## Maths Reasoning and Wellbeing Morning January 2023

For our maths and wellbeing reasoning morning, Farmers Class played Encounters; a game which relies on good communication and team work to solve.

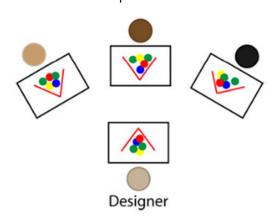


## The rules:

- You must work in teams of 4 or 5 to design a pattern
- Player 1 will use counters to create a pattern behind a screen. They will describe their pattern to the rest of the team.
- Each of the team members will try to make the same pattern by listening to player 1s instructions.
- The team can ask questions and Player 1 must do their best to help them using their words.
- Once all of the team have correctly made the design, someone else can take a turn at being the designer.

## The aim:

- To work together as a team to make the same pattern



The game was

challenging to

begin with but Farmers worked very hard to improve their communication and by the end of the session all teams were able to complete at least one pattern.