

Diary Dates

6th – 10th February, 2023 – Children's Mental Health Week

3rd March, 2023 – World Book Day

17th March, 2023 – Comic Relief, Red Nose Day

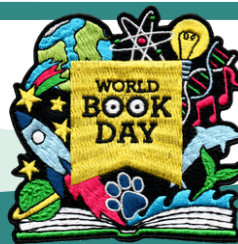
Term Dates

Spring term 1 – 03/01/2023 – 10/02/2023

February half term – 13/02/2023 – 17/02/2023

Spring term 2 – 20/02/2023 – 31/03/2023

Easter Holidays 03/04/2023 – 14/04/2023



We are celebrating World Book Day on Friday 3rd March this year. Students are invited to come to school dressed as a character from their favourite book!

Easter Holidays!

<p>Monday 3rd April</p> <p>Great British Bake off Fun day of baking with a prize for the best baker!</p>	<p>Tuesday 4th April</p> <p>Picnic in the park!</p>
<p>Wednesday 5th April</p> <p>North Devon Beach Trip</p>	<p>Thursday 6th April</p> <p>Exmouth Beach day</p>

Student and Family Support will be holding some day activities in the first week of the Easter Holidays.

Depending on location we may be able to pick students up who live on route to the beach trips however this will be at the teams discretion.

More details for these days and activities will be sent out in due course.

Please email by 24th March 2023
sharna.causley@transformingfutures.org.uk if you would like your child to have a space.



Children's Hospice South West (CHSW) is inviting you to join us on a bear hunt.

The wonderful CHSW Bear Hunt sculpture trail will be brightening up North Devon and raising funds for children and young people with life-limiting conditions across the South West. As part of the sculpture trail, 25 dedicated artists have produced original pieces of art.

We are now inviting children and young people from across the U.K to participate in this amazing initiative, with an art competition, allowing children and young people to create their own 'bears that care' design.

There are 4 age categories:

- 5 and under
- 6 to 10
- 11 to 15
- And 16 to 21

Taking part in the Bear Hunt art competition is a fantastic opportunity for children and young people to showcase creative skills, exhibit artwork as part of the trail and be in with a chance of winning some amazing prizes!

The competition will be free to enter but there are suggested donations of between £2 and £15 detailed in the pack.

For more information please click on the link below.

