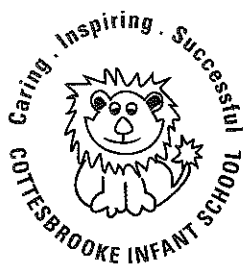


# COTTESBROOKE INFANT & NURSERY SCHOOL

An Academy



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Dear Parents

## Introducing Magic Maths

I am writing to let you know about new maths activities which will be taking place in school because we hope you will discuss these with your child/ren to help raise the profile and excitement surrounding maths at Cottesbrooke Infant and Nursery School.

Next week we will be:

- ✓ Sending home rucksacks from each class containing maths games which you can play with your child
- ✓ Introducing the Magic Maths Big Question in Friday Assemblies for which participating children will have the opportunity to win special certificates
- ✓ Opening a school Toy Shop where children who have worked hard in maths each week will have the opportunity to shop for items with real money which they can keep as a reward
- ✓ Beginning a Maths Club on a Wednesday which children will be invited to come to on a weekly basis if they have tried really hard in maths the previous week

We are aiming to create a 'buzz' around maths and increase the amount of fun children have when taking part in maths activities. We want to include every child over the next few months and reward all children who try hard in their lessons. If your child is chosen to take the rucksack home, please let your child's teacher know if you need to keep it for more than one night. We appreciate you may struggle to play the games if you have other commitments and we don't want the children to feel disappointed.

We hope you can support these activities and enjoy working with your child/ren.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read 'Mrs F Beardsley'. The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Mrs F Beardsley  
Deputy Head Teacher

