

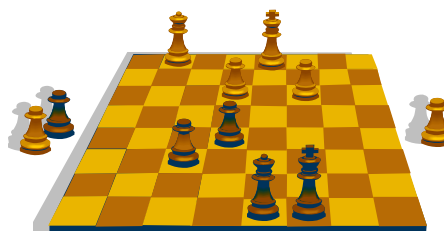
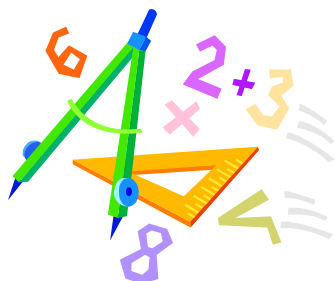
# STUDYGASCAR

Math + Chess = Success

12306 Saratoga-Sunnyvale Road, Saratoga, CA 95070

408.873.8429 office

[www.studygascar.com](http://www.studygascar.com) • [info@studygascar.com](mailto:info@studygascar.com)



## Chess Players in Top 100 in USA

Studygascar Math and Chess Learning Center congratulates the following chess players who made it into top 100 in USA in their age groups on August 2017 USA Top Chess Players Lists. (Note that the USCF ratings are from August Top Chess Players Lists; current USCF ratings for the same players might be different):

### 7 and under (Combined List)

Omya Vidyarthi – #25, rated 1328

Rohan Rajaram – #47, rated 1213

### 7 and under (Girls Only List)

Omya Vidyarthi – #3, rated 1328

### 8 and under (Combined List)

Anika Rajaram – #31, rated 1525

### 8 and under (Girls Only List)

Anika Rajaram – #3, rated 1525

### 10 and under (Combined List)

**Vyom Vidyarthi – #15, rated 1973**

**Rui Yang (Jessie) Yan – #16, rated 1966**

### 10 and under (Girls Only List)

**Rui Yang (Jessie) Yan – #1, rated 1966**

### 11 and under (Combined List)

**Andrew Peng – #39, rated 1863**

**Dhruva Bhagwat - #86, rated 1721**

### 12 and under (Combined List)

**Andrew Hong – #1, rated 2421**

**Nikhil Chatterjee – #82, rated 1820**

## Studygascar Students - Tournament Results Update

**Stephen Ho – current USCF rating 1913.** Stephen shared 2nd place in AB section of GM Browne Memorial championship held in Milpitas, CA from 07/21/2017 to 07/23/2017.

**Saadiq Shaikh – current USCF rating 1731.** Saadiq got 1st place in 1500-1899 section of Cupertino Luperswiss held in Cupertino, CA on 08/27/2017.

**Alan Finkelstein – current USCF rating 1513.** Alan shared 1st place in CDEU section of IM Tate Memorial Championship held in Milpitas, CA from 08/18/2017 to 08/20/2017. He also shared 2nd place in 1500-1899 section of Foster City Luperswiss held in Foster City, CA on 08/26/2017.

**Jason Fu – current USCF rating 1436.** Jason got 1<sup>st</sup> place in u1500 section of Milpitas Duperswiss held in Milpitas, CA on 07/09/2017. He also got 1st place in u1500 section of Fremont Duperswiss held in Fremont, Ca on 08/13/2017.

**Samuel Yuan – current USCF rating 1352.** Samuel shared 3rd place in u1500 section of Fremont Duperswiss held in Fremont, CA on 05/14/2017. He also shared 1st place in u1500 section of Foster City Luperswiss held in Santa Clara, CA on 05/21/2017.

Samuel also shared 1st place in u1500 section of Cupertino Duperswiss held in Cupertino, CA on 07/30/2017.



**Samuel Yuan**

**Yashnil Saha** – current USCF rating **1342**. Yashnil shared 1st place in u1500 of Fremont Duperswiss held in Fremont, CA on 06/11/2017. He also shared 3rd place in u1500 section of Cupertino Duperswiss held in Cupertino, CA on 08/27/2017.



**Yashnil Saha**

**Omya Vidyarthi** – current USCF rating **1307**. Omya got 1st place in Girls u8 section of Pan-American Youth Championship held in San Jose, Costa Rica from 07/01/2017 to 07/06/2017.

She also shared 2nd place in CDEU section of Summer Start Championship held in Milpitas, CA from 04/28/2017 to 04/30/2017.

Omya got 2nd place in u8 Girls section of SPFNO Championship held in Livermore, CA on 05/06/2017. She also shared 3rd place in K-Grade 12 section of Calchess Girls State Championship held in Milpitas, CA from 06/03/2017 to 06/04/2017.

Omya shared 3rd place in u9 section of International Youth Championship held in Las Vegas, NV from 06/17/2017 to 06/18/2017. She also shared 1st place in u1500 section of Milpitas Luperswiss held in Milpitas, CA on 08/06/2017.



**Omya Vidyarthi**

**Ethan Jin** – current USCF rating **1092**. Ethan got 1st place in a quad in Cupertino Quads held in Cupertino, CA on 08/27/2017.

**Aaron Dai** – current USCF rating **1081**. Aaron got 1st place in Champ section of San Jose Swiss held in San Jose, CA on 08/06/2017.



