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Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are excited to let you know that our school will be taking part in the NSPCC's Number Day next Friday 6th February 2026, a national event that celebrates the fun of maths while raising money to support the crucial work of the NSPCC where we will invite the children to come to school dressed with digits.

What is Number Day?

Number Day is an annual maths-themed fundraising event for schools across the UK. It aims to help children see maths as enjoyable and creative while supporting the NSPCC in its mission to protect children from abuse and provide vital services such as Childline and Speak Out Stay Safe assemblies.

What will our school be doing?

Throughout the day, children will take part in a range of exciting activities planned specially for Number Day, including:

- "Dress Up for Digits" – Children (and staff!) are invited to wear clothing with numbers or number-themed accessories. This is a popular NSPCC tradition and a fun way to mark this occasion.
- In-class (and outdoor) maths games and challenges – Activities will be tailored to each year group and inspired by NSPCC-recommended Number Day ideas to promote teamwork, confidence, and positive attitudes toward maths.

Fundraising

We kindly ask children to bring a £1 donation to support the NSPCC. Every pound helps the charity continue its work protecting and supporting children across the UK.

How you can help at home?

- Encourage your child to plan their "number outfit" for Dress Up for Digits day on 6th February 2026.
- Talk with your child about why charities like the NSPCC are important.
- Support them with any small maths challenges we may send home in the lead-up to the day – some of our pupils are working hard to design these, so watch this space!

We hope that Number Day will be a wonderful celebration of both mathematical learning and kindness, helping children see how their actions can support others.

Thank you for your continued support in making this a special day for our school community.

Warm regards,

Mrs Gemma Cutler

Headteacher