

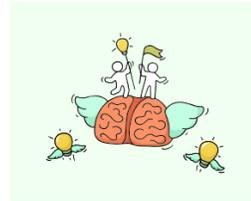
# Maths Newsletter

Welcome to the very first Maths newsletter! We will be sending one out every half term with lots of information about maths in our school and where you can go for extra maths fun! We will also feature a few puzzling questions and pictures to get your brains buzzing. We would love to see any of your solutions to the puzzles to share in class. We hope you enjoy reading it and if you have any feedback then please see Mrs White.

## What we have been learning this term.

This half term across all classes, the children have been focusing on number and place value. This means understanding the meaning of the number and its value and also what each of the digits represent in larger numbers. For example, 26; the 2 represents 2 tens or twenty and the 6 represents 6 ones / units. Securing this knowledge is really important for later work when calculating.

*Mistakes And Challenge  
Are The Best Times For  
Your Brain!*



You want to be struggling and finding work hard. When you make a mistake and struggle your brain grows!



## Half termly Maths Award

<b>FS2</b>	<b>Reece Ginty</b>
<b>Year 1</b>	<b>Emily Benyuk</b>
<b>Year 2</b>	<b>Rebecca Naccari</b>
<b>Year 3</b>	<b>Niamh Ford</b>
<b>Year 4</b>	<b>Ashley Oates</b>
<b>Year 5</b>	<b>Alex Wraight</b>
<b>Year 6</b>	<b>Anna Kaplun</b>



## Stay and play

Pop in to your child's class for the first stay and play of this year on

**Wednesday 6th December.**

These are informal sessions where you have a chance to come and join in with some fun maths. No pressure, just come in and see what we do. Teachers will be planning a fun maths session around the theme of Christmas / winter.

FS2 and year 1: 9.00am—10.00am

Year 2—Year 6 : 9.00am—10.30am



Have you got maths eyes?

Look at these gingerbread men.

What maths questions can you think of?

Mrs White would love to hear your ideas.

Write them down and hand in to Mrs White in Class 4.

Website recommendation [www.nrich.maths.org](http://www.nrich.maths.org)

This site has some brilliant problems and games to solve for all ages. I really like Totality game which is great for practising adding numbers within 20.



Baking is a great way to apply maths skills with all age groups. Not only do you get to use different measures and counting and estimating skills you also get to eat your

hard work! Try some baking or get your children involved in helping with cooking and laying the table. Super for problem solving, counting and also getting them to help around the house!