



Dear parents/carers,

We are delighted to be supporting the NSPCC by taking part in Number Day on **Friday 6 February 2026**.

Everything the NSPCC does protects children today and prevents abuse 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.

Half a million children a year suffer abuse or neglect in the UK. That means 7 children in a classroom experience abuse before they turn 18.

 **NSPCC Number Day** makes maths meaningful and is a great way to make numbers fun and bring about a positive, 'can-do' attitude towards mathematics.

- We are taking on Buddy's Key Challenge in our classes to help raise vital funds for the NSPCC. We are working to solve exciting maths puzzles in our classes, against the clock with Buddy, the *Speak out. Stay safe* mascot.
- We are having a fun day of maths activities, and we will be taking part in *Dress up for Digits*. Pupils are asked to wear an item of clothing with a number on it (sports top, football, rugby, netball, hockey shirt or cap). Or get even more creative and become a human calculator, dice or domino by dressing in a maths or numbers theme. To help raise money for the NSPCC, we are asking for a **donation of £1**, and we'd love everyone in the school to take part in this special event. Please send any donations into school on **Friday 6th February**.

It all adds up

We're really looking forward to all the fun of Number Day, and we really appreciate your support. All the money we raise at Birley Primary Academy will make an enormous difference to children today and help the NSPCC be there for children tomorrow.

Thank you.

Best wishes,

Mrs Matthews and Mr Exley

You can find out more about the NSPCC's work at [nspcc.org.uk](https://www.nspcc.org.uk)

To find out more about keeping children safe online, visit [nspcc.org.uk/onlinesafety](https://www.nspcc.org.uk/onlinesafety)