



# St Osyth C of E Primary School

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Dear Parents / Carers,

We are a school which loves maths which is why we thought that you may be interested in the upcoming campaign, **Number Confidence Week**, which is taking place in the week **1st-5th November**.

**Number Confidence Week provides a great opportunity for people to access free resources and activities for all the family, to boost number confidence at work, home and school.**

As a school, it is of great importance that we foster a supportive and open conversation about numeracy and shine a spotlight on how to build number confidence, because the fears and anxieties can be overcome.

How can you get involved?

- 1) The campaign hub has lots of great free resources to help the whole family. You can find out more here: [www.nationalnumeracy.org.uk/number-confidence-week?utm\\_source=friends](http://www.nationalnumeracy.org.uk/number-confidence-week?utm_source=friends)
- 2) A great way to boost your own number confidence is to try the National Numeracy Challenge, a free online tool that helps you develop confidence and skills, in just 10 minutes a day, at your own pace. Get started by heading to [www.nationalnumeracy.org.uk/challenge/friends](http://www.nationalnumeracy.org.uk/challenge/friends)
- 3) Help grow the reach of the campaign: Follow National Numeracy and #NumberConfidenceWeek on social media, and share the inspiring content with your networks. Together we can help the nation bounce back with confidence! You can follow National Numeracy here:

Twitter: @Nat\_Numeracy

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Please find attached two leaflets which help to address some of the misconceptions about mathematics.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely

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