Shoreham Beach Primary School



Calculations Policy

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Introduction

Children are introduced to the processes of calculation through practical apparatus, oral and mental activities. As children begin to understand the underlying ideas, they develop ways of recording to support their thinking and calculation methods, use particular methods that apply to special cases, and learn to interpret and use the signs and symbols involved. From the early stages, children learn how to use models and images, such as empty number lines, to support their mental and informal written methods of calculation.

There is a considerable emphasis on teaching mental calculation strategies. Informal written recording takes place regularly and is an important part of learning and understanding. More formal written methods follow only when the child is able to use a wide range of mental calculation strategies. As children's mental methods are strengthened and refined, so too are their informal written methods. These methods include bar models, part-part-whole diagrams and pictures. Some recording takes the form of jottings, which are used to support children's thinking. This may be done on scrap paper, jotter books and whiteboards and is not always retained as it is for the children's own personal use.

This policy contains the key pencil and paper procedures that will be taught within our school. It has been written to ensure consistency and progression throughout the school and reflects a whole school agreement.

This policy concentrates on the introduction of standard symbols, the use of the empty numberline as a jotting to aid mental calculation and the introduction of pencil and paper procedures. It is important that children do not abandon jottings and mental methods once pencil and paper procedures are introduced. Therefore children will always be encouraged to look at a calculation/problem and then decide which is the best method to choose – apparatus, pictures, mental calculation with or without jottings, structured recording or a calculator. Our long-term aim is for children to be able to select an efficient method of their choice (whether this be mental, written or in upper Key Stage 2 using a calculator) that is appropriate for a given task. They will do this by always asking themselves:

- 'Can I do this in my head?'
- 'Do I need some apparatus?
- 'Can I do this in my head using drawings or jottings?'
- 'Do I need to use a pencil and paper procedure?'
- 'Do I need a calculator?'

Although the focus of the policy is on pencil and paper procedures it is important to recognise that the ability to calculate mentally lies at the heart of Primary mathematics. Mental methods will be taught systematically from Reception onwards and pupils will be given regular opportunities to develop the necessary skills. However mental calculation is not to the exclusion of written recording and should be seen as complementary to and not as separate from it. In every written method there is an element of mental processing. Sharing written methods with the teacher encourages children to think about the mental strategies that underpin them and to develop new ideas. Therefore written recording both helps children to clarify their thinking and supports and extends the development of more fluent and sophisticated mental strategies.

The overall aim is that when children leave primary school they:

- have a secure knowledge of number facts and a good understanding of the four operations;
- they are able to reason with numbers and problem solve, explaining their understanding and methods
- are able to use this knowledge and understanding to carry out calculations mentally and to apply general strategies when using one-digit and two-digit numbers and particular strategies to special cases involving bigger numbers;
- make use of diagrams and informal notes to help record steps and part answers when using mental methods that generate more information than can be kept in their heads;
- have an efficient, reliable, compact written method of calculation for each operation that they can apply with confidence when undertaking calculations that they cannot carry out mentally;
- use a calculator effectively, using their mental skills to monitor the process, check the steps involved and decide if the numbers displayed make sense.

Although not mentioned in the following grids, opportunities will be given for the children to use and apply new methods of calculating they have learnt. Reasoning and problem solving will be used from Y1 onwards, up to Y6 where the problems will be multi-step.

Addition (+)

Reception

Number rhymes & songs.

Conservation of number.

Understanding the number and what each digit represents.

1 to 1 correspondence.

1 more.

How many altogether? Physical counting objects

Adding 2 small groups (1 digit numbers)

Introduce '+' sign.

Simple word problems.

doubling, halving and sharing

Summer Term – number line 0 to 10 to count on.

Chant counting in 10s up to 100, 2s to 10.

Awareness of 100 square.

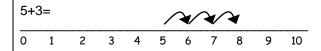
Year 1	Year 2	Year 3
7 and 1 more is 8 7 add 1 equals 8 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Numberlines 0 to 20. Using '+' number sentences and using '=' Count in tens, fives, twos. Number bonds up to 20. Add 1 and 2 digit numbers to 20. Work with numbers to 100 and beyond.	Add numbers to at least 100 using materials; combining two groups. Adding 3 single digit numbers Adding, holding 1 number in head. Counting on. Counting in steps of 2,3,5 from zero and in 10s from any number forwards and backwards. Number bonds up to 20 and derived facts to 100 Commutative law Inverses of addition/subtraction	Work with numbers up to 1000 Add/subtract using column methods Count in multiples of 4 8 50 and 100 Addition using blank numberlines $48 + 36 = $ $+30$ $+2$ $+48$ Partitioning with brackets $34 + 25 = 59$ $(30+20) (4+6)$ $50 + 9 =$

Number square

8+7=

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70
71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100

Recording addition calculations using numberline method (with numbers on)



Number square

48+36=

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11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
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31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70
71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100

Larger numbers +ing 10s and 20s.

Partitioning

Written calculations, operations. All horizontal recording.

Graphical representation.

Algebra – missing numbers in calculations.

Independent writing of calculations.

Progressing to:

Vertical expanded method:

$$43 + 25 = 43$$
 $+ 25$
 8
 60
 68

Followed by:

Addition vertical compact method. Carrying into the next column must be under the lower line NOT above the top line.

Adding and subtracting fractions with the same denominator.

Count up and down in tenths.

Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Use of 4 digit numbers Continue to gain fluency in vertical compact	Use of numbers up to 1,000,000 including negative numbers	Use of numbers up to 10,000,000
methods of addition.	Continue to use formal written methods of addition on increasingly large numbers.	Multistep word problems
Extend to addition of decimals Convert fractions to decimals and back.		

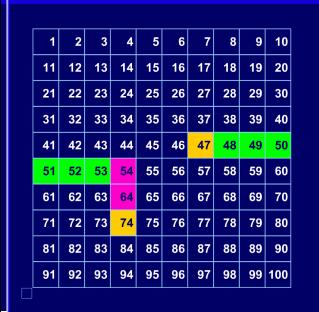
Subtraction (-)

Reception

Number rhymes / songs Looking at 1 less Counting backwards Introduce 'take away' vocabulary. Practice 'take-away' with tangible apparatus.

Year 1	Year 2	Year 3
Physical recapping – taking objects away. Use of – sign for subtraction	Using objects physically taking away. Subtraction by jumping up in 10s. Partitioning using objects.	Partitioning. Numberline blank (jumps 10 or match digits). Horizontal recording. Counting on or back
Number square 15-7=8	Number square 74-27=47	74 - 27= 47 +3 27 30 +40 +4 70 74
		15 – 7 = 8

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70
71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
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91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100

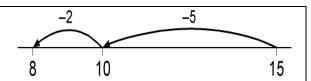


Count back on a numberline – 2 digit numbers

Subtraction number sentences (12-5=) Start with bigger number and count back in ones. By end of year children are using numbers >100

Numberline blank (jumps 10 or match digits).

Subtraction as the inverse of addition.



