

**University of Kent Royal Institution
Online Mathematics Masterclasses for Year 12**

**Held at 10:15-12:00 on
Saturday 25th January, 1st February and 8th February 2025**

The school has been asked to nominate a selection of students in year 12 for the above Royal Institution (Ri) Masterclasses in Mathematics, delivered online via Zoom. This is a great opportunity, and we'd like to nominate your child.

Ri Online Mathematics Masterclasses are a series of workshops which are led by experts; academics from the University of Kent will be speaking on topics in which they are at the forefront of current research. Masterclasses offer students in-depth investigations of topics in mathematics combining theory with interactive exploration. We will open their eyes to the world of maths and hope to inspire them to continue their engagement with the subject for a long time to come. For more information, visit the Royal Institution website: <https://www.rigb.org/learning/ri-masterclasses> and also <https://blogs.kent.ac.uk/maths-masterclasses>

The Masterclasses will be delivered online via Zoom – students will need to be able to access Zoom for each session through a parent or carer's account. Masterclasses are an interactive experience: a mix of expert lectures and problem-solving in breakout rooms.

What happens next? If your child would like to take part, I need your permission to pass you and your child's name and your contact details to the Ri Masterclass organisers (who ideally require two modes of contact – email and phone number). The University of Kent will then contact you with more information and booking procedure if your child is selected to take part (places are not guaranteed). Please ensure I have the correct contact details to pass on – these should be a parent/carer's contact details, not a student's.

Privacy policies: <https://www.rigb.org/home/privacy-policy> and <https://media.www.kent.ac.uk/se/40081/UniversityofKentPrivacyNoticeOutreachEvents.pdf>

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Please ask your child's teacher how they would like this information returned to them – for example, via email:

I, _____ (your name),

am the parent/carer of _____ (child's name)

and I give permission for our names and my email address and phone number (below) to be passed to the Ri and Masterclass organisers at the University of Kent so they can contact me about Ri Masterclasses.

Parent/carer email address: _____

Retype email: _____

Parent/carer phone number: _____