

# HILLSIDE INFANT SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are excited to announce that our school will be taking part in a maths competition in support of National Numeracy Day. As part of this celebration, children are invited to enter a picture competition based on the theme:

## **“How do people use numbers in your neighbourhood, club or community?”**

This is a wonderful opportunity for pupils to explore how maths is used in everyday life, while being creative and having fun.

### **How to enter:**

- Children should create their drawing on the entry paper provided with this letter.
- The picture should be based on the theme above.
- Each entry must clearly include the child’s name, age, and class.
- All entries should be handed in to the class teacher.

### **Winning criteria:**

Entries will be judged by Bobby Seagull based on:

- The most imaginative picture, showing great effort
- The most creative uses of numbers

### **Prizes:**

There are six categories, with one winner in each category. Winners will receive:

- A Number Heroes prize pack for their chosen nursery, school or community/youth group, including games, books and resources
- A £50 gift voucher and certificate for the child

In addition, three runners-up in each category will receive:

- A £20 gift voucher and certificate

### **Categories for entry:**

- Early Years Foundation Stage & Reception (ages 3+)
- Primary A (Years 1–2)
- SEND/EHCP (open to children and young people receiving SEN support or with an EHCP)

**Deadline: All entries must be submitted by 8th June.**

We look forward to seeing the children’s fantastic ideas and creativity! Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,  
Natalie Daniels  
Assistant Headteacher

