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Whole School NSPCC number day – Friday 2nd February

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are delighted to be supporting the NSPCC by taking part in Number Day on Friday 2 February 2024.

Everything the NSPCC does protects children today and prevents about tomorrow

The NSPCC need our support more than ever. By raising money, we can help to fund their vital services such as Childline – the helpline that's always there for children and young people whatever their problem or concern.

On average, a child contacts Childline every 45 seconds

Making maths meaningful

Number Day is a great way to make maths fun and bring about a positive, 'can-do' attitude towards it. At Barrow CEVC Primary we recognise the importance of all children being mathematicians and fostering a love of maths.

We are going to link this in with our use of TT Rock Stars, which is a fun and challenging programme that we use in school from Year 2 to Year 6, that is designed to help students master the times tables! We want children to be able to recall their times tables with speed AND accuracy— the more facts your child remembers, the easier it is for them to do harder calculations.

On Friday 2nd February, we will be rocking out with a whole school Time Tables Rock Stars themed maths day. The children will be able to dress up as a rock star for the day and take part in a range of maths activities, as well as Times Tables Rock Star battles. There will be prizes for the best dressed rock star in each year group.

If your child has PE on that day, please make sure they have suitable footwear with them.

We are asking that each child brings a donation of £1 to the NSPCC to allow us to help them continue their amazing work.

Thanks for your continued support, and bring on the air guitars!

Mr Keefe

Maths Lead