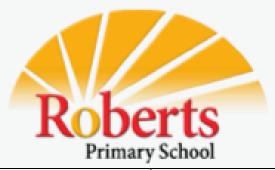
Roberts Primary School

Maths Calculation Policy



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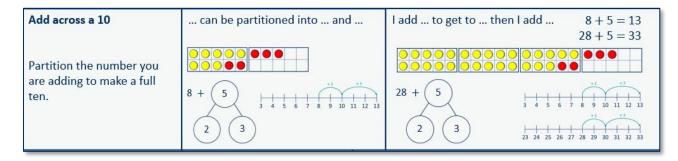
Guidance for teachers

The calculation policy is divided into four sections: addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. At the start of each section, you will find an overview of the progression of skills. Calculations involving decimal numbers and fractions are included.

The calculation policy follows the same concrete, pictorial, abstract approach as our main schemes of learning. Where appropriate, sentence stems and key questions are included alongside the key representations.

Where skills are divided into more than one section across the page, there is a progression in the level of difficulty from left to right.

For example, when adding across a 10, children need to be able to add across 10 itself, before making links with related facts.



Progression of skills - Addition



Year group	Skill
Nursery	Subitise to 3
	Count how many
	Make numbers to 5
	Add 1 more (through songs and rhymes)
Reception	Conceptually subitise to 5
	• 1 more
	Notice the composition of numbers within 10
	Combine 2 groups
	Add more
Year 1	Add together
	Add more
	Bonds within 10
	Related facts within 20
	Missing numbers

Progression of skills - Addition



Year group	Skill
Year 2	Add 1s to any number (related facts)
	Add three 1-digit numbers
	Add across a 10
	Add multiples of 10
	Add 10s to any number
	Add two 2-digit numbers (not across a ten)
	Add two 2-digit numbers (across a ten)
	Missing numbers
Year 3	Add 1s, 10s and 100s to a 3-digit number
	Add two numbers (no exchange)
	Add two numbers across a 10 or 100
	Complements to 100
	Add fractions with the same denominator within 1 whole
	Calculate the duration of events

Progression of skills - Addition



Year group	Skill
Year 4	Add 1s, 10s and 100s to a 4-digit number
	Add up to two 4-digit numbers
	Add decimal numbers in the context of money
	Add fractions and mixed numbers with the same denominator beyond 1 whole
Year 5	Add using mental strategies
	Add whole numbers with more than 4 digits
	Add decimals with up to 2 decimal places
	Complements to 1
	Add fractions with denominators that are a multiple of one another
Year 6	Add integers up to 10 million
	Add decimals with up to 3 decimal places
	Order of operations
	Negative numbers
	Add fractions



Nursery	 Begin to have an understanding of numbers to 5 We recommend focusing on noticing and representing small quantities, perceptual subitising and counting. 			
Progression of skills	Key representations			
Subitise to 3 Instantly see how many.	How many do you see?			
Count how many Begin to count objects using 1-1 correspondence.	How many are there? 1 2 3 4 5	Count out from a larger group. E.g. Collect 3 beanbags for a game.		
Make numbers to 5 Start by showing 1, 2 and 3 using fingers.	Show me	Begin to link numerals to quantities. 3 5		
Add 1 more Through stories, songs and rhymes.	How many do I have now?			



Reception	 Have a deep understanding of numbers to 10, including the composition of each number. Subitise (recognise quantities without counting) up to 5 Automatically recall (without reference to rhymes, counting or other aids) number bonds up to 5 and some number bonds to 10, including double facts. 		
Progression of skills	Key representations		
Conceptually subitise to 5 Notice the parts that make up the whole.	What do you see? How do you see it?		
1 more Continue to link to stories, songs and rhymes.	1 more than is 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10		
Notice the composition of numbers within 10 Link to stories, songs and rhymes.	How many? How many altogether? How many altogether? How many ways can you make?		



Progression of skills	Key representations	
Combine 2 groups	There are	and make
2 groups are combined to find the total.	There are altogether.	
Add more	First Then Now	I have
A quantity is increased.	A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A	I add more. Now I have



Year 1 Progression of skills	 Read, write and interpret mathematical statements involving addition (+) and equals (=) signs. Represent and use number bonds within 20 Add 1-digit and 2-digit numbers to 20, including zero. Solve one-step problems that involve addition, using concrete objects and pictorial representations, and missing number problems such as 7 = + 2 Key representations 					
Add together (aggregation) 2 quantities are combined to find the total.	There are There are There are altogether. is a part is a part is equal to $4+2=6$ $2+4=6$ $6=4+2$ $6=2+4$					
Add more (augmentation) A quantity is increased.	First Then Now	I start at I jump on I land on 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10	plus is equal to is equal to + $4 + 2 = 6$ $2 + 4 = 6$ $6 = 4 + 2$ $6 = 2 + 4$			



Progression of skills	Key representations			
Bonds within 10	is made of and and make	can be partitioned into	plus is equal to	
Include bonds for each number within 10	drid iii fridice iii	6	6 + 0 = 6 5 + 1 = 6 4 + 2 = 6 3 + 3 = 6	
Encourage children to notice patterns.			2+4=6 $1+5=6$ $0+6=6$	
Related facts within 20	I know that and =	more than is	What patterns do you notice?	
Make links to known facts.	so and =	so more than is 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20	Thorace? $5 + 2 = 7$ $15 + 2 = 17$ $7 = 5 + 2$ $17 = 15 + 2$	
Missing numbers	How many more do you need to make?	If is the whole and is a	plus is equal to	
Make links to known facts.	need to make r	part, the other part must be 6 2 2	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	



Year 2	 Recall and use addition facts to 20 fluently, and derive and use related facts up to 100 Add numbers using concrete objects, pictorial representations, and mentally, including: a two-digit number and 1s a two-digit number and 10s 2 two-digit numbers adding 3 one-digit numbers Recognise and use the inverse relationship between addition and subtraction and use this to check calculations and solve missing number problems. 				
Progression of skills	Key representations				
Add ones to any number (related facts) Make links to known facts.	I know that and = so more than is so more than is				
Add three 1-digit numbers Prompt children to understand that addition can be done in any order and to make links to known facts.	and are a bond to 10 10 + = 8 9 1	Pouble + =	What do you notice? Which addition is the easiest to calculate? $8+9+1=\\8+1+9=\\9+1+8=$		



Progression of skills	Key representations				
Add across a 10	can be partitioned into and		I add to get to then I add $8 + 5 = 13$ 28 + 5 = 33		8 + 5 = 13 28 + 5 = 33
Partition the number being added to make a full ten.					
	+ 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 :	11 12 13	2 +	3 4 5 6 7	+ 2 + 3 8 9 10 11 12 13 + 2 + 3
	2		2	23 24 25 26 27	
Add multiples of 10	ones + ones = ones so tens + tens = tens		t is the same? t is different?	2	20
Make links to known facts within ten.	3 + 2 = 5 30 + 20 = 50	0 10	2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	3 3 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	? 30
Add 10s to any number	tens + tens = tens tens and ones =	To ac	dd I need to add 10	I know that .	
Make links to known facts.	teris and ones —	1 11 21	2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 32 33 34) 35 36 37 38 39 40 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60	30 +	20 = 50 20 = 54



