



# Orchard Primary and Pre-School

4 September 2025

Dear Parent/Carer

## Year 6 Mini Masterclass Invitation

We are pleased to introduce a new weekly Maths Mini Masterclass for all children in the class, starting on **Monday 8th September**.

These short, focused sessions will run every Monday from 3:20pm to 3:50pm, and are designed to build confidence, improve key maths skills, and develop positive learning habits. To help keep energy and focus high, we will also be providing a drink and snack at each session.

Each Mini Masterclass will focus on:

- Strengthening arithmetic fluency (eg times tables, mental calculations)
- Developing reasoning skills and problem-solving strategies
- Deepening understanding of maths vocabulary and methods
- Building confidence and exam technique in a fun, engaging way

This is a fantastic opportunity for all children to reinforce their learning in a relaxed and supportive environment. We strongly encourage all pupils to attend each week, as regular participation will make a real difference to their progress.

You can also support your child at home by:

- Practising mental maths and times tables
- Talking positively about maths and encouraging effort
- Asking your child to explain how they solved a problem
- Celebrating their progress, not just results

If you have any questions or would like ideas for supporting maths at home, please get in touch.

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind Regards

Mrs Edwards

Class Teacher