

## **New Math**

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The answers to the clues can be combined to make charades, like DISC+LOSE=DISCLOSE. Taking the indicated letters from each answer spells BUTTER SERVING, MIGRATORY BIRD, and REPEATED MOTIF, which clue one more charade, PAT+TERN=**PATTERN**, for the final answer.

Formal dance (1/4) <b>B</b> ALL	+	La (Debussy tone poem) (1/3) <b>M</b> ER	=	Microsoft CEO Steve (7/7) BALLME <b>R</b>
Large sandwich (2/3)	+	Citrus fruit (2/4)	=	Transcendent (7/7)
SUB		LIME		SUBLIME
Finish line marker (1/4)	+	Marriage symbol (4/4)	=	Coming to a point (3/8)
<b>T</b> APE		RIN <b>G</b>		TA <b>P</b> ERING
Not glossy (4/5)	+	Communist (1/3)	=	Was important (5/8)
MAT <b>T</b> E		<b>R</b> ED		MATT <b>E</b> RED
Tardy (4/4)	+	Mount a comeback (2/5)	=	To the side (2/9)
LAT <b>E</b>		RALLY		L <b>AT</b> ERALLY
Repose (1/4)	+	Speech (4/7)	=	Art conservator's task (4/11)
REST		ORATION		RES <b>T</b> ORATION
Phonograph record (3/4)	+	Misplace (2/4)	=	Reveal (8/8)
DI <b>S</b> C		L <b>O</b> SE		DISCLOSE
Terminus (1/3)	+	Rage (5/5)	=	Imperil (3/8)
END		ANGE <b>R</b>		EN <b>D</b> ANGER
Harmful microbe (3/4)	+	One or more (3/3)	=	2010 World Cup semifinalist (4/7)
GE <b>R</b> M		AN <b>Y</b>		GER <b>M</b> ANY
Sheltered inlet (3/4)	+	It can follow multiplication or kitchen (3/5)	=	Worthy of desire (2/9)
CO <b>V</b> E		TA <b>B</b> LE		<b>CO</b> VETABLE
Unadorned (4/5)	+	Spat (2/4)	=	Courtroom figure (6/9)
PLAIN		TIFF		PLAINTIFF
Goat-legged god (3/3)	+	Attempts (2/5)	=	Storerooms (6/8)
PAN		TRIES		PANTRIES
Extension for some image files (1/3)	+	Slugger Williams (3/3)	=	Talented (3/6)
GIF (3) PAN	+	TE <b>D</b> (4) TRIES	=	GIFTED (7) PANTRIES