Progression of skills	Key representations		
Add 2-digit numbers (not across a ten) Lining up ones and tens in columns will support with later written methods.	ones + ones = ones tens + tens = tens	Tens Ones	3 ones + 1 one = 4 ones 4 tens + 2 tens = 6 tens 6 tens + 4 ones = 64 21 ? 43 21
Add 2-digit numbers (across a ten) Begin to exchange 10 ones for 1 ten.	There are ones, so I do/do not need to make an exchange. ones = ten and ones		
		12 ones = 4 tens + 3	7 ones = 12 ones 1 ten and 2 ones 3 tens + 1 ten = 8 tens 4 2 ones = 82
Missing numbers	How many more do you need to make?	If is a whole and is a part, then is the other	can be partitioned into
Solve missing number problems and use the inverse to check.	$6 + \boxed{} = 10$ $10 - \boxed{} = 6$	part. 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7	10 + 8 = 12 +



Year 3 Progression of skills	 Add numbers mentally, including: a three-digit number and ones, a three-digit number and tens, a three-digit number and hundreds. Add numbers with up to three digits, using formal written methods of columnar addition. Add fractions with the same denominator within 1 whole. Calculate the time taken by particular events or tasks. Key representations 									
Add 1s, 10s or 100s to a 3-digit number Emphasis on mental strategies including number bonds and related facts. Prompt children to notice which digit changes.	The ones/tens/hundreds column Hundreds Tens Ones 444 + 5 = 444 + 50 = 444 + 500 =	nn will increase by H T O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O	What patterns do you notice? $235 + 3 = \\ 235 + 30 = \\ 235 + 300 = \\ 111 + $							
Add two numbers (no exchange) Mental strategies and introduction of formal written method.	ones + ones = ones tens + tens = tens hundreds + hundreds =	Hundreds	? 345 Ones H T O 3 4 5 + 4 3 2							



Progression of skills	Key representations
Add two numbers across a 10 or 100 Formal written method involving up to 2 exchanges including 3-digit plus 2-digit numbers.	There are ones, so I do/do not need to make an exchange. There are tens, so I do/do not need to make an exchange. ones = ten and ones. tens = hundred and tens.
Complements to 100 Pairs of numbers which total 100	plus is equal to 100 I add to get to the next 10, then to get to 100 $ 38 + 62 = 100 $ $ 62 + 38 = 100 $ $ 100 = 38 + 62 $ $ 100 = 62 + 38 $



Progression of skills	Key representations
Add fractions with the same denominator within 1 whole Make links with known facts.	When adding fractions with the same denominator, I only add the numerator fifths $+$ fifths $=$ fifths $\frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{5}$ $\frac{1}{5} + \frac{2}{5}$ $\frac{1}{5} + \frac{3}{5}$
Calculate the duration of events Find durations of time between a given start and end point. Children will need to calculate complements to 60	From to o'clock is minutes. From o'clock to is minutes. The total time taken is minutes. Y:25 Y:55 Start Finish Y:25 Y:55 3:00 3:18



Year 4	 Add numbers with up to 4 digits using a formal written method. Solve simple measure and money problems involving fractions and decimals to 2 decimal places. Add fractions with the same denominator. 								
Progression of skills	Key representations								
Add 1s, 10s and 100s to a 4-digit number Emphasis on mental strategies including number bonds and related facts. Prompt children to notice which digit changes.	The ones/tens/hundreds/thousands column will increase by Thousands Hundreds Tens Ones Thousands Hundreds Tens Ones Thousands Hundreds Tens Ones 3,425 + 3 = 3,425 + 300 = 3,425 + 3,000 =	What patterns do you notice? 2,350 + 3 = 2,350 + 30 = 2,350 + 300 = 2,350 + 3,000 = 6,040 + 200 = 6,040 + 500 = 6,040 + 900 = 2,211 + 2,211 + 2,21							
Add up to two 4-digit numbers Formal written method with up to 3 exchanges. Encourage children to estimate and use inverse operations to check answers to calculations.	do/do not need to make an exchange.	Th H T O Th H T O Th H T O 4 6 7 3 + 1 5 1 8 6 1 9 1							



Progression of skills	Key representations								
Add decimal numbers in the context of money	pence + pence = pence pounds + pounds = pounds	£3.25 can be partitioned into £3 + 20p + 5p							
Emphasis on partitioning and use of number lines rather than formal written calculations.	45p + 25p = 70p £2 + £3 = £5 £5 + 70p = £5.70	£2.45 £5.45 £5.65 £5.70							
Add fractions and mixed numbers with the same denominator beyond 1 whole	When adding fractions with the same denomination of the same denominat	ominator, I only add the numerator. $\frac{+\frac{3}{5}}{0}$							



Year 5	 Add whole numbers with more than 4 digits, including using formal written methods. Add numbers mentally with increasingly large numbers. Add decimals, including a mix of whole numbers and decimals, decimals with different numbers of decimal places, and complements of 1 Add fractions with the same denominator, and denominators that are multiples of the same number. 									
Progression of skills	Key representations									
Add using mental strategies Add 1s, 10s, 100s, etc. to any number. Use number bonds and related facts.	To add, I can add then subtract 100									
Add whole numbers with more than 4 digits Encourage children to estimate and use inverse operations to check answers to calculations.	I can exchange 10 for 1 The property of the content of th									



Progression of skills	Key representations
Add decimals with up to 2 decimal places Progress from the same number of decimal places to a different number of decimal places, and from no exchange to exchange.	I do/do not need to make an exchange because I can exchange 10 for 1 Ones Tenths Hundredths Ones Tenths Hundred
Complements to 1 Pairs of numbers with up to 3 decimal places which total 1 Encourage children to make	0.3 + = 1
links with bonds to 10 and complements to 100 and 1,000	4+6=10 0.4+0.6=1 $44+56=100 0.44+0.56=1$ $444+556=1,000 0.444+0.556=1$



Progression of skills	Key representations
Add fractions with denominators that are a multiple of one another	The denominator has been multiplied by, so the numerator needs to be multiplied by for the fractions to be equivalent.
Encourage children to convert fractions to the same denominator before adding.	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{8} = \frac{4}{8} + \frac{1}{8} = \frac{5}{8}$
Progress from adding fractions within 1 whole to adding fractions beyond 1 whole.	$\frac{3}{4} + \frac{3}{8} = \frac{2}{8} + \frac{3}{8} = \frac{5}{8}$ $\frac{3}{4} + \frac{5}{8} = \frac{6}{8} + \frac{5}{8} = \frac{11}{8} = 1\frac{3}{8}$



