

Dear Parents/carers

Wednesday, 16th January, 2024

We hope this letter finds you well. We are excited to inform you about our upcoming celebration of World Number Day on Friday, February 2nd, and we invite you to join us in making it a memorable and fun-filled day for our students.

To make the day engaging and educational, we have planned a series of activities that aim to foster a love for mathematics and make learning an enjoyable experience. We are delighted to announce that on World Number Day, our students will have the privilege of a visit from a distinguished mathematics author, Kuantan Kjartan. Mr. Kjartan will share his passion for numbers and inspire our young minds with his unique insights into the world of mathematics.

In addition to the author's visit, our school will be partnering with the NSPCC for a times tables competition. This exciting event not only encourages the development of essential mathematical skills but also supports a noteworthy cause.

The highlight of the day will be a carousel of activities and games held in the hall. Students will have the opportunity to participate in engaging activities such as maths bingo, maths board games, and various other fun challenges that promote numerical literacy. We are confident that these activities will not only reinforce classroom learning but also ignite a passion for mathematics that extends beyond the curriculum.

To add an extra element of fun, children from Years 1-6 are invited to dress up as Rockstars for the day, in connection with the characters on Times Table Rockstars. Children in EYFS are invited to dress up as a digit or a number block. We encourage creativity, and there will be a "Best Dressed" competition where students can showcase their imaginative outfits. We believe this theme will not only make the day more enjoyable but also reinforce the importance of mastering times tables, a fundamental skill in mathematical development.

We look forward to your child's enthusiastic participation in this celebration of World Number Day. Together, let's make mathematics an exciting and enjoyable journey for our students. If you have any questions or would like more information, please feel free to contact the school office.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Hale