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National Numeracy Day Wednesday 19th May 2021.

Dear Parents/ Legal Guardians,

We are very pleased and proud of how everyone in our school community – staff and parents included, but particularly our children - have taken to our new scheme and timetable in order to maximise our teaching and learning. This is already seeing some great progression in maths knowledge and skills.

To celebrate maths further, we will be taking part in the **National Numeracy Day on 19th May 2021**. On this day, there will be various maths related activities and challenges in each class, even linking within other subject areas. The children and staff will also be invited to wear clothing/ a costume that has a maths theme/ link. The following list is just some examples of costumes that your child could wear/ dress up as:

- a domino,
- a calculator,
- a playing card,
- a clock,
- a dice,
- a compass,
- a shape,
- a maths symbol (e.g. +, -, x, %, £, =, pi...),
- a sports top with a number on it,
- an octopus,
- clothing that has geometric patterns on it

There are so many other options too!

We look forward to celebrating and sharing this day with you and promote a recognition and love of maths in the world around us. As ever, if there are any questions or comments, then please contact me and I will of course be happy to answer/ clarify anything.

All the very best,

Mr Charlton

Deputy Headteacher, Class 3 Teacher and Maths Lead

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