Vertical recording. 46 - 23 =

$$40 + 6$$

$$- 20 + 3$$

$$20 + 3 = 23$$

Progressing to:

Vertical recording.

$$46 - 23 =$$

$$40 + 6$$
 $20 + 3$
 $20 + 3 = 23$

Vertical recording into 3 digit numbers and 'carrying'

$$784 - 35 =$$

Followed by:

Compact method of subtraction, with 'carrying'

		(only if children are fully conversant with previous methods). $ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Continue to gain fluency in vertical compact methods of subtraction. 6 13 11 741 -367 374 Extend to subtracting decimals	Continue to gain fluency in vertical compact methods of subtraction on increasingly large numbers. Ensuring vertical methods have been taught in year 5 if not before.	Multi step word problems
	Multiplication (x)	
Reception		
Repeated addition Chanting in 2s, 5s, 10s		
Year 1	Year 2	Year 3

Look at numbers on a numberline to see the pattern.

Chanting in 2s,5s and 10s Record as repeated addition 2+2+2 = 6

Introduce 'x' sign & 'lots of'.

One step problems using objects and pictorial representations.

Chanting 2s, 3s, 5s, 10s time-tables Groups of objects.

Recording dots on a whiteboard.

Written use of X sign

Use of a bead bar:

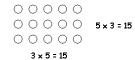
 $5 \times 3 = 5 + 5 + 5$



Repeated addition - use of pictures.

Finger counting.

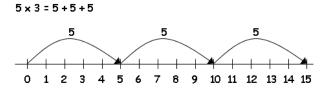
Arrays - model a multiplication calculation using an array.



Commutativity

Children should know that 3×5 has the same answer as 5×3 . This can also be shown on the number line.

Times-tables = 2s, 5, 10s, 3s, 4s, 6s, 7s, 8s, 9s. Repeated addition on a number line. 3 times 5 is 5+5+5=15 or 3 lots of 5 or 5×3



Multiplication square Partitioning. $26 \times 4 = 104$ $(20\times4) (6\times4)$ 80 + 24 =

Progressing to:

Grid method of multiplication. Two digits x one digit = Three digits x one digit =

23 x 7 is approximately 20 x 10 = 200

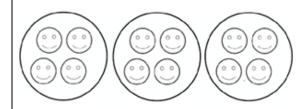
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Continue to gain fluency in grid method of multiplication.	Continue to gain fluency in vertical compact methods of multiplication. Ensuring this is taught in year 5 if not before.	Multiply multi-digit numbers up to 4 digits by a two-digit whole number using the formal written method of long multiplication
Expanded vertical method of multiplication starting with units column. HTU 38 X 7 56 210 266	Understanding of prime numbers	
Progressing to:		
Compact vertical method of multiplication.		
HTU 38 X 7 266		
Know all times tables and division facts.		

Multip	ly 2 and 3 digit numbers by 1 digit	
numbe	er using formal written methods.	
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Recog	nise factor pairs	
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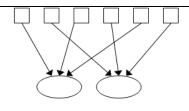
Division (÷)

Reception

Children will understand equal groups and share items out in play and problem solving. They will count in 2s and 10s and later in 5s.



Year 1	Year 2	Year 3
The children will recognise and write the division symbol (÷) in mathematical statements, calculating the answer with the teacher using concrete objects. One step problems using objects and pictorial representations. Halves and quarters as fractions of a whole.	Inverse operations. Drawing picture. Sharing things out. Horizontal or pictorial recording. Remainders. Written use of ÷ sign Children will develop their understanding of division and use jottings to support calculation Sharing equally 6 sweets shared between 2 people, how many do they each get?	Tangible sharing. Grouping. Multiplication square. Inverse operations. Recognition of fractions and decimals as the result of division. Horizontal recording on a numberline. Number lines are used in both addition and subtraction, so use of them in division as well can be confusing. If using a number line for division, children need to remember to start the line at zero. Remainders can be recorded underneath the line.



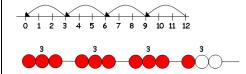
Grouping or repeated subtraction

There are 6 sweets, how many people can have 2 sweets each?



Repeated subtraction using a number line or bead bar

 $12 \div 3 = 4$



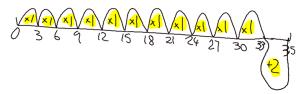
The bead bar will help children with interpreting division calculations such as 10 \div 5 as how many 5s make 10?'

Using symbols to stand for unknown numbers to complete equations using inverse operations

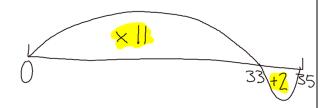
$$\square \div 2 = 4$$
 $20 \div \triangle = 4 \square \div \triangle = 4$

Recognise, find, name and write fractions $\frac{1}{3}$,

$$\frac{1}{4}$$
, $\frac{2}{4}$ and $\frac{3}{4}$



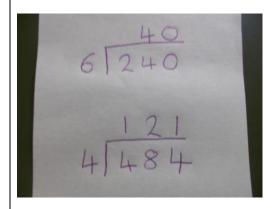
Chunking using a numberline



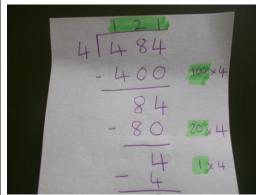
Year 4

Progressing to:

Using the vertical method of recording from the chunking method on a numberline.



Using the compact vertical 'bus-stop' method without remainders.



Short division of HTO ÷ O can be introduced as an alternative, more compact

Year 5

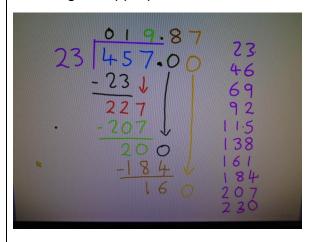
Continue to gain fluency with formal written methods of division, including division with remainders and interpret them for context.

Divide whole numbers by 10 100 1000

Calculate percentages Work with fractions with different denominators.

Year 6

Divide numbers up to 4 digits by a two-digit whole number using the formal written method of long division, and interpret remainders as whole number remainders, fractions, or by rounding, as appropriate for the context



Divide proper fractions by a whole number

Progressing to decimal remainders.

recording method than chunking, but only when children are secure in the other methods.	
$\frac{27}{38^{2}1}$	

The skill of questioning

Children cannot learn the meanings of words in isolation. The use of questions is crucial in helping them to understand mathematical ideas and use mathematical terms correctly.

It is important to ask questions in different ways so that children who do not understand the first time may pick up the meaning subsequently. Pupils for whom English is an additional language benefit and so will others who are not always familiar with the vocabulary and grammatical structures used in school.

It is easy to use certain types of questions — those that ask the listener to recall and apply facts — more often than those that require a higher level of thinking. If you can use the full range of question types you will find that children begin to give more complex answers in which they explain their thinking.

Recalling facts

What is 3 add 7? How many days are there in a week? How many centimetres are there in a metre? Is 31 a prime number?

Applying facts

Tell me two numbers that have a difference of 12. What unit would you choose to measure the width of the table? What are the factors of 42?

Hypothesising or predicting

Estimate the number of marbles in this jar. If we did our survey again on Friday, how likely is it that our graph would be the same? Roughly, what is 51 times 47? How many rectangles in the next diagram? And the next?

Designing and comparing procedures

How might we count this pile of sticks? How could you subtract 37 from 82? How could we test a number to see if it is divisible by 6? How could we find the 20th triangular number? Are there other ways of doing it?

Interpreting results

So what does that tell us about numbers that end in 5 or 0? What does the graph tell us about the most common shoe size? So what can we say about the sum of the angles in a triangle?