Year 6	•	 Use their knowledge of the order of operations to carry out calculations involving the 4 operations. Calculate intervals across zero. 																							
Progression of skills	Key	rep	res	ent	atio	ns																			
Add integers up to 10										1															
million						2	2	1		-								Г	Г						
Encourage children to		+	1				2	1		-										8	1		8	5	
estimate and use inverse		'			0			2										L	+	L		0	6	Ц	
operations to check answers to calculations.			1	1	U									?					L	9	9	5		8	_
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Add decimals with up to 3 decimal places	I do,	/do	no ¹		ed t	o m		an	exc	chai	nge	beca	aus	e											
Progress to numbers with digits in different place value columns.	00					00	9								П										
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Encourage children to check				9					_	5 · 2	6					2			7						
that they have lined up the columns correctly.	5	†	2	6	5 3	2					1					1	L	1							



Progression of skills	Key representations	
Order of operations	has greater priority than, so the first part	of the calculation I need to do is
Calculations in brackets should be done first. Multiplication and division should be performed before addition and subtraction. *When no brackets are shown and the operations have the same priority, work left to right.	powers $(3 + 4) \times 2$ $\times \text{ and } +$ $+ \text{ and } -$	$3 + 4 \times 2 = 11$ $3 \times 4 + 2 = 14$
Negative numbers Children add to negative numbers and carry out calculations which cross 0	plus is equal to $-3 + 5 = 2$ $ 2 - 1 \ 0 \ 1 \ 2$	The difference between -5 and -1 is 4
	+11 $+$ $-11+16=5$ -11 0	+5 +5 -5 0 5 The difference between – 5 and 5 is 10



Progression of skills	Key representations		
Add fractions	The denominator has been multiplied by, so the	The lowest common multiple of and is	is made up of wholes and
Convert fractions to the same denominator before	numerator needs to be multiplied by		
adding. Progress from	multiplied by		
fractions where one denominator is a multiple of the other, to any fractions	$\frac{1}{3}$ $\frac{5}{12}$	$\frac{1}{3}$ $\frac{1}{4}$	$2\frac{2}{3}$ $1\frac{1}{6}$
and then to mixed numbers.	3 12		
		1 , 1 4 , 3 7	
		$\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{4}{12} + \frac{3}{12} = \frac{7}{12}$	

Progression of skills - Subtraction



Year group	Skill							
Nursery	Subitise to 3							
	Count how many							
	Make numbers to 5							
	Take 1 away (through songs and rhymes)							
Reception	Conceptually subitise to 5							
	• 1 less							
	Notice the composition of numbers within 10							
	• Partition							
	Take away							
Year 1	Find a part							
	Take away							
	Bonds within 10							
	Related facts within 20							
	Missing numbers							

Progression of skills - Subtraction



Year group	Skill	
Year 2	Subtract 1s from any number (related facts)	
	Subtract across a 10	
	Subtract multiples of 10	
	Subtract 10s from any number	
	Subtract two 2-digit numbers (not across a ten)	
	Subtract two 2-digit numbers (across a ten)	
	Missing numbers	
Year 3	Subtract 1s, 10s and 100s from a 3-digit number	
	Subtract two numbers (no exchange)	
	Subtract two numbers across a 10 or 100	
	Complements to 100	
	Subtract fractions with the same denominator within 1 whole	

Progression of skills - Subtraction



Year group	Skill	
Year 4	Subtract 1s, 10s, 100s and 1,000s from a 4-digit number	
	Subtract up to two 4-digit numbers	
	Subtract decimal numbers in the context of money	
	Subtract fractions and mixed numbers with the same denominator	
Year 5	Subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits	
	Subtract using mental strategies	
	Subtract decimals with up to 2 decimal places	
	Complements to 1	
	Subtract fractions with denominators that are a multiple of one another	
Year 6	Subtract integers up to 10 million	
	Subtract decimals with up to 3 decimal places	
	Order of operations	
	Negative numbers	
	Subtract fractions	



Nursery	 Begin to have an understanding of numbers to 5 We recommend focusing on noticing and representing small quantities, perceptual subitising and counting. 		
Progression of skills	Key representations		
Subitise to 3	How many do you see?		
Instantly see how many.			
Count how many	How many are there?	Count out from a larger group. E.g. Collect a cup for everyone at the table.	
Begin to count objects using 1-1 correspondence.	1 2 3 4 5		
Make numbers to 5	Show me Begin to link numerals to quantities.		
Start by showing 1, 2 and 3 using fingers.		3 5	
Take 1 away	How many do we have now?		
Through stories, songs and rhymes.			



Reception	 Have a deep understanding of number to 10, including the composition of each number. Subitise (recognise quantities without counting) up to 5 Automatically recall (without reference to rhymes, counting or other aids) number bonds up to 5 (and some subtraction facts) and some number bonds to 10, including double facts. 		
Progression of skills	Key representations		
Conceptually subitise to 5 Notice the parts that make up the whole.	What do you see? How do you see it?		
1 less Continue to link to stories, songs and rhymes.	1 less than is 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10		
Notice the composition of numbers within 10 Link to stories, songs and rhymes.	How many? How many altogether? How many altogether?		



Progression of skills	Key representations	
Partition	There are altogether. I can see here and there.	and make
Using objects, explore different ways to partition a	T Call See Here and there.	
number into 2 or more parts.		
Take away	First Then Now	I have
A quantity is reduced.	THE PART OF THE PA	Now I have



Year 1	 Read, write and interpret mathematical statements involving subtraction (–) and equals (=) signs. Represent and use number bonds and related subtractio facts within 20 Subtract one-digit and two-digit numbers to 20, including zero. Solve one-step problems that involve subtraction, using concrete objects and pictorial representations, and missing number problems such as 1 =		
Progression of skills	Key representations		
Find a part Link to number bonds and known facts. E.g. 2 + 4 = 6 so if 6 is the whole and 4 is a part, the other part must be 2	There are in total are How many are not ?	is the whole is a part is a part.	subtract is equal to is equal to $-$ $6-2=4$ $6-4=2$ $4=6-2$ $2=6-4$
Take away A quantity is decreased.	First Then Now	I start at I jump back I land on 1 2 7 10	minus is equal to is equal to $$ $6-2=4$ $6-4=2$ $4=6-2$ $2=6-4$



Progression of skills	Key representations		
Bonds within 10	is made of and and make	can be partitioned into and	minus is equal to $6 - 0 = 6$
Focus on subtraction facts. Encourage children to notice patterns.		6	6-1=5 $6-2=4$ $6-3=3$ $6-4=2$ $6-5=1$ $6-6=0$
Related facts within 20 Make links to known facts.	I know that minus = so minus =	less than is so less than is 0 1 2 7 10 10 11 12 1 1 1 1 17 1 1 20	What patterns do you notice? $8-3=5$ $18-3=15$ $5=8-3$ $15=18-3$
Missing numbers Make links to known facts.	How many do you need to subtract to make?	If is the whole and is a part, the other part must be	minus is equal to $6 - \square = 2$ $2 = 6 - \square$



•	Recall and use subtraction facts to 20 fluently, and derive and use related facts up to
	100

- Subtract numbers using concrete objects, pictorial representations, and mentally, including:
 - a two-digit number and 1s
 - a two-digit number and 10s
 - 2 two-digit numbers
- Recognise and use the inverse relationship between addition and subtraction and use this to check calculations and solve missing number problems.

