

WHY THE MUFFINS?

- IF YOU FEED THEM, THEY WILL COME.
- MANY FAMILIES ARE ALREADY AT SCHOOL TO DROP OFF STUDENTS.
- BECAUSE STUDENTS ARE BEGINNING CLASSES, PARENTS ARE FREE TO FOCUS ON THEIR OWN LEARNING AND SOCIALIZING WHICH CAN LEAD TO AN ONGOING COMMUNITY OF LEARNERS.

IT TAKES A VILLAGE

- SOLICIT PTA OR DONATIONS FOR MATERIALS AND FOOD
- GET COLLEAGUES ON BOARD
- PARTNER WITH ESL DEPARTMENT AND/OR LOCAL OUTREACH PROGRAMS TO ADVERTISE AND TRANSLATE
- REACH OUT TO MARGINALIZED FAMILIES WITH PERSONAL INVITATIONS
- FIND THE "SOCIAL BUTTERFLY" OF COMMUNITY CLIQUES

What barriers can you overcome?

GIVE AWAY SOME SWAG

- SIMPLE MATERIALS AND SIMPLE DIRECTIONS
- MAKE-IT, TAKE-IT ACTIVITIES
- DICE AND CARD GAMES
- HANDOUTS WITH TRANSLATED DIRECTIONS

KICK IT UP A NOTCH

- JOIN A LOCAL MATH TEACHERS' CIRCLE
- FORM MATH FAMILY CIRCLES OR MATH COMMUNITY CIRCLES
- ENCOURAGE AND HELP TRANSLATE MULTI-LINGUAL PARTNERSHIPS
- EXTEND TO FAMILY MATH GAME NIGHT

What is possible?