Applying reasoning

The seven coins in my purse total 23p. What could they be? In how many different ways can four children sit at a round table? Why is the sum of two odd numbers always even?

Ask children who are getting started with a piece of work:

How are you going to tackle this?
What information do you have? What do you need to find out or do?

What operation/s are you going to use?

Will you do it mentally, with pencil and paper, using a number line, with a calculator...? Why?

Ask children who are stuck:

Can you describe the problem in your own words?
Can you talk me through what you have done so far?
What did you do last time? What is different this time?
Is there something that you already know that might help?
Could you try it with simpler numbers... fewer numbers... using a number line...?
What about putting things in order?

What method are you going to use? Why? What equipment will you need? What questions will you need to ask? How are you going to record what you are doing? What do you think the answer or result will be? Can you estimate or predict?

Would a table help, or a picture/diagram/graph? Why not make a guess and check if it works? Have you compared your work with anyone else's?

Make positive interventions to check progress while children are working, by asking:

Can you explain what you have done so far?

What else is there to do?

Why did you decide to use this method or do it this way?

Can you think of another method that might have worked?

Could there be a quicker way of doing this?

What do you mean by...?

What did you notice when ...?

Why did you decide to organise your results like that?

Are you beginning to see a pattern or a rule?

Do you think that this would work with other numbers?

Have you thought of all the possibilities? How can you be sure?

Throughout the lesson ask:

How did you get your answer?

Can you describe your method/pattern/rule to us all? Can you explain why it works?

What could you try next?

Would it work with different numbers?

What if you had started with... rather than...?

What if you could only use ...?

Is it a reasonable answer/result? What makes you say so?

How did you check it?

What have you learned or found out today?

If you were doing it again, what would you do differently?

Having done this, when could you use this

method/information/idea again?

Did you use any new words today? What do they mean? How do you spell them?

What are the key points or ideas that you need to remember for the next lesson?

Vocabulary

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3
Counting and recognising	Numbers and the	Numbers and the	Numbers and the
numbers	number system	number system	number system
COUNTING	COUNTING, PROPERTIES OF	COUNTING, PROPERTIES OF	COUNTING, PROPERTIES OF
number	NUMBERS AND NUMBER	NUMBERS AND NUMBER	NUMBERS AND NUMBER
zero, one, two, three to twenty and	SEQUENCES	SEQUENCES	SEQUENCES
beyond	number	number	number
zero, ten, twenty one hundred	zero, one, two, three to twenty and	zero, one, two, three to twenty and	zero, one, two, three to twenty and
none	beyond	beyond	beyond
how many?	zero, ten, twenty one hundred	zero, ten, twenty one hundred	zero, ten, twenty one hundred
count, count (up) to, count on (from, to)	none	zero, one hundred, two hundred one	zero, one hundred, two hundred one
count back (from, to), count in ones,	how many?	thousand	thousand
twos tens	count, count (up) to	none	none
more, less, many, few, odd, even every	count on (from, to)	how many?	how many?
other	count back (from, to)	count, count (up) to	count, count (up) to
how many times?	count in ones, twos tens	count on (from, to)	count on (from, to)
pattern, pair	more, less, many, few	count back (from, to)	count back (from, to)
guess how many, estimate, nearly, close	odd, even	count in ones, twos, threes, fours,	count in ones, twos, threes, fours,
to, about the same as	every other	fives	fives
just over, just under	how many times?	count in tens	count in tens, hundreds
too many, too few, enough, not enough	pattern, pair	more, less, many, few	more, less, many, few
COMPARING AND ORDERING	PLACE VALUE AND ORDERING	tally	tally
NUMBERS	units, ones	odd, even	odd, even
the same number as, as many as	tens	every other	every other
Of two objects/amounts:	exchange	how many times?	how many times?
greater, more, larger, bigger	digit	multiple of	multiple of

less, fewer, smaller
Of three or more objects/amounts:
greatest, most, biggest, largest
least, fewest, smallest
one more, ten more
one less, ten less
compare, order, size
first, second, third... tenth
last, last but one
before, after, next, between, above,

Adding and subtracting

add, more, and, make, sum, total altogether, score, double, one more, two more, ten more... how many more to make...?

how many more to make...? how many more is... than...? take (away), leave how many are left/left over? how many have gone? one less, two less... ten less... how many fewer is... than...? difference between

below

Solving problems REASONING ABOUT NUMBERS OR SHAPES

pattern, puzzle, answer, right, wrong what could we try next? how did you work it out? count, sort, group, set, match, same, different, list

PROBLEMS INVOLVING 'REAL LIFE' OR MONEY

compare
double
half, halve
pair
count out, share out
left, left over
money
coin
penny, pence, pound

is the same as

'teens' number

the same number as, as many as equal to

Of **two** objects/amounts: greater, more, larger, bigger less, fewer, smaller

Of **three** or more objects/amounts: greatest, most, biggest, largest

least, fewest, smallest one more, ten more one less, ten less

compare order

size

first, second, third... tenth, eleventh...

twentieth

last, last but one before, after

next

between, half-way between above, below

ESTIMATING

guess how many, estimate nearly, roughly, close to about the same as just over, just under

too many, too few, enough, not enough

Calculations ADDITION AND SUBTRACTION

+, add, more, plus make, sum, total altogether

score

double, near double one more, two more... ten more

how many more to make...? how many more is... than...?

how much more is...?

-, subtract, take (away), minus leave

how many are left/left over? how many have gone? one less, two less, ten less...

how many fewer is... than...?

sequence continue predict

pattern, pair, rule

PLACE VALUE AND ORDERING

units, ones tens, hundreds digit

one-, two- or three-digit number

'teens' number place, place value stands for, represents

exchange

the same number as, as many as

equal to

Of **two** objects/amounts: greater, more, larger, bigger

less, fewer, smaller

Of **three** or more objects/amounts:

greatest, most, biggest, largest

least, fewest, smallest one more, ten more one less, ten less compare

compare order size

first, second, third... tenth... twentieth twenty-first, twenty-second...

last, last but one before, after

next

between, half-way between

above, below

ESTIMATING

guess how many, estimate nearly, roughly, close to about the same as just over, just under

exact, exactly

too many, too few, enough, not enough round, nearest, round to the nearest ten

FRACTIONS

part, equal parts

fraction

sequence continue

predict

pattern, pair, rule relationship

PLACE VALUE AND ORDERING

units, ones tens, hundreds

digit

one-, two- or three-digit number

'teens' number place, place value stands for, represents

exchange

the same number as, as many as

equal to

Of **two** objects/amounts: greater, more, larger, bigger

less, fewer, smaller

Of **three** or more objects/amounts:

greatest, most, biggest, largest

least, fewest, smallest

one more, ten more, one hundred more one less, ten less, one hundred less

compare order size

first, second, third... tenth... twentieth

twenty-first, twenty-second...

