**What is vedic maths all about?**

**A beginner’s guide**

What is Vedic maths all about? This Indian system of mathematics makes learning maths simpler, easier, and faster. This system of mathematics was invented in India and exists from the vedic period.

Vedic mathematics was rediscovered from vedas between 1911 and 1918 by Sri Bharathi krsna Tirthaji. According to him all mathematics is based on **sixteen sutras** or formulae. These formula can be mentally carried out and also be done by writing it down. There is no one perfect way to solve a problem, students can invent number of ways to find the solution. But by following these formulae children find maths to be exciting and enjoying. This is one of the best ways to tap the right side brain.

For example dividing a 6 digit number may take a few minutes in the normal way, by using the techniques given in vedic maths it is just a matter of few seconds.

Now let us see **who all can learn vedic maths**. Everyone who loves maths and has a passion for maths can learn this. But mastering it requires practice, practice and practice.

As far as children are concerned, they should have a basic knowedge of maths. Students who know basic addition. subtraction, multiplication, times tables and division can learn this in no time. Even children in 1 and 2nd grade can use this method for basic calculation.