

Great Whelnetham CE Primary School

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Dear Parents,

I am pleased to let you know that Great Whelnetham Primary will be taking part in an online Maths competition on Sumdog, starting this Friday, 11th June. The contest lasts for one week and is between all the schools in the All Saints Schools Trust who have signed up.

For those that haven't already had a go on Sumdog, it is an interactive learning website with games and activities to help your child learn Maths. They practice times tables, place value and all sorts of other maths skills through games like 'Junk Pile', 'Cannonball', 'Kiteboarding' and 'Chef'. Find it at this address: https://www.sumdog.com/en/.

Each child has their own log-in which will be provided to them this week. The first few visits they make will be assessing their own personal level and the games will then be tailored to their abilities by the website, making it possible for us all to compete together, right across the school. The more they compete, the better their scores will get! Teachers can then view a dashboard which shows who has been on, for how long and what scores they have been getting.

Please help and encourage your child to get involved with the website and the contest – the school has a subscription at least until the end of July, so even after the competition ends, you can still continue playing the games! Have fun.

Kind regards,

Mr Sharp Maths Lead