last, last but one before, after next

between, half-way between

above, below **ESTIMATING**

guess how many, estimate

nearly, roughly, close to approximate, approximately about the same as

just over, just under exact, exactly

exact, exactly

too many, too few, enough, not enough

round (up or down)

nearest, round to the nearest ten

price cost buv sell spend, spent pay change dear, costs more cheap, costs less, cheaper costs the same as how much...? how many...? total Measures, shape and space **MEASURES (GENERAL)** measure size compare quess, estimate enough, not enough too much, too little too many, too few nearly, close to, about the same as just over, just under LENGTH length, width, height, depth long, short, tall high. low wide, narrow deep, shallow thick, thin longer, shorter, taller, higher... and so longest, shortest, tallest, highest... and so on far, near, close MASS weigh, weighs, balances heavy/light, heavier/lighter, heaviest/lightest balance, scales, weight **CAPACITY** full

how much less is ...? difference between half, halve =, equals, sign, is the same as Solving problems MAKING DECISIONS AND REASONING pattern puzzle answer right, wrong what could we try next? how did you work it out? count out, share out, left, left over number sentence sign, operation MONEY monev coin penny, pence, pound price cost buy sell spend, spent pay change dear, costs more cheap, costs less, cheaper costs the same as how much...? how many...?

total Organising and using data

count, sort, vote group, set list same, different table

Measures, shape and space

MEASURES (GENERAL)

measure size

one whole one half, two halves one quarter, two... three... four quarters

Calculations

ADDITION AND SUBTRACTION +, add, addition, more, plus make, sum, total altogether score double, near double one more, two more... ten more... one hundred more how many more to make...? how many more is... than...? how much more is...? -, subtract, subtraction, take (away), minus leave, how many are left/left over? one less, two less... ten less... one hundred less how many fewer is... than ...?

how much less is...? difference between half, halve

=, equals, sign, is the same as tens boundary

', times, multiply, multiplied by

lots of, groups of

multiple of

left, left over

MULTIPLICATION AND DIVISION

once, twice, three times... ten times... times as (big, long, wide... and so on) repeated addition array row, column double, halve share, share equally one each, two each, three each... group in pairs, threes... tens equal groups of , divide, divided by, divided into

Solving problems

part, equal parts fraction one whole one half, two halves one quarter, two... three... four quarters one third, two thirds, three thirds one tenth

FRACTIONS

Calculations

ADDITION AND SUBTRACTION +, add, addition, more, plus make, sum, total altogether score double, near double one more, two more... ten more... one hundred more how many more to make...? how many more is... than...? how much more is...? -, subtract, subtraction, take (away), minus leave, how many are left/left over? one less, two less,... ten less,... one hundred less how many fewer is... than...? how much less is...? difference between half, halve

=, equals, sign, is the same as tens boundary, hundreds boundary MULTIPLICATION AND DIVISION

lots of, groups of ', times, multiply, multiplication, multiplied by multiple of, product once, twice, three times... ten times... times as (big, long, wide... and so on) repeated addition array row. column double, halve share, share equally one each, two each, three each

half full empty holds container TIME time

days of the week: Monday, Tuesday...

day, week birthday, holiday

morning, afternoon, evening, night bedtime, dinnertime, playtime today, yesterday, tomorrow

before, after next. last

now, soon, early, late

quick, quicker, quickest, quickly slow, slower, slowest, slowly

old. older. oldest new, newer, newest

takes longer, takes less time

hour, o'clock

clock, watch, hands

EXPLORING PATTERNS, SHAPE AND SPACE

shape, pattern

flat

curved, straight

round

hollow, solid corner

face, side, edge, end

sort

make, build, draw

3D SHAPES

cube pyramid sphere cone

2D SHAPES

circle triangle square rectangle star

compare

quess, estimate enough, not enough too much, too little too many, too few

nearly, roughly, close to, about the same

just over, just under

LENGTH

length, width, height, depth

long, short, tall high. low wide, narrow deep, shallow thick, thin

longer, shorter, taller, higher... and so

longest, shortest, tallest, highest... and

so on

far. near. close

metre

ruler, metre stick

MASS

weigh, weighs, balances heavy/light, heavier/lighter, heaviest/lightest

balance, scales, weight

CAPACITY

full half full empty holds container TIME

days of the week: Monday, Tuesday... seasons: spring, summer, autumn,

winter

day, week, month, year weekend, birthday, holiday morning, afternoon, evening

night, midnight

bedtime, dinnertime, playtime today, yesterday, tomorrow

MAKING DECISIONS AND REASONING

pattern, puzzle

calculate, calculation mental calculation iottina answer right, correct, wrong what could we try next? how did you work it out? number sentence sign, operation, symbol

MONEY

monev coin

penny, pence, pound (£)

price, cost

buy, bought, sell, sold

spend, spent

pay change

dear, costs more

cheap, costs less, cheaper how much...? how many...? total

Organising and using data

count, tally, sort, vote graph, block graph, pictogram represent group, set same, different list, table label, title most popular, most common

least popular, least common

Measures, shape and space

MEASURES (GENERAL)

measure size compare measuring scale guess, estimate

group in pairs, threes... tens equal groups of ,, divide, division, divided by, divided into left, left over, remainder

Solving problems MAKING DECISIONS AND **REASONING**

pattern, puzzle calculate, calculation mental calculation method jotting answer

right, correct, wrong what could we try next? how did you work it out? number sentence

sign, operation, symbol, equation

MONEY

money, coin, note, penny, pence, pound (£), price, cost, buy, bought, sell, sold spend, spent, pay, change dear, costs more, more/most expensive cheap, costs less, cheaper, less/least expensive

how much...? how many...? total, amount value, worth

Handling data

count, tally, sort, vote graph, block graph, pictogram represent group, set list, chart, bar chart table, frequency table Carroll diagram, Venn diagram label, title, axis, axes diagram most popular, most common least popular, least common

Measures, shape and space **MEASURES (GENERAL)**

PATTERNS AND SYMMETRY

size

bigger, larger, smaller

symmetrical pattern

repeating pattern

match

POSITION, DIRECTION AND MOVEMENT

position over, under above, below top, bottom, side

on. in

outside, inside

around

in front, behind front, back before, after beside, next to

opposite apart between middle, edge corner

direction left, right up, down

forwards, backwards, sideways

across

close, far, near

along through

to, from, towards, away from

movement slide

roll turn

stretch, bend

Instructions

listen join in say think

before, after next, last

now, soon, early, late

quick, quicker, quickest, quickly

fast, faster, fastest

slow, slower, slowest, slowly

old, older, oldest new, newer, newest

takes longer, takes less time

hour, o'clock, half past clock, watch, hands how long ago?

how long will it be to ...? how long will it take to ...?

how often?

always, never, often, sometimes, usually

once, twice

SHAPE AND SPACE

shape, pattern

flat

curved, straight

round hollow, solid corner

point, pointed

face, side, edge, end

sort

make, build, draw

3D SHAPES

cube cuboid pyramid sphere cone cvlinder **2D SHAPES**

circle triangle square rectangle star

PATTERNS AND SYMMETRY

size

bigger, larger, smaller

enough, not enough too much, too little too many, too few

nearly, roughly, about, close to, about the same as

just over, just under

LENGTH

length, width, height, depth long, short, tall, high, low

wide, narrow, deep, shallow, thick, thin longer, shorter, taller, higher... and so on

longest, shortest, tallest, highest... and so on

far, further, furthest, near, close metre (m), centimetre (cm) ruler, metre stick, tape measure

