



24th January 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you are aware, **Friday 3rd February** is NSPCC Number Day. On this day, we will be having a day dedicated to making maths exciting whilst raising vital funds for the NSPCC. As part of our commitment to make maths high profile in our school, we've decided to take part in a friendly competition involving schools in the United Kingdom. It's a 1-day competition which starts on Friday 3rd February 2023 at 07:30am and ends at 19:30pm. **It's all done online via play.ttrockstars.com.**

Children can play in any game mode with every correct answer to a multiplication or division question, earning themselves, their class and the school a point. The Times Tables Rock Stars platform will calculate the class average and the winning classes in the school and in the competition as a whole will be the ones with the highest average.

To support player wellbeing, there is a time limit of 60-minutes per player. In other words, each player can earn competition points for up to 60-minutes between 07:30am and 19:30pm on Friday 3rd February. Once the player goes beyond 60-minutes of play on that day, they will still earn coins but will no longer earn points towards the competition. In the spirit of the competition, please don't play on their behalf but by all means, encourage and support them!

Finally, this is a reminder that we are taking part in 'Dress up for digits' where children are invited to wear an item of clothing with a number on it. Children could even come dressed as a Times Tables Rock Star! To raise funds for the NSPCC, we are asking for a donation of £1 to wear their number/rock star clothes to school for the day.

Kind regards,

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