

Richmond School & Sixth Form College



Press Release

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TITLE: Primary Schools in '24 Game' Maths Challenge

Fifty-two children from feeder primary schools took part in a maths competition at Richmond School on Thursday 9th June. The competition, the "24 Game", is designed to promote an interest in numbers. Thirteen teams battled it out in the problem-solving contest organised by teachers in the Mathematics Department. The eventual winners were pupils from Richmond Methodist School, with Middleton Tyas a close second and St Mary's RC in third place. The event also gave youngsters the opportunity to meet and work with pupils from other schools in the run-up to transferring to secondary school.

Primary Liaison Co-ordinator Sandra Johnson said: "I was really impressed with the way the children worked together in their teams. There was a real spirit of co-operation as well as competition and it was good to see all these youngsters enjoying their maths. It was also a very successful event in terms of promoting the links between our schools."

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Notes to editors

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2. Richmond School is a mixed 11-19 comprehensive community school maintained by North Yorkshire County Council. The Local Education Authority is responsible for all admissions to the school and the Headteacher is Mr I Robertson.

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