on culinary skills** taught by student instructors from the Culinary Arts Program at Conestoga College, bringing professional kitchen expertise, nutrition knowledge, and food safety standards.

Cost: **Free of charge** to all families (all learning materials, food, and equipment are provided)

Location: This program runs at Emmanuel United Church, located at 22 Bridgeport Rd West, Waterloo, ON.

Duration: This program runs in alignment with the school calendar (Oct 2026 - June 2027).

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Schedule & Transportation:

- **Mondays:** 3:30 PM - 5:30 PM (JUMP Math + Cooking Club)
- **Thursdays:** 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM (JUMP Math only).
- **Walking School Bus:** Volunteers will safely walk students over from MacGregor at 2:50 PM dismissal. Families can register for Mondays, Thursdays, or both (registration for both days is encouraged)

Please fill out this [registration form and waiver](#) to sign up your child.

For more information about our program, please visit <https://waterloowayside.org/after-school-jump-math-program/>. For more information about JUMP Math, please visit <https://jumpmath.org/ca/about/>

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