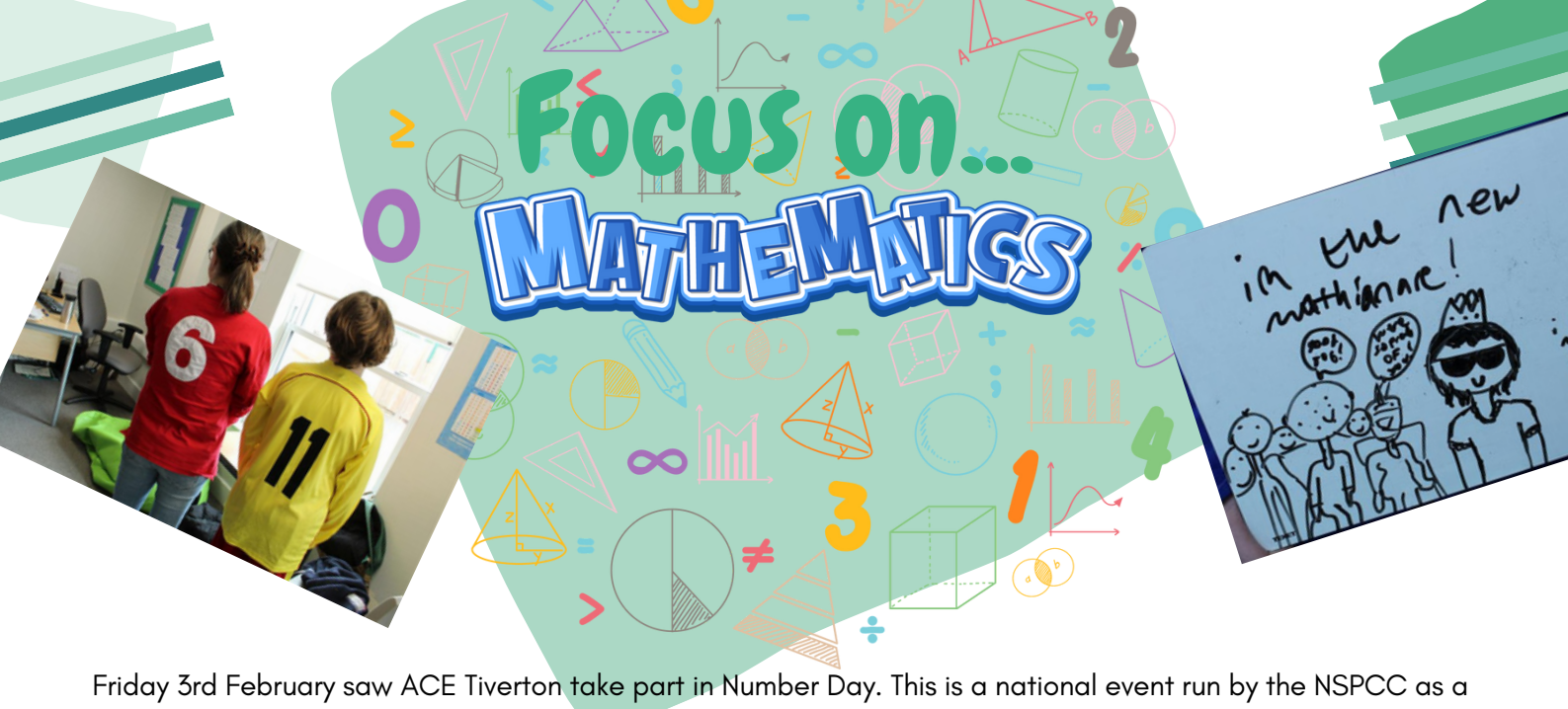
CHSW Bear Hunt Art Trail

Learning Look...



We've had a great few weeks here at Ace Tiverton. Grandin and Kissin students took part in a trip to an Art Gallery and Lego exhibition, students have been off site learning about animal care, and fire safety. Students adapted really well on strike day, having some quality time with their peers in learning family as well.





Friday 3rd February saw ACE Tiverton take part in Number Day. This is a national event run by the NSPCC as a fundraiser and to promote the use of number and mathematics across the curriculum. We looked at what the NSPCC does as a charity and how maths is used in all occupations. Students were given the opportunity to play 'Who wants to be a Mathionaire?'. Several students made it all the way to become Mathionaires!

In recent weeks, amongst other topics, key stage 4 have been looking at nets of 3d shapes and we have been modelling them using Polydron to model and visualise the nets. Some excellent shapes were proudly constructed!

Years 8 and 9 have been focusing on their algebra skills. Firstly, learning how to factorise and expand algebraic expressions. We then looked at algebraic sequences and then finally learning how to simplify indices when multiplication and division are involved. All these are tricky subjects and it has been great to see the classes get really involved and hooked into their algebra. My favourite moment has been a very reluctant and shy learner explaining perfectly to another student how to complete a tricky question that they were stuck on. Students do make the best teachers at times!

Year 7 have continued to focus on the key building blocks in maths. Recently this has meant looking at Fractions and how we handle and process them. Students have learnt the Kentucky Chicken Fried equal's divide! Through the fractions work we have also been looking at their times tables and recall of number facts. These are all key skills which can be applied to many areas of maths.

Looking forward year 11 students are building to complete their maths qualifications before the end of the year and years 9 and 10 are continuing their learning focusing on their Functional Skills qualifications. The younger years will be continuing to develop their key maths skills in preparation for their opportunities at qualifications in the later years at school.



