## Able Maths Day

Six pupils from Year 6 were recently invited to join other gifted mathematicians from five local primary schools to participate in an Able Maths Day at Harborne Primary School on **Thursday 25**<sup>th</sup> October 2018.

The event was hosted by Anne Fieldhouse, a leading professional in the Maths Education sector, who stretched the children through a variety of activities including: sorting data effectively; looking at number patterns; and number puzzles with multiple answers.

The emphasis was on promoting discussion and so developing thinking, reasoning and problem solving skills.

The day finished with a folding activity, discovering things about shape, which the children were able to take away to explain and talk to friends and family about.

Anne was extremely impressed with the ability our children had to problem solve and effectively explain their reasoning to the group.