**Aaron Dai**

**Abhinav Raja** – current USCF rating 1026. Abhinav shared 2nd place in Premier section of Cupertino Swiss held in Cupertino, CA on 05/21/2017. He also shared 2nd place in Premier section of Cupertino Swiss held in Cupertino, CA on 06/25/2017.

Abhinav also shared 2nd place in Champ section of Cupertino Swiss held in Cupertino, CA on 08/27/2017.



**Abhinav Raja**

**Maxim Elyashev** – current USCF rating 919. Maxim got 1st place in a quad in Foster City Quads held in Foster City, CA on 04/30/2017.



**Maxim Elyashev**

**Michael Tang** – current USCF rating 880. Michael got 1st place in Premier section of Cupertino Swiss held in Cupertino, CA on 07/30/2017.

**Rohit Suresh** – current USCF rating **757**. Rohit shared 1st place in Booster section of Cupertino Swiss held in Cupertino, CA on 05/21/2017. He also shared 2nd place in Premier section of Cupertino Swiss held in Cupertino, CA on 07/30/2017.

Rohit shared 2nd place in Premier section of Cupertino Swiss held in Cupertino, CA on 08/27/2017.

**Alex Hwang** – current USCF rating **748**. Alex got 1st place in a quad in Pleasanton Quads held in Pleasanton, CA on 07/01/2017. He also got 1st place in u600 section of Young People Championship held in Milpitas, CA on 07/16/2017.

Alex shared 1st place in a quad in Cupertino Quads held in Cupertino, CA on 07/30/2017.



**Alex Hwang**

**Mark Vernik** – current USCF rating **705**. Mark got 1st place in a round robin in LMLC tournament held in San Jose, CA on 04/29/2017. He also got 1st place in a quad in Fremont Quads held in Fremont, CA on 05/20/2017.

Mark got 3rd place in LMLC tournament held in San Jose, CA on 08/27/2017.





**Mark Vernik**

**Maahi Vidyarthi** – current USCF rating **588**. Maahi shared 2nd place in Premier section of Pleasanton Swiss held in Pleasanton, CA on 07/09/2017.

**Vaikunth Vasu** – current USCF rating **587**. Vaikunth shared 2nd place in u300 section of Best of the West Kids Tournament held in San Jose, CA on 05/29/2017.

**Yan Ming Teng** – current USCF rating **502**. Yan Ming got 2nd place in Booster section of Cupertino Swiss held in Cupertino, CA on 08/27/2017.



**Yan Ming Teng**

**Minghui Zhao** – current USCF rating 499. Minghui shared 2nd place in Booster section of Cupertino Swiss held in Cupertino, CA on 07/30/2017.



Minghui Zhao

**Karthik Vakkalanka** – current USCF rating 295. Karthik got 3rd place in a round robin section of LMLC tournament held in San Jose, CA on 06/10/2017.

## Benefits of Studygasca Math

Studygasca Math and Chess Learning Center continues enrollment into its math program. Our program is focused on achieving math mastery and building solid math foundation. A lot of Studygasca students, who attend our program continuously and work hard, show excellent results in elementary, middle, and high school math. Studygasca math program offers multiple benefits:

- Individual starting point in our math program for each student, based on his or her skills and abilities.
- Logical approach to math skills improvement, with each consecutive math topic based on the previous one.
- Incremental and manageable increase in math difficulty.
- Build-up of solid math foundation that allows students to easily progress to high school mathematics.



- Development of self-learning skills and study habits that help students succeed in many school subjects.
- Flexible schedule – students can attend math once a week for an hour or twice a week for 40 minutes or once a week for 1 hour during our multiple math windows on weekdays and during the weekend.

To enroll your child into Studygascar math program, please see our schedule <http://studygascar.com/files/FallSchedule2017.pdf> and give us a call at 408-873-8429 or send us an e-mail to [info@studygascar.com](mailto:info@studygascar.com).

## **New Beginner Chess Classes**

We continue enrollment into our two new beginner chess classes that are opening during the first weekend of September. One of the classes starts on Saturday, September 2, 2017 from 3:30pm to 5pm. The other class starts on Sunday, September 3, 2017 from 9:30am to 11am. These two classes are a good fit for the kids who currently know nothing about chess and want to learn the game properly from scratch (chess notations, moves of the pieces, proper start of the chess games, differences between checks, checkmates, and stalemates, checkmating techniques, etc.).

Please give us a call at 408-873-8429 or e-mail us to [info@studygascar.com](mailto:info@studygascar.com) to pre-register your child for one of our new beginner chess classes.

## **Studygascar Math and Chess Schedule Fall 2017**

Please visit our website for an updated schedule of classes: <http://studygascar.com/files/FallSchedule2017.pdf>.

To enroll your child into Studygascar chess classes or math program, please give us a call at 408-873-8429, or send us an e-mail to [info@studygascar.com](mailto:info@studygascar.com).

**Congratulations to all Studygascar students mentioned in this newsletter for their great results in chess tournaments!**

**See you in our chess and math classes for educational enrichment!**