

# Quick Number Natter Talking Points

Use the Quick Number Natter talking points below to spark short, informal conversations in your organisation. Add the Big Number Natter as an agenda item to your meetings and spend a few minutes on the talking points OR ask everyone to start a quick number natter using these talking points during a coffee break, at the water cooler...any time!



## Give me one word



### Talking Point 1

What one word that describes how you feel about maths, positive or negative? Why?

## Love it? Loathe it?



### Talking Point 2

Love it or loathe it, everyone has something to say about maths. What's your number story?

## Have a guess!



### Talking Point 3

Q: What percentage of the UK population has the numeracy level of a primary school child?  
A: 49%. Does that surprise you?

## Everyday maths



### Talking Point 4

Can you name some of the ways you use maths in everyday life?

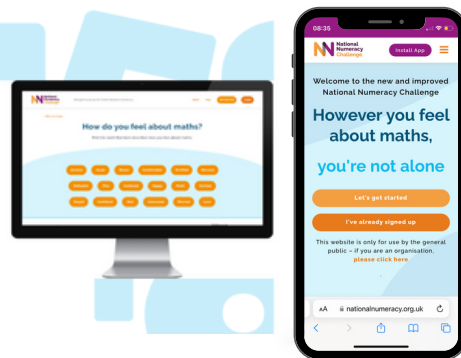
## Hidden in plain sight!



### Talking Point 5

Do you use maths at work? It might not be obvious! Can you think of any examples?

## The 10 minute Challenge



### Talking Point 6

We all learn differently. Try the National Numeracy Challenge to check your confidence and skill. It just takes 10 mins!  
[nationalnumeracy.org.uk/challenge](http://nationalnumeracy.org.uk/challenge)

National Numeracy Day

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