MASS

weigh, weighs, balances heavy/light, heavier/lighter, heaviest/lightest

kilogram (kg), half-kilogram, gram (g)

balance, scales, weight

CAPACITY

capacity full, half full empty

holds, contains

litre (1), half-litre, millilitre (ml) container

TIME

time

days of the week: Monday, Tuesday... months of the year: January, February... seasons: spring, summer, autumn,

winter

day, week, fortnight, month, year weekend, birthday, holiday

morning, afternoon, evening, night.

midnight

bedtime, dinnertime, playtime today, yesterday, tomorrow

before, after next. last

measure size

compare

measuring scale, division

quess, estimate enough, not enough too much, too little too many, too few

nearly, roughly, about, close to, about the same as, approximately

just over, just under

LENGTH

length, width, height, depth long, short, tall, high, low

wide, narrow, deep, shallow, thick, thin longer, shorter, taller, higher... and so

longest, shortest, tallest, highest... and so on

far. further, furthest, near, close distance apart/between, distance to... from...

kilometre (km), metre (m), centimetre (cm)

mile

ruler, metre stick, tape measure

MASS

weigh, weighs, balances heavy/light, heavier/lighter, heaviest/lightest

kilogram (kg), half-kilogram, gram (g)

balance, scales, weight

CAPACITY

capacity full, half full empty holds, contains

litre (1), half-litre, millilitre (ml)

container

TIME

time

days of the week: Monday, Tuesday... months of the year: January, February... seasons: spring, summer, autumn,

imagine
remember
start from
start with
start at
look at
point to
show me
put, place
fit
arrange

arrange rearrange

change, change over

split separate

carry on, continue

repeat

what comes next?

find choose collect use make build tell me describe pick out talk about explain show me read write trace

copy

fill in

shade

colour

complete

finish, end

General

same number/s different number/s missing number/s number facts symmetrical pattern

repeating pattern

match

POSITION, DIRECTION AND MOVEMENT

position

over, under, underneath

above, below top, bottom, side

on, in

outside, inside

around

in front, behind front, back before, after beside, next to opposite

apart between middle, edge centre

corner direction journey left, right up, down

forwards, backwards, sideways

across

close, far, near

along through

to, from, towards, away from

movement slide roll

turn, whole turn, half turn

stretch, bend

Words new to Year 1 are in red

Instructions

listen, join in, say, think, imagine

remember

start from, start with, start at, look at point to, show me, put, place, fit

now, soon, early, late

quick, quicker, quickest, quickly

fast, faster, fastest

slow, slower, slowest, slowly

old, older, oldest new, newer, newest

takes longer, takes less time

how long ago? how long will it be to...?

how long will it take to...? hour, minute, second

o'clock, half past, quarter to, quarter

past

clock, watch, hands

digital/analogue clock/watch, timer

how often?

always, never, often, sometimes, usually

once, twice

SHAPE AND SPACE

shape, pattern flat, curved, straight

round hollow, solid corner

point, pointed

face, side, edge, end

sort

make, build, draw

surface

3D SHAPES cube

cuboid pyramid sphere cone cylinder 2D SHAPES

circle, circular triangle, triangular

square

rectangle, rectangular

star pentagon hexagon octagon winter

day, week, fortnight, month, year,

century

weekend, birthday, holiday

calendar, date

morning, afternoon, evening, night,

midnight am, pm

bedtime, dinnertime, playtime today, yesterday, tomorrow

before, after next, last

now, soon, early, late, earliest, latest quick, quicker, quickest, quickly

fast, faster, fastest

slow, slower, slowest, slowly

old, older, oldest new, newer, newest

takes longer, takes less time

how long ago? how long will it be to ...?

how long will it take to...? hour, minute, second

o'clock, half past, quarter to, quarter

past

clock, watch, hands

digital/analogue clock/watch, timer

how often?

always, never, often, sometimes, usually

once, twice

SHAPE AND SPACE

shape, pattern flat, curved, straight

round hollow, solid corner point, pointed

face, side, edge, end

sort

make, build, draw

surface right-angled vertex, vertices layer, diagram 3D SHAPES number line, number track number square number cards counters, cubes, blocks, rods die, dice dominoes pegs, peg board same way, different way best way, another way in order, in a different order not all, every, each

arrange, rearrange, change, change over, split, separate, carry on, continue repeat what comes next? find, choose, collect, use, make, build tell me, describe, pick out, talk about explain, show me, read, write, record trace, copy, complete, finish, end fill in, shade, colour, tick, cross draw, draw a line between join (up), ring, arrow, cost, count work out, answer, check

General

same number/s different number/s missing number/s number facts number line, number track number square number cards abacus counters, cubes, blocks, rods die. dice dominoes pegs, peg board same way, different way best way, another way in order, in a different order not all, every, each

PATTERNS AND SYMMETRY

size

bigger, larger, smaller symmetrical line of symmetry

fold match

mirror line, reflection

pattern

check

repeating pattern

POSITION, DIRECTION AND MOVEMENT

position over, under, underneath above, below

top, bottom, side

on, in, outside, inside, around, in front, behind, front, back, before, after, beside, next to, opposite, apart, between middle, edge, centre, corner, direction journey, route, left, right, up, down higher, lower, forwards, backwards, sideways, across, close, far, near along, through, to, from, towards, away from, clockwise, anti-clockwise movement, slide, roll

whole turn, half turn, quarter turn right angle, straight line, stretch, bend read, write, record, write in figures present, represent, trace, copy complete, finish, end, fill in, shade, colour, label, tick, cross, draw draw a line between, join (up) ring, arrow, cost, count, tally calculate, work out, solve, answer

General

same, different missing number/s number facts number pairs number bonds number line, number track number square, hundred square cube, cuboid, pyramid, sphere, hemisphere, cone, cylinder, prism

2D SHAPES

circle, circular, semi-circle triangle, triangular sauare rectangle, rectangular star

pentagon, pentagonal hexagon, hexagonal octagon, octagonal

quadrilateral

PATTERNS AND SYMMETRY

size, bigger, larger, smaller symmetrical line of symmetry fold, match mirror line, reflection pattern, repeating pattern

POSITION, DIRECTION AND MOVEMENT

position

over, under, underneath, above, below top, bottom, side, on, in, outside, inside around, in front, behind front, back, before, after beside, next to, opposite, apart between, middle, edge, centre corner, direction journey, route, map, plan left, right, up, down, higher, lower forwards, backwards, sideways across, close, far, near along, through to, from, towards, away from ascend. descend grid, row, column clockwise, anti-clockwise

compass point north, south, east, west (N, S, E, W) horizontal, vertical diagonal, movement, slide, roll whole turn, half turn, quarter turn angle, ...is a greater/smaller angle than

number cards
number grid
abacus
counters, cubes, blocks, rods
die, dice
dominoes
pegs, peg board
geo-strips
same way, different way
best way, another way
in order, in a different order
not
all, every, each

Instructions

listen, join in, say, recite, think, imagine remember, start from, start with start at, look at, point to, show me put, place, fit, arrange, rearrange change, change over, split separate, carry on, continue repeat what comes next? predict describe the pattern describe the rule find, find all, find different investigate, choose, decide, collect use, make, build, tell me, describe name, pick out, discuss, talk about explain, explain your method explain how you got your answer give an example of... show how you...

