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Dear Parents/Carers,

We are excited to be taking part in the National Numeracy project and introducing the **Family Maths Toolkit Scrapbook** to our children. This initiative aims to encourage a love of numbers by engaging families in fun, open-ended maths activities each week.

Every **Friday**, your child will bring home a new maths activity linked to their class's curriculum. These activities are designed to help children and families explore everyday maths together in a relaxed and enjoyable way. Rather than focusing on a single correct answer, the tasks encourage discussion, creativity, and problem-solving—helping to build confidence and positive attitudes towards maths.

The scrapbook consists of blank pages to allow for different forms of recording. Children can draw, write, take photos, or even stick in completed activities. This open-ended approach gives them the freedom to explore ideas, develop perseverance, and record their learning in ways that suit them best. Parents and carers are encouraged to add comments about how they found the activity—this could be as simple as a smiley face for younger children!

We ask that children **bring their scrapbooks back to school each Wednesday** so we can celebrate their efforts and see how they are engaging with the activities. To recognise their hard work, we will be awarding **certificates in assemblies** for participation and enthusiasm.

We hope you and your child enjoy taking part in this project, and we look forward to seeing their wonderful work in the **Family Maths Toolkit Scrapbook**.

Thank you for your support!

Best wishes,

Mr M Davies