

## Math Homework Excuses

1. I did part of it. The only part I have left to do, is  $0.999999999\dots$
2. I accidentally divided by zero and my paper burst into flames.
3. My Biology homework ate my Math homework!
4. My homework is isomorphic to the top students homework so just give me their grade.
5. I was watching the World Series and got tied up trying to prove that it converged.
6. I had a constant amount of homework. I tried to derive its purpose, but I got nothing.
7. I have a solar powered calculator and it was cloudy.
8. It was Einstein's birthday and pi day so we had this big celebration! (This works on March 14)
9. I tried to pick up my math book. I reached half way, and then half of that, and then ...  
I could only get arbitrarily close to my book. I couldn't actually reach it.
10. I'm taking physics and the homework in there seemed to involve math, so I thought I could just do that instead.
11. I have proof I did the homework, but there isn't room to write it in the margin of my math book.
12. I completed my homework, but then I saw that it lacked character, and personality. There was no "me" in it, so I multiplied it by  $i$ , and it became imaginary!
13. My homework is a demonstration of Godel's Incompleteness Theorem. That is, it is possible to assign homework that cannot be completed.
14. I accidentally mixed my homework with my anti homework, and it exploded.
15. I can't go against conservation of energy and the minimal action principle.
16. I did  $1/2$  of it, then  $1/4$  of the rest. and then  $1/8$  of the rest. Even working all night I did not complete it and I don't hand in incomplete work.
17. I was computing the kernel of a matrix and got hungry for popcorn. I ended up watching a movie instead.
18. I took time out to snack on a doughnut and a cup of coffee. I spent the rest of the night trying to figure which one to dunk.

19. I spilled water all over my homework

