



VCTM 2017 Math Beauty Contest Problem for Grades 3 – 5

SOL: 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 4.4, 5.4

John's family had a birthday party for him at a pizza restaurant. There were 14 people at the party. Each person got 3 pieces of pizza. His parents ordered 6 pizzas. Each pizza had 8 slices. Each person ate their 3 pieces of pizza.

How many slices of pizza were left for John's family to take home with them?

We look forward to your entry. **Be sure to include a paragraph that fully explains your thinking and problem solving strategies.**

Remember to attach two 3" X 5" index cards to your entry with your name, address, phone, E-mail (if you have one), school name, school address, school phone and grade level on them. Also write this information on your actual entry. **It must be postmarked by March 25, 2017.**

Mail your complete entry to:

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See the Official Rules for complete details.