right angle, straight line stretch, bend

Instructions

listen, join in, say, recite, think imagine, remember start from, start with, start at look at, point to, show me put, place, fit arrange, rearrange change, change over split, separate carry on, continue, repeat what comes next? predict describe the pattern describe the rule find, find all, find different investigate, choose, decide collect, use, make, build tell me, describe, name pick out, discuss, talk about explain, explain your method explain how you got your answer give an example of... show how you... show your working read, write, record write in figures present, represent interpret, trace, copy, complete finish, end, fill in shade, colour, label, tick, cross draw, sketch, draw a line between join (up), ring, arrow, cost, count, tally calculate, work out, solve investigate, question answer, check

General

same, different missing number/s number facts, number pairs, number bonds greatest value, least value

Voor 4	Voor 5	Voor 6	number line, number track number square, hundred square number cards, number grid, abacus counters, cubes, blocks, rods die, dice dominoes, pegs, peg board, geo-strips same way, different way best way, another way in order, in a different order not, all, every, each
Year 4 Numbers	Year 5 Numbers	Year 6	a boro
		Numbers	
and the number system PLACE VALUE, ORDERING AND	and the number system PLACE VALUE, ORDERING AND	and the number system PLACE VALUE, ORDERING AND ROUNDING	
ROUNDING	ROUNDING	units, ones	NDING
units, ones	units, ones	tens, hundreds, thousands	
tens, hundreds, thousands	tens, hundreds, thousands	ten thousand, hundred thousand, million	
ten thousand, hundred thousand, million	ten thousand, hundred thousand, million	digit, one-, two-, three- or four-digit number	er
digit, one-, two-, three- or four-digit	digit, one-, two-, three- or four-digit	numeral	
number, numeral, 'teens' number	number, numeral	'teens' number	
place, place value, stands for,	'teens' number, place, place value	place, place value	
represents, exchange	stands for, represents, exchange	stands for, represents	
the same number as, as many as	the same number as, as many as	exchange	
equal to	equal to	the same number as, as many as	
Of two objects/amounts:	Of two objects/amounts:	equal to	
>, greater than, more than, larger than,	>, greater than, more than, larger than,	Of two objects/amounts:	
bigger than	bigger than	>, greater than, more than, larger than, bi	gger than
<, less than, fewer than, smaller than	<, less than, fewer than, smaller than	<, less than, fewer than, smaller than	
Of three or more objects/amounts: greatest, most, largest, biggest	3, greater than or equal to 2, less than or equal to	3, greater than or equal to 2, less than or equal to	
least, fewest, smallest	Of three or more objects/amounts:	Of three or more objects/amounts:	
one ten one hundred one	greatest, most, largest, biggest	greatest, most, largest, biggest	
thousand more/less	least, fewest, smallest	least, fewest, smallest	
compare, order, size	one ten one hundred one	one ten one hundred one thousand	d more/less
first tenth twentieth	thousand more/less, compare, order,	compare, order, size	
last, last but one	size, ascending/descending order	ascending/descending order	
before, after	first tenth twentieth	first tenth twentieth	

next

between, half-way between guess how many, estimate

nearly, roughly, close to, about the same as

approximate, approximately just over, just under

exact, exactly

too many, too few, enough, not enough

round (up or down), nearest

round to the nearest ten

round to the nearest hundred

integer, positive, negative

above/below zero, minus

PROPERTIES OF NUMBERS AND NUMBER SEQUENCES

number, count, how many...?

odd. even

every other

how many times?

multiple of

digit

next. consecutive

sequence

continue

predict

pattern, pair, rule

relationship

sort, classify, property

FRACTIONS AND DECIMALS

part, equal parts

fraction

one whole

half, quarter, eighth

third, sixth

fifth, tenth, twentieth

proportion, in every, for every

decimal, decimal fraction decimal point, decimal place

Calculations

ADDITION AND SUBTRACTION

add, addition, more, plus, increase sum, total, altogether score

last, last but one, before, after, next between, half-way between guess how many, estimate nearly, roughly, close to, about the same as, approximate, approximately A. is approximately equal to just over, just under, exact, exactly too many, too few, enough, not enough round (up or down), nearest round to the nearest ten/hundred round to the nearest thousand integer, positive, negative

PROPERTIES OF NUMBERS AND NUMBER SEQUENCES

number, count, how many...? odd, even, every other, how many times?

above/below zero, minus

multiple of, digit, next, consecutive sequence, continue, predict pattern, pair, rule, relationship sort, classify, property

formula, divisible (by), divisibility, factor square number

one squared, two squared... $(1_2, 2_2...)$

FRACTIONS, DECIMALS, PERCENTAGES.

RATIO AND PROPORTION

part, equal parts, fraction, proper/improper fraction mixed number, numerator, denominator equivalent, reduced to, cancel one whole, half, quarter, eighth third, sixth, ninth, twelfth fifth, tenth, twentieth, hundredth proportion, ratio in every, for every, to every, as many as decimal, decimal fraction decimal point, decimal place percentage, per cent, %

Calculations ADDITION AND SUBTRACTION

add, addition, more, plus, increase sum, total, altogether, score

last, last but one, before, after next, between, half-way between guess how many, estimate nearly, roughly, close to, about the same as approximate, approximately Å, is approximately equal to just over, just under exact, exactly, too many, too few, enough, not enough round (up or down), nearest round to the nearest ten/hundred/thousand integer, positive, negative, above/below zero, minus PROPERTIES OF NUMBERS AND NUMBER

SEQUENCES

number, count, how many...? odd, even, every other how many times? multiple of, digit, next, consecutive, sequence continue, predict, pattern, pair, rule, relationship sort, classify, property, formula divisible (by), divisibility, factor, factorise square number, one squared, two squared... (12, 22...) prime, prime factor

FRACTIONS, DECIMALS, PERCENTAGES, RATIO AND PROPORTION

part, equal parts, fraction, proper/improper fraction mixed number, numerator, denominator equivalent, reduced to, cancel one whole, half, quarter, eighth, third, sixth, ninth, twelfth fifth, tenth, twentieth, hundredth, thousandth proportion, ratio, in every, for every, to every, as many as decimal, decimal fraction, decimal point, decimal place percentage, per cent, %

Calculations

ADDITION AND SUBTRACTION

add, addition, more, plus, increase sum, total, altogether, score double, near double, how many more to make...? subtract, subtraction, take (away), minus, decrease leave, how many are left/left over? difference between, half, halve how many more/fewer is... than...? how much more/less is...? equals, sign, is the same as tens boundary, hundreds boundary

double, near double how many more to make...? subtract, subtraction, take (away), minus, decrease leave, how many are left/left over? difference between half, halve how many more/fewer is... than...? how much more/less is...? equals, sign, is the same as tens boundary, hundreds boundary inverse

MULTIPLICATION AND DIVISION

lots of, groups of times, multiply, multiplication, multiplied by

multiple of, product once, twice, three times... ten times... times as (big, long, wide... and so on) repeated addition

array

row, column double, halve share, share equally

one each, two each, three each... group in pairs, threes... tens

equal groups of

divide, division, divided by, divided into remainder

factor, quotient, divisible by inverse

Solving problems MAKING DECISIONS AND REASONING

pattern, puzzle
calculate, calculation
mental calculation
method
jotting
answer
right, correct, wrong
what could we try next?
how did you work it out?
number sentence

double, near double how many more to make...? subtract, subtraction, take (away), minus, decrease, leave, how many are left/left over?