Progression of skills

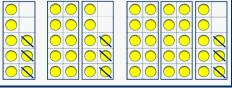
Key representations

Subtract ones from any number

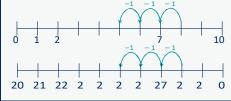
(related facts)

Make links to known facts.

I know that ... minus ... = ... so ... minus ... = ...



... less than ... is ... so ... less than ... is ...



What do you notice? Can you continue the pattern?

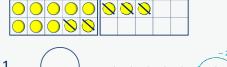
$$8-3=5$$

 $18-3=15$
 $28-3=2...$

Subtract across a 10

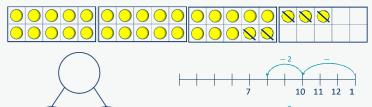
Partition the number being subtracted to bridge through a ten.

... can be partitioned into ... and ...





Make links with related facts.





Progression of skills	Key representations		
Subtract multiples of 10 Make links to known facts within ten.	ones $-$ ones $=$ ones so tens $-$ tens $=$ tens $5-2=3$ $50-20=30$	What is the same? What is different?	2 2 20 10 2 ? O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O
Subtract 10s from any number Make links to known facts.	tens — tens = tens tens and ones =	To subtract I need to subtract 10 times. 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	I know that minus = so minus = 50 - 20 = 30 54 - 20 = 34



Progression of skills	Key representations		
Subtract two 2-digit numbers (not across a ten)	ones – ones = ones tens – tens = tens		= 2 tens
Subtract two 2-digit numbers (across a ten) Begin to exchange 1 ten for 10 ones.	3 ones – 5 ones 13 ones – 5 ones = 13 ones – 5 ones = 3 tens – 2 tens =		13 ones – 5 ones = 8 ones 3 tens – 2 tens = 1 ten 1 ten and 8 ones = 18
Missing numbers Solve missing number problems and use the inverse to check.	How many do you need to subtract to make? $10 - \square = 6$ $6 + \square = 10$	If is a whole and is a part, then is the other part. $7 - 3 = \boxed{}$ $\boxed{} + 3 = 7$	can be partitioned into and $18 - \boxed{} = 12 + 2$



Year 3	 Subtract numbers mentally, including: a three-digit number and ones, a three-digit number and tens, a three-digit number and hundreds. Subtract numbers with up to three digits, using formal written methods. Subtract fractions with the same denominator within 1 whole. 		
Progression of skills	Key representations		
Subtract 1s, 10s and 100s from a 3-digit number Emphasis on mental strategies including number bonds and related facts. Prompt children to notice which digit changes.	The ones/tens/hundreds column will decrease by Hundreds Tens Ones H T O 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	What patterns do you notice? 235 - 3 = $235 - 30 =$ $235 - 300 =$ $118 -$	
Subtract two numbers (no exchange) Mental strategies and introduction of formal written method.		7 17 ? 17 ? H T O 7 6 9 - 1 4 7	



Progression of skills	Key representations	
Subtract two numbers across a 10 or 100 Formal written method involving up to 2 exchanges including 3-digit subtract 2-digit numbers.	I need to subtract ones. I do/do not need to I need to subtract tens. I do/do not need to I can exchange 1 for 10 Tens Ones 1 8	_
Complements to 100	100 minus is equal to	I subtract tens, then I subtract ones.
Focus on subtraction facts. Encourage children to notice patterns.	100 38 100 38 ?	



Progression of skills	Key representations
Subtract fractions with the same denominator within 1 whole	When subtracting fractions with the same denominator, I only subtract the numerator fifths $-$ fifths $=$ fifths $\frac{5}{5} - \frac{1}{5}$
Make links with known facts.	$\frac{4}{5} - \frac{1}{5}$
	$\frac{3}{5} - \frac{1}{5}$



Year 4	 Subtract numbers with up to 4 digits using a formal written method. Solve simple measure and money problems involving fractions and decimals to 2 decimal places. Subtract fractions with the same denominator. 		
Progression of skills	Key representations		
Subtract 1s, 10s, 100s and 1,000s from a 4-digit number Emphasis on mental strategies including number bonds and related facts. Prompt children to notice which digit changes.	The ones/tens/hundreds/thousands column will decrease by Thousands Hundreds Tens Ones Ones 3,425 - 2 = 3,425 - 200 = 3,425 - 2,000 =	What patterns do you notice? 4,356 - 3 = 4,356 - 30 = 4,356 - 300 = 4,356 - 3,000 = 4,433 - = 4,430 6,940 - 200 = 6,940 - 300 = 6,940 - 300 = 6,940 - 400 = 4,433 - = 4,033 = 4,033 =	
Subtract up to two 4-digit numbers Formal written method with up to 3 exchanges. Encourage children to estimate and use inverse operations to check answers to calculations.	I need to subtract ones/tens/hundreds. I do, I can exchange 1 for 10	t T O	



Progression of skills	Key representations	
Subtract decimal numbers in the context of money	I can partition £ into £ and 100p $f f = f$ $100pp =p$	£3.26 can be partitioned into £3 + 20p + 6p
Emphasis here is on partitioning and use of number lines rather than formal written calculations.	£5 - £3.26 £4 - £3 = £1 100p - 26p = 74p £5 - £3.26 = £1.74	- p - 20p - f £1.7 £1. 0 £2 £
Subtract fractions and mixed numbers with the same denominator Include subtracting fractions from wholes.	When subtracting fractions with the same der I only subtract the numerator tenths — tenths = tenths	nominator, 2 5 6
	$\frac{10}{10} = \frac{10}{10}$	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$



Year 5	 Subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits. Subtract numbers mentally with increasingly large numbers. Subtract decimals, including a mix of whole numbers and decimals, decimals with different numbers of decimal places, and complements of 1 Subtract fractions with the same denominator, and denominators that are multiples of the same number. 	
Progression of skills	Key representations	
Subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits Encourage children to estimate and use inverse operations to check answers to calculations.	I can exchange 1 for 10 The property of the content of th	
Subtract using mental strategies Subtract 1s, 10s, 100s etc from any number. Use number bonds and related facts.	To subtract, I can subtract then add 48,650 - 300 = 48,650 - 30,000 = 48,650 - 30 =	



Progression of skills	Key representations
Subtract decimals with up to 2 decimal places Progress from the same number of decimal places to a different number of decimal places and from no exchange to exchange.	Ones Tenths Hundredths 2
Complements to 1 Encourage children to make links with bonds to 10 and complements to 100 and 1,000 when finding a missing part or subtracting from 1	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$



Progression of skills	Key representations
Subtract fractions with denominators that are a multiple of one another Convert fractions to the same denominator before subtracting. Progress from subtracting fractions within	The denominator has been multiplied by, so the numerator needs to be multiplied by for the fractions to be equivalent. $\frac{1}{9} \frac{2}{9} \frac{3}{9} \frac{4}{9} \frac{5}{9} \frac{6}{9} \frac{7}{9} \frac{8}{9} \frac{9}{9}$ $\frac{2}{3} -\frac{2}{9} = \frac{6}{9} - \frac{2}{9} = \frac{4}{9}$ $\frac{1}{3} -\frac{1}{15} = \frac{5}{15} - \frac{1}{15} = \frac{4}{15}$
1 whole to subtracting from a mixed number.	$2\frac{3}{4}$



