



# Avonbourne Girls' Academy

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Dear Y6 Parents/Carers,

We are pleased to announce a very exciting opportunity from educational technology company Sparx – a free Secondary Ready course available on their new platform Numerise.

The Numerise platform will be completely free until September; no credit or debit card details are required to sign up to the pilot. Making a user name and getting started takes less than five minutes. The Numerise platform works on desktop computers, laptops, smartphones and tablets – all that will be required is reliable internet access. There are two types of account, one for your child and one for 'Supporting Adults' so that you can track and monitor their progress with ease. The tasks are designed to prepare pupils for secondary mathematics work in September and contain explanatory videos with all methods and workings shown.

Instructions:

1. Go to the Numerise website at [www.numerise.com](http://www.numerise.com) with your child
2. Click 'Sign Up' in the top right
3. Make a learner account for your child
4. Enter their details with a suitable email address, could be their own if they have one or a parental email address
5. Once on the platform make sure they select the Secondary Ready course
6. Start the course!

As stated above parents can also make their own 'Supporting Adult' accounts in order to track their child's progress through the course.

Whilst we will be making other mathematics materials available via the transition pages of the school website, we feel completion of the Secondary Ready course on the Numerise platform will offer the ideal preparation for your child's entry into secondary mathematics in September.

If you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact the Head of Maths at the Avonbourne Academies, Joshua Cole, at [joshua.cole@avonbourneacademy.org.uk](mailto:joshua.cole@avonbourneacademy.org.uk)

Kind regards,

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