



Dear Parents/Carers

### Help Your Child Love Maths!

As you may be aware, this year the school is working with the independent charity National Numeracy on an exciting project which encourages children and families to do maths together. As part of this, we have been using National Numeracy's Family Maths activities and scrapbooks – and now there are more ways for parents and carers to get involved.

We know that maths can sometimes seem daunting but engaging positively with children's learning can make a big difference to both children's and parents' confidence with numbers.

Therefore, we are inviting **all parents and carers** to a unique workshop, 'Help Your Child Love Maths!' held at the school on **Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November at 2:15pm**. Please make your way to the breakfast/afterschool club gate (next to the main office), where we look forward to welcoming you.

The workshop is not a maths lesson, nor does it teach any maths, but it is focused on fostering positive attitudes towards numeracy and tips for ensuring your children develop these too. This is critical to their success in building strong numeracy skills. The session will cover the importance of maths in the real world, being positive about maths and how to boost your own number skills. Please note: **this is a session for adults only – children do not attend.**

In previous workshops, 96% of parents and carers said that following the workshop they would feel more able to support their child with maths learning, and 96% said the workshop had given them a more positive view of maths.

We hope that you take the opportunity and make the most of this exciting project.

Yours faithfully

Mr Jauncey-Childs and Mrs Aldington