Year 6	 Subtract larger numbers, using the formal written methods Use their knowledge of the order of operations to carry ou 4 operations. Calculate intervals across zero. Subtract fractions with different denominators and mixed of equivalent fractions. 	ut calculations involving the
Progression of skills	Key representations	
Subtract integers up to 10 million		
Encourage children to	$\begin{vmatrix} 2/ & 1 & & & & & & & & & $	8 4 8 5
estimate and use inverse	1 1 0 0	- 3 6 4
operations to check answers to calculations.	2, 70 ?	5 5 5 5 5
Subtract decimals with up to 3 decimal places Progress from the same number of decimal and whole number places to a different number of decimal and whole number places.	I do/do not need to make an exchange because $ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	



Progression of skills	Key representations	
Order of operations	has greater priority than , so the first part of the calculation I need to do is	
Children learn the order of priority for operations in a calculation. Calculations in brackets should be done first. Multiplication and division should be performed before addition and subtraction.	powers $\begin{array}{c} \times \text{ and } + \\ + \text{ and } - \\ \end{array}$ $8 - 2 \times 3 = 2$ $(8 - 2) \times 3 = 18$	
Negative numbers Children subtract from positive and negative numbers and calculate intervals across 0	minus is equal to $-1-4=-5$ $2-1 0 1 2$ The difference between -5 and -1 is 4	
	2 -1 0 1 2 The difference between 5 and -5 is 10	



Progression of skills	Key representations		
Subtract fractions Convert fractions to the same denominator before subtracting. Progress from fractions where one denominator is a multiple of the other, to any fractions and then subtracting from a mixed number.	The denominator has been multiplied by, so the numerator needs to be multiplied by 2 1 6 1 5	The lowest common multiple of and is 7 9 1 1 14 9 5	is made up of wholes and $2\frac{3}{4}$ $1\frac{1}{8}$



Year group	Skill
Nursery	 Continue with counting and subitising skills as a foundation for later work on equal groups. (see addition and subtraction sections)
Reception	Double to 10
	Make equal groups
Year 1	Count in 2s, 5s and 10s
	Add equal groups
	Make arrays
	Make doubles



Year group	Skill
Year 2	Link repeated addition and multiplication
	Use arrays
	• Double
	The 2 times-table
	The 10 times-table
	The 5 times-table
	Missing numbers
Year 3	The 3 times-table
	The 4 times-table
	The 8 times-table
	Related facts
	Multiply a 2-digit number by a 1-digit number - no exchange
	Multiply a 2-digit number by a 1-digit number - with exchange
	• Scaling
	Correspondence problems



Year group	Skill				
Year 4	• Times-table facts to 12 $ imes$ 12				
	Multiply by 1 and 0				
	Multiply 3 numbers				
	Factor pairs				
	Multiply by 10 and 100				
	Related facts				
	Mental strategies				
	Multiply a 2 or 3-digit number by a 1-digit number				
	• Scaling				
	Correspondence problems				



Year group	Skill					
Year 5	Multiples and factors					
	Square and cube numbers					
	Multiply numbers up to 4 digits by a 1-digit number					
	Multiply numbers up to 4 digits by a 2-digit number					
	• Multiply by 10, 100 and 1,000					
	Mental strategies					
	Multiply fractions by a whole number					
	Multiply mixed numbers by a whole number					
	Find the whole					



Year group	Skill						
Year 6	Multiply numbers up to 4 digits by a 2-digit number						
	• Multiply by 10, 100 and 1,000						
	Order of operations						
	Multiply decimals by integers						
	Multiply fractions by fractions						
	Find the whole						
	Calculations involving ratio						



Reception	 Have a deep understanding of number to 10, including the composition of each number. Subitise (recognise quantities without counting) up to 5 Automatically recall (without reference to rhymes, counting or other aids) number bonds up to 5 and some number bonds to 10, including double facts. Explore and represent patterns within numbers up to 10, including evens and odds, double facts and how quantities can be distributed equally. 			
Progression of skills	Key representations			
Prompt children to notice that double means twice as many and to notice that there are two equal groups.	Double is is double I was a second of the control			
Make equal groups Provide opportunities to make equal groups when tidying up or during snack time. Encourage children to check that each group has the same amount.	There are groups of There are altogether.			



Vidiciplication				
Year 1	 Count in multiples of twos, fives and tens. Solve one-step problems involving multiplication, using concrete objects, pictorial representations and arrays with the support of the teacher. 			
Progression of skills	Key representations			
Count in 2s, 5s and 10s Begin by counting objects that naturally come in 2s, 5s and 10s, for example pairs of socks or fingers.	There are equal groups of There are altogether.	Continue to colour ins What do you notice? 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	Complete the number track/number line by counting ins.	
Add equal groups (repeated addition)	There are groups of There are altogether.		ame? What is different? $2 + 2 + 2 =$	

Children should be able to write a repeated addition to represent equal groups and to draw pictures or use objects to represent a repeated addition.



$$10 + 10 + 10 = 30$$



$$5+5+5+5=20$$

$$2 + 2 + 2 =$$
 $5 + 5 + 5 =$
 $10 + 10 + 10 =$

Use objects or a drawing to represent the equal groups and find how many in total.



Progression of skills	Key representations			
Make arrays Children use their knowledge of adding equal groups to arrange objects in columns and rows.	There are rows of There are altogether. There are columns of There are altogether.			
Make doubles Children understand that doubles are two equal groups. Children may begin to explore doubles beyond 20 using base 10	Double is + =			



Year 2	 Recall and use multiplication facts for the 2, 5 and 10 multiplication tables. Calculate mathematical statements for multiplication within the multiplication tables and write them using the multiplication (×) and equals (=) signs. Show that multiplication of two numbers can be done in any order (commutative). 				
Progression of skills	Key representations				
Link repeated addition and multiplication Encourage children to make the link between repeated addition and multiplication.	There are equal groups with in each grou There are altogether.	p. $ 3 + 3 = 6 2 \times 3 = 6 $ $ 20 $			
Use arrays Encourage children to see that multiplication is commutative.	There are rows with in each row. There are columns with in each column. 3 lots of $5 = 15$ 5 + 5 + 5 = 15 5 lots of $3 = 15$ 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 =	I can see \times and \times $3 \times 5 = 15$ $5 \times 3 = 15$ $3 \times 5 = 5 \times 3$			
Double Encourage children to make links with related facts.	Double is Double $4 = 4 + 4$ Double 4 is 8	Double is so double is Double 4 is 8 Double 40 is 80			



Progression of skills	Key representations	
The 2 times-table Encourage daily counting in multiples both forwards and back. Notice that all multiples of 2 are even numbers.	lots of 2 = × 2 =	times 2 is equal to $ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
	2 2 2 2	0 2 10 12 1 1 1 20 22 2
The 10 times-table Encourage daily counting in multiples both forwards and back. Notice the pattern in the numbers.	lots of 10 = ×	times 10 is equal to $ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$