half, halve

inverse

difference between

how many more/fewer is... than...? how much more/less is...? equals, sign, is the same as tens boundary, hundreds boundary units boundary, tenths boundary

MULTIPLICATION AND DIVISION

lots of, groups of times, multiply, multiplication, multiplied by, multiple of, product once, twice, three times... ten times... times as (big, long, wide... and so on) repeated addition, array, row, column, double, halve, share, share equally one each, two each, three each... group in pairs, threes... tens equal groups of

divide, division, divided by, divided into remainder, factor, quotient, divisible by inverse

USING A CALCULATOR

calculator, display, key, enter, clear constant

Solving problems MAKING DECISIONS AND REASONING

pattern, puzzle, calculate, calculation mental calculation, method, strategy jotting, answer, right, correct, wrong what could we try next? how did you work it out? number sentence, sign, operation, symbol, equation

MONEY

money, coin, note, penny, pence, pound (£), price, cost, buy, bought, sell, sold spend, spent, pay, change

units boundary, tenths boundary inverse

MULTIPLICATION AND DIVISION

lots of, groups of

times, multiply, multiplication, multiplied by

multiple of, product

once, twice, three times... ten times...

times as (big, long, wide... and so on)

repeated addition

array, row, column, double, halve

share, share equally, one each, two each, three each...

group in pairs, threes... tens

equal groups of, divide, division, divided by, divided into

remainder, factor, quotient, divisible by

inverse

USING A CALCULATOR

calculator, display, key enter, clear, sign change constant, recurring, memory, operation key

Solving problems

MAKING DECISIONS AND REASONING

pattern, puzzle calculate, calculation mental calculation method, strategy jotting

answer

right, correct, wrong

what could we try next?

how did you work it out?

number sentence

sign, operation, symbol, equation

MONEY

money

coin, note

penny, pence, pound (£)

price, cost

buy, bought, sell, sold

spend, spent

pay

change

dear, costs more, more/most expensive

cheap, costs less, cheaper, less/least expensive

how much...? how many...?

sign, operation, symbol, equation

MONEY

money

coin, note

penny, pence, pound (£)

price, cost

buy, bought, sell, sold

spend, spent

pay

change

dear, costs more, more/most expensive cheap, costs less, cheaper, less/least

expensive

how much...? how many...?

total, amount

value, worth

Handling data

count, tally, sort, vote survey, questionnaire, data graph, block graph, pictogram represent

group, set

list, chart, bar chart, tally chart

table, frequency table

Carroll diagram, Venn diagram

label, title, axis, axes

diagram

most popular, most common least popular, least common

Measures, shape and space

MEASURES (GENERAL)

measure, measurement

size

compare

unit, standard unit metric unit, imperial unit

measuring scale, division

guess, estimate

enough, not enough

too much, too little

too many, too few

nearly, roughly, about, close to

dear, costs more, more/most expensive cheap, costs less, cheaper, less/least expensive

how much...? how many...? total, amount, value, worth discount. currency

Handling data

count, tally, sort, vote survey, questionnaire, data, database graph, block graph, line graph pictogram, represent, group, set list, chart, bar chart, bar line chart tally chart, table, frequency table Carroll diagram, Venn diagram label, title, axis, axes, diagram most popular, most common least popular, least common mode, range maximum/minimum value classify, outcome

PROBABILITY

fair, unfair, likely, unlikely, likelihood certain, uncertain probable, possible, impossible chance, good chance, poor chance, no chance, risk, doubt,

Measures, shape and space MEASURES (GENERAL)

measure, measurement size, compare, unit, standard unit metric unit, imperial unit measuring scale, division guess, estimate, enough, not enough too much, too little, too many, too few nearly, roughly, about, close to about the same as, approximately just over, just under

LENGTH

length, width, height, depth, breadth long, short, tall, high, low, wide, narrow, deep, shallow, thick, thin, longer, shorter, taller, higher... and so on total, amount, value, worth discount, profit, loss currency

Handling data

count, tally, sort, vote survey, questionnaire data, database graph, block graph, line graph pictogram, represent group, set list, chart, bar chart, bar line chart tally chart table, frequency table Carroll diagram, Venn diagram label, title, axis, axes diagram most popular, most common least popular, least common mode, range, mean, average, median statistics, distribution maximum/minimum value classify, outcome

PROBABILITY

fair, unfair

likely, unlikely, likelihood, equally likely

certain, uncertain

probable, possible, impossible

chance, good chance, poor chance, no chance

equal chance, even chance, fifty-fifty chance

risk, doubt biased, random

Measures, shape and space

MEASURES (GENERAL)

measure, measurement size compare

unit, standard unit metric unit, imperial unit measuring scale, division guess, estimate enough, not enough about the same as, approximately just over, just under

LENGTH

length, width, height, depth, breadth long, short, tall, high, low wide, narrow, deep, shallow, thick, thin longer, shorter, taller, higher... and so on

longest, shortest, tallest, highest... and so on

far, further, furthest, near, close distance apart/between, distance to... from...

edge, perimeter

kilometre (km), metre (m)

centimetre (cm), millimetre (mm) mile

ruler, metre stick, tape measure

MASS

mass: big, bigger, small, smaller, balances

weight: heavy/light, heavier/lighter,

heaviest/lightest weigh, weighs

kilogram (kg), half-kilogram, gram (g)

balance, scales

CAPACITY

capacity full, half full

empty

holds, contains

litre (1), half-litre, millilitre (ml)

pint

container, measuring cylinder

AREA

area, covers, surface square centimetre (*cm*₂)

TIME

time

days of the week: Monday, Tuesday... months of the year: January, February... seasons: spring, summer, autumn,

winter

day, week, fortnight, month

longest, shortest, tallest, highest... and so on, far, further, furthest, near, close distance apart/between, distance to... from...

edge, perimeter

kilometre (km), metre (m) centimetre (cm), millimetre (mm)

mile

ruler, metre stick, tape measure

MASS

mass: big, bigger, small, smaller, balances

weight: heavy/light, heavier/lighter,

heaviest/lightest weigh, weighs

kilogram (kg), half-kilogram, gram (g) balance, scales

CAPACITY

capacity, full, half full, empty holds, contains, litre (*I*), half-litre, millilitre (*ml*), pint, gallon container, measuring cylinder

AREA

area, covers, surface square centimetre (cm_2), square metre (m_2)

square millimetre (mm₂)

TIME

time

days of the week: Monday, Tuesday... months of the year: January, February... seasons: spring, summer, autumn, winter

day, week, fortnight, month year, leap year, century, millennium weekend, birthday, holiday calendar, date, date of birth morning, afternoon, evening, night am, pm, noon, midnight today, yesterday, tomorrow

before, after, next, last now, soon, early, late, earliest, latest

quick, quicker, quickest, quickly fast, faster, fastest, slow, slower,

too much, too little

too many, too few

nearly, roughly, about, close to about the same as, approximately

just over, just under

LENGTH

length, width, height, depth, breadth

long, short, tall, high, low

wide, narrow, deep, shallow, thick, thin

longer, shorter, taller, higher... and so on

longest, shortest, tallest, highest... and so on

far, further, furthest, near, close

distance apart/between, distance to... from...

