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### Dress up for Space Cadets launch day

Dear Parents/Carers,

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> September will be the launch day of an exciting new maths initiative across **Years 1 and 2** called Space Cadets. We invite children to come to school dressed as anything space related! (Eg. an astronaut or alien). During the morning, they will be carrying out a carousel of fun maths activities in mixed year group classes.

The purpose of this new initiative is to enhance the speed at which children can recall their number bonds which in turn will improve their mathematical understanding and attainment. On the launch day, children will be sent home with a letter explaining more about the Space Cadets programme and how you can help at home.

If you have any further questions, please speak with your class teacher

Yours Sincerely

Mrs Preston  
Class Teacher