Progression of skills	Key representations			
The 5 times-table	lots of =	times is equal to		
Encourage daily counting in multiples both forwards and back. Notice the pattern in		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		
the numbers.		$1 \times 5 = 5$ $5 = 1 \times 5$ $2 \times 5 = 10$ $10 = 2 \times 5$ $3 \times 5 = 15$ $15 = 3 \times 5$		
	?	0 10 1 20 2 0 0 0 0		
Missing numbers	is equal to groups of	times is equal to		
Make links to known facts.	18 socks, how many pairs?			
	0 2 4 6 8 10 12 14 16 18 20	18 = 2 ×		



Year 3	 Recall and use multiplication facts for the 3, 4 and 8 multiplication tables. Write and calculate mathematical statements for multiplication using the multiplication tables that they know, including for two-digit numbers times one-digit numbers, using mental and progressing to formal written methods. Solve problems, including missing number problems, involving multiplication, including positive integer scaling problems and correspondence problems in which n objects are connected to m objects. 					
Progression of skills	Key representations					
The 3 times-table Encourage daily counting in multiples both forwards and back.	groups of = × 3 = , times = 3 × =	times is equal to $ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$				
The 4 times-table Encourage daily counting in multiples both forwards and back. Encourage children to notice links between the 2 and 4 times-tables.	groups of = × 4 = , times = 4 × =	times is equal to $ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$				

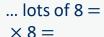


Progression of skills

Key representations

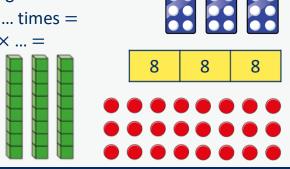
The 8 times-table

Encourage daily counting in multiples both forwards and back. Encourage children to notice links between the 2. 4 and 8 times-tables.





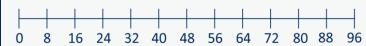




... times is equal to ...

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

$$3 \times 8 = 24 \qquad 24 = 3 \times 8$$



Related facts

Use knowledge of multiplying by 10 to scale times-table facts.

 $... \times ...$ ones is equal to ... ones

so ... \times ... tens is equal to ... tens.











$$3 \times 4 = 12$$

 $3 \times 40 = 120$

$$3\times 4=12$$

Multiply a 2-digit number by a 1-digit number - no exchange

Children apply their understanding of partitioning to represent and solve calculations using the expanded method.

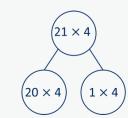
... tens multiplied by ... is equal to ... tens.

...ones multiplied by ... is equal to ... ones.

Tens	Ones
	••
	••

$$30 \times 2 = 60$$
$$2 \times 2 = 4$$

$$32 \times 2 = 64$$



Tens	Ones
000	0
000	0
000	0
000	0



Progression of skills	Key representations	
Multiply a 2-digit number by a 1-digit number - with exchange Children apply their understanding of partitioning to represent and solve calculations using the expanded method.	tens multiplied by is equal to tens ones multiplied by is equal to ones.	x Tens Ones 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Scaling Children focus on multiplication as scaling (times the size) as opposed to repeated addition.	There are times as many as 2 \(\triangle	is times the size of is times the length/height of 4 cm 16 cm Miss Smith is twice the height of Jo.



Progression of skills	Key representations			
Correspondence problems (How many ways?)	For every, there are possible There are × possibilities altogether.			
		hats	scarves	
Encourage children to work systematically to find all the		blue 🌲		For every hat, there are two possible
different possible combinations.		orange 🎘		scarves. $3 \times 2 = 6$
		purple 🎘		There are 6 possibilities altogether.



Year 4	 Recall multiplication facts for multiplication tables up to 12 × 12 Use place value, known and derived facts to multiply mentally, including: multiplying by 0 and 1; multiplying together three numbers. Recognise and use factor pairs and commutativity in mental calculations. Multiply two-digit and three-digit numbers by a one-digit number using formal written layout. Solve problems involving multiplying and adding, including using the distributive law to multiply two-digit numbers by one digit, integer scaling problems and harder correspondence problems such as n objects are connected to m objects. 		
Progression of skills	Key representations		
Times-table facts to 12 × 12 Encourage daily counting in multiples both forwards and back. Encourage children to notice links between related times-tables.	groups of = times is equal to × = 10 1 11 11 11 10 1 0 1 0 1 1 22 33 44 55 66	31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40	
Multiply by 1 and 0	Any number multiplied by 1 is equal to Any number multiplied by 0 is equal to	$ \begin{array}{ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	



Progression of skills	Key representations		
Multiply 3 numbers Children use their understanding of commutativity to multiply more efficiently.	To work out \times , I can first calculate \times and then multiply the answer by $4 \times 2 \times 3 = 8 \times 3 = 24$ $2 \times 3 \times 4 = 6 \times 4 = 24$ $3 \times 4 \times 2 = 12 \times 2 = 24$		
Factor pairs Children explore equivalent calculations using different factors pairs.	$12 = \times, \text{ so } \times 12 = \times \times$ $8 \times 6 = 8 \times 3 \times 2$ $8 \times 6 = 24 \times 2$ $6 \times 8 = 6 \times 4 \times 2$ $6 \times 8 = 24 \times 2$		
Multiply by 10 and 100 Some children may overgeneralise that multiplying by 10 or 100 always results in adding zeros. This will cause issues later when multiplying decimals.	When I multiply by 10, the digits move place value column to the left is 10 times the size of Here T		



Progression of skills	Key representations		
Related facts Use knowledge of	$\dots \times \dots$ ones is equal to \dots ones so $\dots \times \dots$ tens is equal to \dots tens and $\dots \times \dots$ hundreds is equal to \dots hundreds.		
multiplying by 10 and 100 to scale times-table facts.	$3 \times 7 = 21 \qquad 7 \times 3 = 21$ $3 \times 70 = 210 \qquad 7 \times 30 = 210$ $3 \times 700 = 2,100 \qquad 7 \times 300 = 2,100$		
Mental strategies	tens multiplied by is equal to tensones multiplied by is equal to ones.		
Partition 2 or 3-digit numbers to multiply using informal methods.	Tens Ones 2 10 × 8 = 80 10 × 8 = 80 10 × 8 = 48 20 $26 \times 8 = 80 + 80 + 48 = 208$ $3 \times 26 = 60 + 18 = 78$ 0 10 × 8 = 80 26 × 8 = 80 + 80 + 48 = 208		