edge, perimeter, circumference

kilometre (km), metre (m)

centimetre (cm), millimetre (mm)

mile, yard, feet, foot, inches, inch

ruler, metre stick, tape measure, compasses

MASS

mass: big, bigger, small, smaller, balances

weight: heavy/light, heavier/lighter, heaviest/lightest

weigh, weighs

tonne, kilogram (kg), half-kilogram, gram (g)

pound (lb), ounce (oz)

balance, scales

CAPACITY

capacity

full, half full, empty

holds, contains

litre (1), half-litre, centilitre (cl), millilitre (ml)

pint, gallon

container, measuring cylinder

AREA

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weekend, birthday, holiday

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how often? always, never, often, sometimes, usually

digital/analogue clock/watch, timer

SHAPE AND SPACE

shape, pattern, flat, line, curved, straight round, hollow, solid, corner point, pointed, face, side, edge, end sort, make, build, construct, draw, sketch, centre, radius, diameter net, surface, angle, right-angled base, square-based, vertex, vertices layer, diagram, regular, irregular concave, convex, open, closed

3D SHAPES

3D. three-dimensional, cube cuboid, pyramid, sphere, hemi-sphere, spherical, cone, cylinder, cylindrical prism, tetrahedron, polyhedron

2D SHAPES

2D, two-dimensional, circle, circular, semi-circle, triangle, triangular equilateral triangle, isosceles triangle square, rectangle, rectangular, oblong pentagon, pentagonal

slowest, slowly

old, older, oldest, new, newer, newest takes longer, takes less time how long ago? how long will it be to...? how long will it take to ...? timetable, arrive, depart hour, minute, second o'clock, half past, quarter to, quarter past

clock, watch, hands

digital/analogue clock/watch, timer 24-hour clock. 12-hour clock how often?

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2D SHAPES

2D, two-dimensional, circle, circular, semi-circle, triangle, triangular, equilateral triangle, isosceles triangle, scalene triangle, square rectangle, rectangular, oblong pentagon, pentagonal, hexagon, hexagonal, heptagon, octagon, octagonal, polygon, quadrilateral PATTERNS AND SYMMETRY

size, bigger, larger, smaller symmetrical, line of symmetry, axis of symmetry, line symmetry, reflective

calendar, date, date of birth

morning, afternoon, evening, night

am, pm, noon, midnight

today, yesterday, tomorrow

before, after, next, last

now, soon, early, late, earliest, latest

quick, quicker, quickest, quickly

fast, faster, fastest, slow, slower, slowest, slowly

old, older, oldest, new, newer, newest

takes longer, takes less time

how long ago? how long will it be to ...?

how long will it take to ...?

timetable, arrive, depart

hour, minute, second

o'clock, half past, quarter to, quarter past

clock, watch, hands

digital/analogue clock/watch, timer

24-hour clock. 12-hour clock

Greenwich Mean Time, British Summer Time

International Date Line

how often?

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SHAPE AND SPACE

shape, pattern

flat, line

curved, straight

round

hollow, solid

corner

point, pointed

face, side, edge, end

sort

make, build, construct, draw, sketch

centre, radius, diameter

circumference, concentric, arc

net

surface

angle, right-angled

congruent

intersecting, intersection

plane

base, square-based

vertex, vertices

layer, diagram

hexagon, hexagonal heptagon, octagon, octagonal polygon, quadrilateral

PATTERNS AND SYMMETRY

size, bigger, larger, smaller symmetrical, line of symmetry, line symmetry, fold, match mirror line, reflection, reflect pattern, repeating pattern, translation

POSITION, DIRECTION AND MOVEMENT

position, over, under, underneath above, below, top, bottom, side on, in, outside, inside, around in front, behind, front, back before, after, beside, next to, opposite, apart, between, middle, edge, centre corner, direction, journey, route, map, plan, left, right up. down. higher. lower forwards, backwards, sideways, across close, far, near along, through, to, from, towards, away from, ascend, descend grid, row, column, origin, coordinates clockwise, anti-clockwise compass point, north, south, east, west (N, S, E, W) north-east, north-west, south-east, south-west, (NE, NW, SE, SW) horizontal, vertical, diagonal movement, slide, roll whole turn, half turn, quarter turn, rotate angle, ... is a greater/smaller angle than right angle, degree, straight line stretch, bend, ruler, set square angle measurer, compasses

Instructions

listen, join in, say, recite think, imagine, remember start from, start with, start at look at, point to, show me put, place arrange, rearrange symmetry, fold, match mirror line, reflection, reflect pattern, repeating pattern, translation

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angle measurer, compasses, protractor **Instructions**

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3D SHAPES

3D, three-dimensional cube, cuboid pyramid

sphere, hemi-sphere, spherical

cone

cylinder, cylindrical

prism

tetrahedron, polyhedron, octahedron, dodecahedron

2D SHAPES

2D, two-dimensional circle, circular, semi-circle triangle, triangular equilateral triangle, isosceles triangle, scalene triangle square, rhombus

rectangle, rectangular, oblong pentagon, pentagonal

hexagon, hexagonal

heptagon

octagon, octagonal

polygon quadrilateral

kite

parallelogram, trapezium

PATTERNS AND SYMMETRY

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POSITION, DIRECTION AND MOVEMENT

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change, change over split, separate carry on, continue, repeat what comes next? predict describe the pattern, describe the rule find, find all, find different investigate choose, decide collect use, make, build, construct tell me, describe, name, pick out discuss, talk about explain explain your method explain how you got your answer give an example of... show how you... show your working iustify make a statement read, write, record write in figures present, represent interpret trace, copy complete, finish, end fill in, shade, colour label, plot tick, cross draw, sketch draw a line between, join (up), ring, arrow cost, count, tally calculate, work out, solve investigate, question

General

same, different missing number/s number facts, number pairs, number bonds greatest value, least value number line, number track

answer

check

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General

same, different missing number/s number facts, number pairs, number bonds greatest value, least value number line, number track number square, hundred square number cards, number grid abacus counters, cubes, blocks, rods die, dice, spinner dominoes pegs, peg board, pin board geo-strips same way, different way best way, another way in order, in a different order not

north-east, north-west, south-east, south-west (NE, NW, SE, SW) horizontal, vertical, diagonal, parallel, perpendicular x-axis, y-axis, quadrant, movement slide, roll, whole turn, half turn, quarter turn, rotate, rotation angle, ...is a greater/smaller angle than right angle, acute, obtuse, reflex degree, straight line, stretch, bend, ruler, set square angle measurer, compasses, protractor

Instructions

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investigate, interrogate (data), question, prove, answer, check

General

same, identical, different
missing number/s
number facts, number pairs, number bonds
greatest value, least value
number line, number track
number square, hundred square
number cards, number grid
abacus
counters, cubes, blocks, rods
die, dice, spinner
dominoes

number square, hundred square	all, every, each	pegs, peg board, pin board
number cards, number grid	an, every, each	geo-strips
abacus		same way, different way
counters, cubes, blocks, rods		best way, another way
die, dice		in order, in a different order
dominoes		not
pegs, peg board, pin board		all, every, each
geo-strips		
same way, different way		
best way, another way		
in order, in a different order		
not		
all, every, each		