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Dear Parents and Carers,

On Friday 9th February, we will be celebrating St. Monica's Maths Day. Maths is a core part of our curriculum and we want to celebrate this superb subject with a day to remember.

In Nursery, Reception and Year 1, we would like the children to come dressed as a number. This could be on a T-shirt, a badge, a hat, anything at all. The day will be packed with maths activities such as: an exciting number hunt, fun problem solving activities and team games.

Year 2-Year 6, we are inviting the children to come dressed as "Maths Rockstars". The pupils will participate in times-table battles such as: Battle of the Bands, Arena and Rock Slam. We will have competitions between classes and also competitions against other year groups - pupils will earn rewards through their knowledge of the times tables.

We will hold times tables competitions across the year groups so would encourage the children to keep practising on TT Rock Stars. Times table recall is important in so many areas of the children's maths work and we hope our Maths Day will celebrate this. Year 2 will be challenged on their 2, 5, and 10 times tables. Year 3 will be asked these plus the 3 and 4 times tables. Year 4 will focus on tables up to 10 x 10. Years 5 and 6 are expected to know all their tables up to 12 x 12. Good luck to all!

We will finish the day with a whole school assembly with rewards and a showcase of the best moments from the day.

We hope the children will have an enjoyable and memorable day, celebrating the importance of maths. Please do not go to any expense with costumes, be creative with what you have. PE Kits are also fine to wear - it's the maths that counts!

Many thanks for your continued support,

St Monica's Maths Team,

Miss Byrne, Mr Lynch and Mrs Reardon