Progression of skills	Key representations				
Multiply a 2 or 3-digit number by a 1-digit number	To multiply a 2-digit number by, I multiply a 3-digit number by, I multiply a 3-digit number by, I multiply a 3-digit number by	• •	-	•	the o
The short multiplication method is introduced for the first time, initially in an expanded form.	10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 1	- /	3 4 5 1 7 0		
Scaling	is times the size of				
Children focus on multiplication as scaling (times the size).	7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7	6 A red	6 6 6	6 6 6 cm.	
	A keyboard costs 6 times as much.	A yel	low ribbon is	7 times as lo	ong.
Correspondence problems	For every, there are possibilities.				
	There are × possibilities altogether.		Deep pan	Italian	Thin
Encourage children to use		Cheese	C DP	СІ	C Th
tables to show all the	A pizza company offers a choice	Mushroom	M DP	MΙ	M Th
different possible	of 5 toppings and 3 bases.	Vegetable	V DP	VI	V Th
combinations.		Chicken	C DP	CI	C Th
	$5 \times 3 = 15$	Tuna	T DP	TI	T Th



Year 5	 Identify multiples and factors, including finding all factor pairs of a number, and common factors of two numbers Recognise and use square numbers and cube numbers, and the notation for squared (²) and cubed (³) Multiply numbers up to 4 digits by a one- or two-digit number using a formal written method, including long multiplication for two-digit numbers. Multiply numbers mentally drawing upon known facts. Multiply whole numbers and those involving decimals by 10, 100 and 1000 Multiply proper fractions and mixed numbers by whole numbers, supported by materials and diagrams. 		
Progression of skills	Key representations		
Multiples and factors Encourage children to notice patterns and make links with known facts.	× =		The common factors of and are Factors of 20 Factors of 12 5 1 2 3 6 12
Square and cube numbers	squared means \times 1 × 1 2 × 2 3 × 3 1 ² = 1 2 ² = 4 3 ² = 9	cubed means 4×4 $4^2 = 16$ $1 \times 1 \times 1$ $1^3 = 1$ $2^3 = 1$	2 × 2 3 × 3 × 3



Progression of skills	Key representations	
Multiply numbers up to 4 digits by a 1-digit number This builds on the short multiplication method introduced in Y4	To multiply a 4-digit number by, I mulby and the thousands by	tiply the ones by , the tens by , the hundreds Th
Multiply numbers up to 4 digits by a 2-digit number Numbers are first partitioned using an area model then long multiplication is introduced for the first time.	I can partition into and $\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	First, I multiply by the Then I multiply by the X 10 3 3 2



Progression of skills	Key representations		
Multiply by 10, 100 and 1,000	To multiply by 10/100/1,000, I move all the digits places to the left is 10/100/1,000 times the size of		
Some children may overgeneralise that multiplying by a power of 10 always results in adding zeros. This will cause issues later when multiplying decimals.	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	
Mental strategies Children continue to use efficient mental strategies such as partitioning and knowledge of factor pairs and related facts to multiply.	The most efficient strategy to calculate \times is To calculate \times 12, I can do \times \times For example: 121×12 I could calculate 100×12 plus 20×12 plus 1×12 I could calculate 121×10 plus 121×2 I could calculate $121 \times 6 \times 2$ I could calculate $121 \times 4 \times 3$		



Progression of skills	Key representations
Multiply fractions by a whole number	To multiply a fraction by an integer, I multiply the numerator by the integer and the denominator remains the same.
Make links with repeated addition. E.g. $^{\pm} \times 4 = ^{\pm} + ^{\pm} + ^{\pm} + ^{\pm}$	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Multiply mixed numbers by a whole number	I can partition $2^2 \times 3$ $2 \times 3 = 6$ $2 \times 9 = 10$
	$2^{\frac{2}{3}} \times 3 = 6 + 2 = 8$



Progression of skills	Key representations	
Find the whole	If $\frac{1}{\Box}$ is, then the whole is \times	If $\frac{\square}{\square}$ is, then $\frac{1}{\square}$ is and the whole is \times
Children multiply to find the whole from a given part.	$\frac{1}{6}$ of = 6 $\frac{?}{6}$ 5 × 6 = 30 $\frac{1}{6}$ of 30 = 6	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$



Year 6	 Identify common factors and common multiples. Multiply multi-digit numbers up to 4 digits by a two-digit whole number using the formal written method of long multiplication. Multiply numbers by 10, 100 and 1,000 Multiply one-digit numbers with up to two decimal places by whole numbers. Use their knowledge of the order of operations to carry out calculations involving the 4 operations. Multiply simple pairs of proper fractions, writing the answer in its simplest form. Solve problems involving the relative sizes of two quantities where missing values can be found by using integer multiplication and division facts. Solve problems involving the calculation of percentages. 	
Progression of skills	Key representations	
Multiply numbers up to 4 digits by a 2-digit number	To multiply by a 2-digit number, first multiply by the ones, then multiply by the tens and then find the total. $ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	
Multiply by 10, 100 and 1,000 Some children may overgeneralise that multiplying by a power of 10 always results in adding zeros.	To multiply by $10/100/1,000$, I move all the digits places to the left is $10/100/1,000$ times the size of M HTh TTh Th H T O Tth Hth Thth 234 × 10 = 2,340 234 × 100 = 23,400 0.234 × 100 = 23.4 234 × 1,000 = 234,000 0.234 × 1,000 = 234	



Progression of skills	Key representations	
Order of operations Calculations in brackets should be done first. Multiplication and division should be performed before addition and subtraction.	has greater priority than, so the fix $(3 + 4) \times 2$	rst part of the calculation I need to do is $= 14$ $3 + 4 \times 2 = 11$ $3 + 4^2 = 19$
Multiply decimals by integers This is the first time children multiply decimals by numbers other than 10, 100 or 1,000 Encourage them to make links with known facts and whole number multiplication.	I know that \times $=$, so I also know that \times $=$	I need to exchange 10 for 1 Th

Multiplication



Progression of skills	Key representations		
Multiply fractions by fractions	When multiplying a pair of fractions, I need denominator.	I to multiply the numerator and multiply the	
Encourage children to give answers in their simplest form.			
	$\begin{array}{c c} \frac{1}{\times} \frac{1}{=1} & \frac{2}{\times} = \frac{2}{1} \end{array}$	$= \frac{1}{1} = \frac{2}{1}$	
Find the whole	If $\frac{1}{\Box}$ is, then the whole is \times	If \Box is, then $\frac{1}{\Box}$ is and the whole is \times	
Children multiply to find the whole from a given part.	1 of = 18	- of = 48 $\frac{1}{2} = 48 \div 4 = 12$	
	$18 \times 3 = 54$ $\frac{1}{18} \text{ of } 54 = 18$	$9 \times 12 = 108$ - of 108 = 48	

Multiplication



Progression of skills	Key representations	
Calculate percentages Children first learn how to find 1%, 10%, 20%, 25% and 50% before using multiples of these amounts to find any percentage.	There are lots of % in 100% To find %, I need to divide by	% is made up of %, and % 100% 10% 10% 10% 10% 10% 10% 10% 10% 10% 10%
Encourage children to see the multiplicative relationship between ratios. They will need to multiply or divide each value by the same number to keep the ratio equivalent. Double number lines and ratio tables help children to see both horizontal and vertical multiplicative relationships.	For every , there are For every 1 adult on a school trip, the adults children	ere are 6 children. Adults Children 1 6 2 12 3 18 O 1 2 Adults Children 0 1 2 Adults Children 1 1 0 0 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1



