

KH/SAS/TM/GetSmartAboutAI

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Get Smart About AI

Dear Parent/Carer,

We are delighted to inform you that, following their strong achievement in Mathematics, your child has been selected to attend an exciting live virtual session exploring the important role that Mathematics plays in the development and function of Artificial Intelligence (AI).

The event will take place on Thursday 8th October at 10:00am and will be a live stream featuring two leading mathematicians, Dr Herb Daly and Dr Jason S. Anquandah. The session will take place in school.

During the live session, pupils will have the opportunity to:

- Hear from two leading mathematicians about their work and career journeys.
- Discover how Mathematics is used in the development of Artificial Intelligence.
- Learn more about the exciting links between Mathematics, AI, technology and future careers.
- Take part in a live question-and-answer session with Dr Daly and Dr Anquandah.

We hope this will be an inspiring and informative opportunity for high-achieving Mathematics pupils to deepen their understanding of the subject and discover how the Mathematics they study can be applied to one of the most rapidly developing areas of technology.

Thank you for your continued support in encouraging your child to explore the opportunities that Mathematics can provide for their future.

Yours sincerely,

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