



Part of the Maths Circle Ltd Group.

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are pleased to inform you about an online learning service that we use at Bottisham Primary School to support your child's maths education.

As parents of children in Year 2 and above will be aware, Times Table Rock Stars (TTRS) is a fantastic online way to develop knowledge of times tables and division facts for all pupils from Y2-Y6. Times tables are recognised as essential in order to access many mathematical concepts. Times Table Rock Stars is a fun and challenging programme designed to help pupils master the times tables!

The creators of Times Tables Rock Stars have also now produced an online game for boosting addition and subtraction skills, called NumBots, which is targeted at children in Key Stage 1. Playing little and often will significantly improve your child's recall and understanding of number bonds and addition and subtraction facts. These are critical foundations in maths so we are excited by the impact NumBots will have.

If you are happy for your child to access Numbots (KS1) and also Times Tables Rock Stars (when notified by your child's class teacher in Year 2), please fill in the Google Form posted to your child's Google Classroom stream this week. If you have already given permission for your child to use Times Tables Rock Stars, you **do not** need to complete the Google Form as their TTRS log-in information will also enable access to Numbots.

Your child's log-in information and further specific guidance for how to use Numbots will follow shortly.

Thank you for your support.

The KS1 Team
