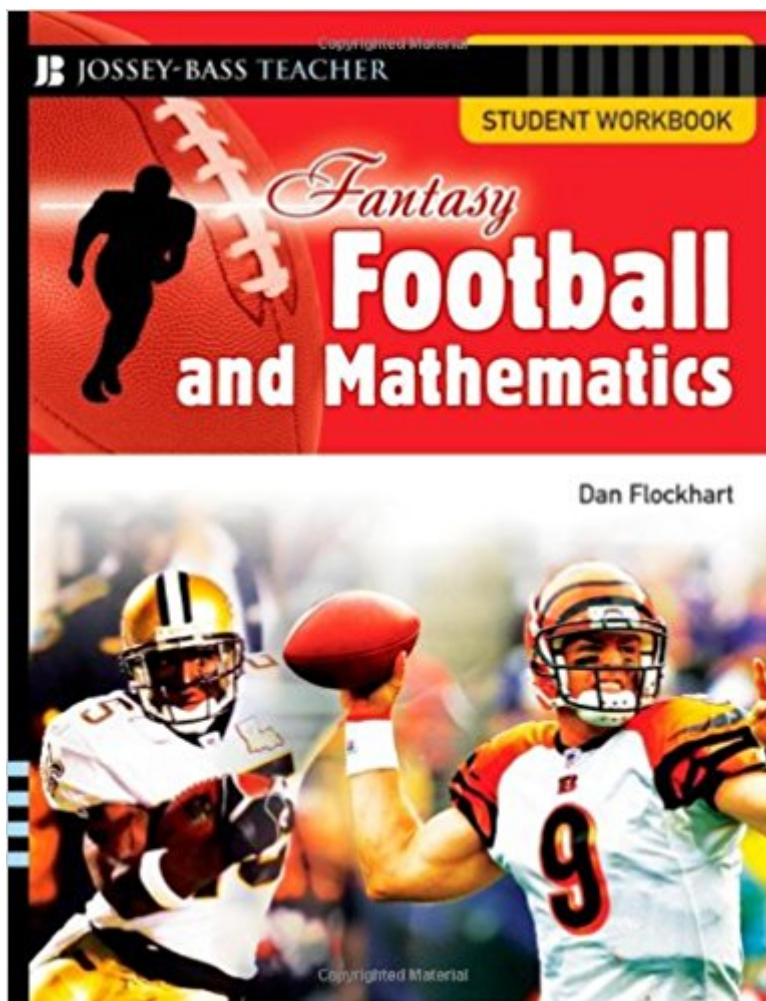


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Fantasy Football And Mathematics: Student Workbook



Synopsis

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Customer Reviews

"Teachers who are seeking to find ways to engage and motivate their students through sports, particularly baseball, would be well served by this resource book." (Education Review, May 2007)

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I apologize to the creators for the mediocre review, but this program, which sounded like so much fun as a supplement to homeschool math, turned out to be far more complicated than I expected. I used it with my 13-year-old son, who was in honors math last year, and he really couldn't figure it out; neither could I, even with the teacher's manual. I think this book and program would most likely work well with a skilled math teacher who is well-versed in explaining concepts to kids and is enthusiastic about the material. For someone of middling math skills and no background knowledge about football scoring, it's very hard to "just figure out." After several weeks of confusion and struggle, we were so far behind that we gave up. I understand this is user error (i.e., I'm not smart enough to make it work), which is why my star rating doesn't slam the product. Rather, it's supposed to give others a heads-up that if you think this will be fun student-directed learning, you probably want to take a look at the book in-person before you buy the program.

Dan did a great job in creating a comprehensive guide to incorporating foundational mathematics into an easy to use as well as instruct workbook. He also has included several different ideas that stem from the data collection of the players stats that a teacher can use throughout the week. I teach at a Community Day School and have all of my students work on their foundational math skills (i.e. decimals, percentages and fractions) with this curriculum.

This book has been useful for a number of youth that I work with. While they enjoy Football, they don't understand fantasy football and could use some help with their math. It takes a number of

math concepts and assist in their learning.

Highly recommended to help student learn math.

I'm using this with my 6th grade elective math. LOVE IT! Highly recommended. The book is very detailed and presents all concepts of mathematics in a fun application.

My grandson, age 13, seems very happy with it so far. But, since football season is about over, it is hard to know just how much use it will actually be.

This book is strictly for young students. Also, with the advent of online Fantasy sports, the lesson plans would not be tolerated by older students

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