

Comments from parents/carers
Maths Evening – Monday 2nd February 2015

WHAT WAS MOST USEFUL ABOUT THE MATHS EVENING?

- Made me think how we can move on from just counting to addition etc. Thanks.
- Tools online to use.
- How to teach maths in a fun way through everyday activities.
- To know the strategies they are using.
- Knowing what and how they learn at school. The terms they use and the steps to take.
- Getting some info about how it's taught – we get nothings out of the kids!
- Fun and easy things to do at home.
- Ideas to use with children at home to help with counting, number recognition etc.
- Really impressed – has helped me understand process of how maths taught very clearly explained.
- How it's all done now.
- Very informative session and good to know the language that's being used so that they know/I know what we're trying to do at home... Thank you!!
- Websites to use.
- Dienes & Arrays! I know these now.
- All great thanks.
- Language that is used to support work at home.
- Knowing the correct method to do at home rather than learnt at school myself.
- Websites and song, games (ie dominoes).
- Good spread of useful techniques for parents to help with at home.
- Made me realise how I could integrate maths into everyday life (I do this with words, stories etc, but not numbers).
- Good presentations – can see progressions
- Very good, very informative, feel confident to help with homework now. Thank you.
- Very helpful to learn multiplication. Thanks.
- Good session, would like specific information on what: - non-negotiables, bridging and number sentences are. Many thanks.

WHAT ELSE WOULD YOU LIKE INFORMATION ABOUT REGARDING MATHS AT ARCHIBALD?

- Can you recommend any good websites to use for times tables please?
- Share some apps that we can use/try at home.
- Copies/links to number lines and other 'tools' shared at talk/useful resources online.
- How do you choose which methods to use to teach maths?
- How much should you push/encourage child who does not want to do homework?
- Could you put website/games suggestions on school website please?

COULD YOU SUGGEST ANY GOOD MATHS APPS OR GAMES?

- Maths museum
- Number bonds pro (with robot!)
- Woodlands maths website
- Snakes and ladders on BBC website

ANY OTHER COMMENTS

- Very helpful, good to see a consistent system through the school.
- Very useful and staff willing to help. Thank you.

- Very useful evening.
- Great, thanks very much!
- Great to know what/how they are learning – thanks for taking the time.
- We will now make better use of the number square – thank you!
- Useful to see the methods used, will practice!
- Very helpful – I learnt a lot.
- Wish I'd been taught like this – very impressed.
- Excellent evening – very informative. Learnt some great tips for learning at home.
- Thanks for putting the evening on. Much appreciated.
- Thank you – just sorry we couldn't both make it tonight.
- Thanks for putting this on. Really handy tips and nice to hear about what you do at school.
- Great!
- Very helpful.
- Thank you.
- Thanks to all staff. Very useful tips – excellent.
- Really helpful, thanks – particularly as we don't hear much from our daughter about what she does on numbers at school.
- Really useful evening, thank you. It would be good if possible to send a few notes out along with the maths homework, to explain methods and aims. Sometimes the task seems a 'little abstract'.
- Just a really helpful update.
- Was helpful.
- Great school, your efforts so much appreciated.