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Dear Parent/Guardian

World Maths Day/Pi Day Thursday 7 March 2019 to Thursday 14 March 2019

I would like to take this opportunity to inform you of some activities we will be running in the coming month to celebrate Word Maths Day and Pi Day this year.

World Maths Day 2019

This event is on the Thursday 7 March 2019 and will kick off our week of mathematical celebration. We will be asking students in years 7 and 8 to research and make posters about important mathematicians throughout the ages as part of their homework for maths in this week. The posters will be displayed around the school and a small prize given for the very best of these.

Pi Day 2019

Each year, 14 March is World Pi Day - the annual celebration of a never-ending number, Pi (π) – which is used in calculations involving circles. The idea for Pi day is to celebrate a number that is so important to the world around us and have a bit of fun at the same time. The school restaurant will be putting on a special, mathematical Pi Day menu to celebrate.

The maths department will also be running a "**Pi for Pie Day**" baking competition, where we challenge students to make the best mathematical themed bakes which will be judged by a panel of experts with prizes for 1st and 2nd place. Bakes could be sweet or savoury, big or small; we invite you to be creative!

Below are some images for inspiration!



Thank you and we look forward to seeing (and tasting) your creations!

Yours sincerely

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