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Join Your Child @ School- Maths Wednesday 22nd January 25

Dear Parents, Carers and Families

At Stockham, we love to have fun with our Maths learning! We are passionate about all areas of mathematics. Our aim for maths at our school and beyond Stockham is that we develop in our children a lifelong love of numbers and everything to do with maths. Maths isn't just an important subject in school — it's essential for many daily tasks. You likely use it every day to perform real-life skills, like grocery shopping, cooking and tracking your finances. What makes maths special is that it's a universal language — a powerful tool with the same meaning across the globe. Though languages divide our world, numbers unite us. Maths allows us to work together towards new innovations and ideas.

The importance of mathematics to your child's success can't be overstated. Basic maths is a necessity, but even abstract maths can help hone critical thinking skills — even if your child chooses not to pursue a STEM-style career. Maths can help them succeed professionally, emotionally and cognitively. There are many careers that use a large number of maths concepts. These include architects, accountants, and scientists. But many other professionals use maths skills every day to complete their jobs. CEOs use maths to analyse financials. Graphic designers use maths to figure out the appropriate scale and proportions in their designs.

No matter what career path your child chooses, maths skills will be beneficial.

We are delighted to invite you to our second 'Join Your Child @ School' maths session on Wednesday 22nd January 25

This 'Join Your Child @ School' maths session is based on teaching and learning in maths.

The session will be open in:



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- ✓ EYFS & KS1 from 8:50am-9:50am
- ✓ During the break session there will be a Parent Meeting in the hall from 10:00- 10:30.
- ✓ KS2 from 10:35am- 11.35am.
- ✓ During the sessions you will work with your child on math based tasks. So, come along and give it a go!

The purpose of this special event is to give you an insight into how the children work and learn in their classroom setting. It is also very valuable for the children to have the opportunity to share their learning with you at school. This in turn builds their own self confidence and develops their skills in talking about their learning.

If you have more than one child in school, then the hour session could be split between their respective classes.

There are a few safeguarding guidelines we need to make you aware of in line with our school policy as your child's safety is our prime concern:

- Please enter the school via the main entrance for your sessions.
- Please do not have your mobile phones out during the sessions or use them to take photographs. Also please ensure that you switch off your mobile phone.
- If you need to use the toilet during these sessions, please only use the adult toilets near the main entrance – the office staff will direct you.

We would like to thank you in advance for your cooperation and support to make this a very valuable and worthwhile experience for you and your child.

We look forward to working and learning with you!

Vikki Marsh-Ballard

*Join Your Child @ School for Maths -
Wednesday 22nd January 25*



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