Activities Week

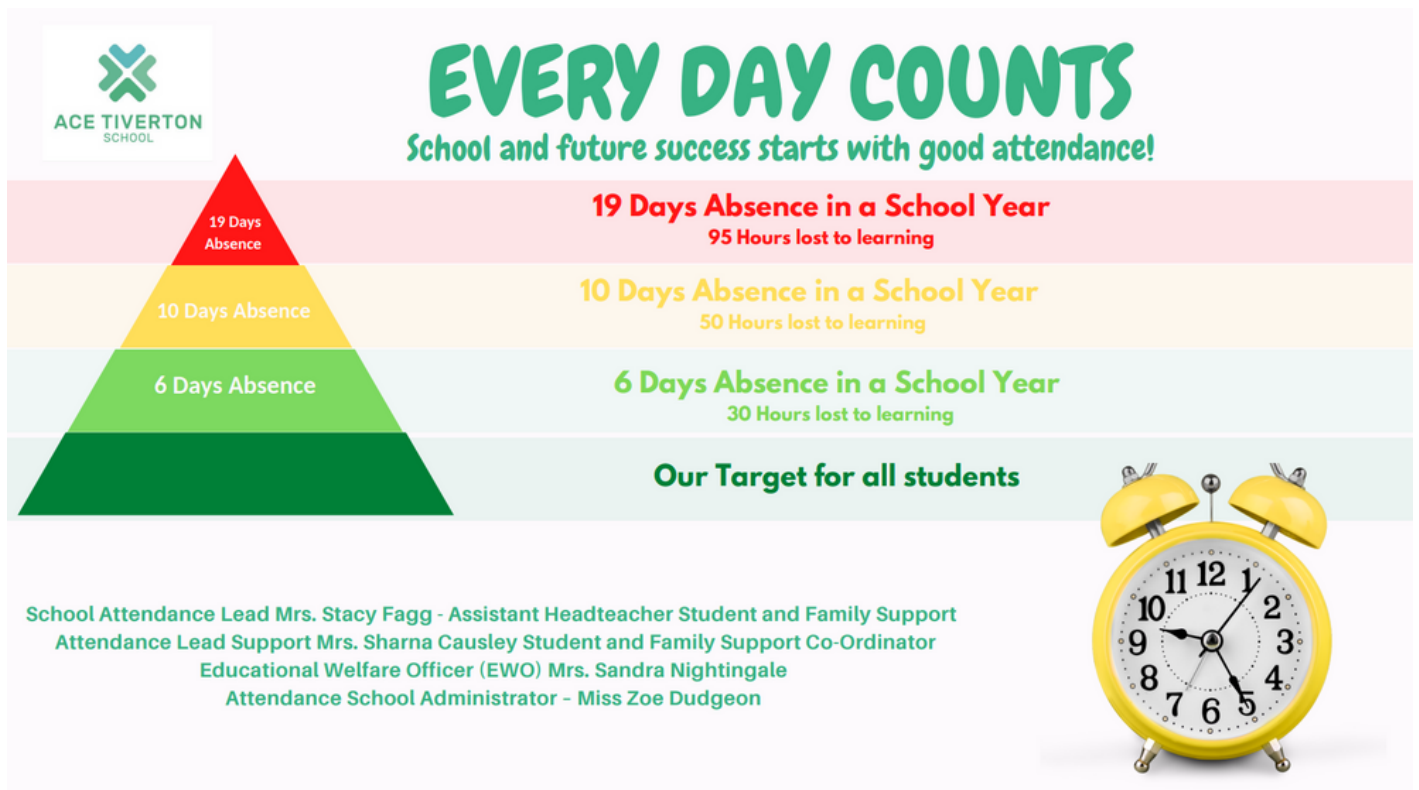
Please find below the payment schedule for activities week.

ACTIVITIES WEEK PAYMENT SCHEDULE







	Total cost	Deposit 31 st January	28 th February	31 st March	30 th April	31 st May
Kilve Court	£290	£54	£59	£59	£59	£59
London	£550	£100	£112.50	£112.50	£112.50	£112.50
Southwest Explorer	£100	£20	£20	£20	£20	£20
Wars and Roars	£100	£20	£20	£20	£20	£20
Outdoor adventures	£100	£20	£20	£20	£20	£20
Ace Cook off	£20	£10			£5	£5
Arts and Crafts	£20	£10			£5	£5

School Attendance

Please ensure if your child is going to be absent please ring the school office
on 01884 763140 and leave a message
or please email atss_info@transformingfutures.org.uk



Our Safeguarding Team

Our Safeguarding Team	
Julie Chatterton Designated Safeguarding Lead	
Stacy Fagg Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead	
Joanna Panton Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead	
Kevin Morgan Safeguarding Team	
Sharna Causley Safeguarding Team	
Jaqs Bagnell Safeguarding Team	




Worried? 😞 **Concerned?** 🧑 **Got Questions? Want to Talk?** 🗣️ **Need Information?** ⓘ

You can talk to **any member of staff or contact the following:**

Your family and friends are good places to get support but if you think there is an immediate risk of harm, please do not keep it to yourself.

Talk to any adult in our school family – we will help you. If you do not how to start, just use the word “TREE” and we will know you are worried.

If you want to get confidential or anonymous (no one asks your name) help, these organisations can help.

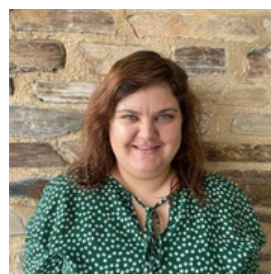
Shout is a free, anonymous text based talking service. You can text 85258 and someone will reply.	
Childline can be contacted via a free phone number: 08001111. There is also a website childline.org.uk .	
Young Minds is online, social media and free texts: send YM to 85258 and you will be contacted by text.	

Multi Agency Safeguarding Hub: 0345 155 1071

Our Family Support Team



Jacqueline Bagnell
Family and Student Support Co-ordinator



Kate Davey
Family Support Assistant