Year group	Skill
Nursery	 Continue with counting and subitising skills as a foundation for later work on equal groups. (see addition and subtraction sections)
Reception	• Sharing
	• Grouping
Year 1	Make equal groups – grouping
	Make equal groups – sharing
	Find a half
	Find a quarter



Year group	Skill
Year 2	Divide by 2
	Divide by 10
	Divide by 5
	Missing numbers
	Unit fractions
	Non-unit fractions
Year 3	Divide by 3
	Divide by 4
	Divide by 8
	Related facts
	Divide a 2-digit number by a 1-digit number - no exchange
	Divide a 2-digit number by a 1-digit number - with remainders
	Unit fractions of a set of objects
	Non-unit fractions of a set of objects



Year group	Skill
Year 4	• Division facts to 12×12
	Divide a number by 1 and itself
	Related facts
	Divide a 2 or 3-digit number by a 1-digit number
	Divide by 10 and 100
Year 5	Mental strategies
	Divide numbers up to 4 digits by a 1-digit number
	• Divide by 10, 100 and 1,000
	Fraction of an amount



Year group	Skill
Year 6	Short division
	Mental strategies
	Long division
	Order of operations
	• Divide by 10, 100 and 1,000
	Divide decimals by integers
	Decimal and fraction equivalents
	Divide a fraction by an integer
	Fraction of an amount
	Calculate percentages
	Calculations involving ratio



Reception	 Have a deep understanding of number to 10, including the composition of each number. Subitise (recognise quantities without counting) up to 5 Automatically recall (without reference to rhymes, counting or other aids) number bonds up to 5 and some number bonds to 10, including double facts. Explore and represent patterns within numbers up to 10, including evens and odds, double facts and how quantities can be distributed equally. 		
Progression of skills	Key representations		
Sharing Provide practical activities such as sharing items during snack time. Encourage children to check whether items have been shared fairly (equally).	There are altogether. They are shared equally between groups.		
Grouping Provide opportunities to make equal groups when tidying up or during snack time. Encourage children to check that each group has the same amount.	There are groups of There are altogether.		



Year 1	 Solve simple one-step problems involving division, using concrete objects, pictorial representations and arrays with the support of the teacher. Recognise, find and name a half as one of two equal parts of a quantity. Recognise, find and name a quarter as one of four equal parts of an object, shape or quantity. 			
Progression of skills	Key representations			
Make equal groups - grouping Encourage children to physically move objects into equal groups. They can also circle equal groups when using pictures.	There are altogether. How many groups of can you make?	Circle groups of There are gr		Take cubes. Make equal groups. There are groups of
Make equal groups – sharing	· ,		Take cubes. Share them be	etween
Encourage children to check that the objects have been shared fairly and each group is the same.				
is the same.			12 shared bet	ween is



Progression of skills	Key representations		
Find a half Start with practical opportunities to share a quantity into 2 groups. Progress to circling half of the objects in a picture and then to finding the whole from a given half.	To find half, I need to share into 2 equal groups. There are in each group.	Half of is	If is half, what is the whole? is half of
Find a quarter Start with practical opportunities to share a quantity into 4 groups. Progress to using pictures or bar models to find a quarter and then to finding the whole from a given quarter.	To find a quarter, I need to share into 4 equal groups. There are in each group.	A quarter of is	If is one quarter, what is the whole?



Year 2	 Recall and use division facts for the 2, 5 and 10 multiplication tables. Calculate mathematical statements for division within the multiplication tables and write them using the division (÷) and equals (=) signs. Recognise, find, name and write fractions ¹, ¹, ² and ⁻ of a quantity. 		
Progression of skills	Key representations		
Divide by 2 Encourage children to compare the grouping and sharing structures of division and to make links with times-table facts and halving.	There are equal groups of 2 \div 2 = $4 \times 2 = 8$ $8 \div 2 = 4$ $0 \times 2 \times $	shared equally between 2 is Half of is \div 2 = $4 \times 2 = 8$ $8 \div 2 = 4$	
Divide by 10 Encourage children to compare the grouping and sharing structures of division and to make links with times-table facts.	There are equal groups of 10 \div 10 = $6 \times 10 = 60$ $60 \div 10 = 6$	shared equally between 10 is $ \div 10 = $ $ 6 \times 10 = 60 $ $ 60 \div 10 = 6 $	



Progression of skills	Key representations	
Divide by 5 Encourage children to compare the grouping and sharing structures of division and to make links with times-table facts.	There are equal groups of $\div 5 =$ $6 \times 5 = 30$ $30 \div 5 = 6$ $0 5 10 15 20 25 30 35 40 45 50$	shared equally between is $6 \times 5 = 30$ $30 \div 5 = 6$
Missing numbers Bar models are useful to show the link between multiplication and division.	divided by 2/ /10 is equal to	



Progression of skills	Key representations	
Unit fractions	The objects have been shared fairly into groups.	There are equal parts. There is part circled.
In Y2 the focus is on finding $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{2}$	1 of is	is circled.
Bar models are useful to show the link between division and finding a fraction.		
Non-unit fractions	The objects have been shared fairly into	There are equal parts. There are parts circled.
In Y2 the focus is on finding and —	groups. of is	is circled.
Prompt children to notice that $\frac{2}{2}$ is equivalent to $\frac{1}{2}$		



Year 3	 Recall and use division facts for the 3, 4 and 8 multiplication tables. Write and calculate mathematical statements for division using the multiplication tables that they know, including for two-digit numbers times one-digit numbers, using mental and progressing to formal written methods. Recognise, find and write fractions of a discrete set of objects: unit fractions and non-unit fractions with small denominators. 		
Progression of skills	Key representations		
Divide by 3 Encourage children to compare the grouping and sharing structures of division and to make links with times-table facts.	There are groups of in $ \div 3 =$ $2 \times 3 = 6$ $6 \div 3 = 2$	has been shared equally into equal groups. \div 3 = $2 \times 3 = 6$ $6 \div 3 = 2$	
Divide by 4 Encourage children to compare the grouping and sharing structures of division and to make links with times-table facts.	There are groups of in $\div 4 =$ $2 \times 4 = 8$ $8 \div 4 = 2$ 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	has been shared equally into equal groups \div 4 = $2 \times 4 = 8$ $8 \div 4 = 2$	



Progression of skills

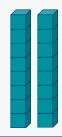
Key representations

Divide by 8

Encourage children to compare the grouping and sharing structures of division and to make links with times-table facts.

There are ... groups of in ...

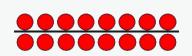
$$... \div 8 =$$



$$2 \times 8 = 16$$

 $16 \div 8 = 2$

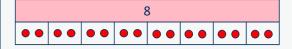




... has been shared equally into equal groups.







$$2 \times 8 = 16$$

 $16 \div 8 = 2$

Related facts

Link to known times-table facts.

 $\dots \div \dots$ is equal to ...,

so ... tens ÷ ... is equal to ... tens.











$$12 \div 3 = 4$$

 $120 \div 3 = 40$

Divide a 2-digit number by a 1-digit number - no exchange

Partition into tens and ones to divide and then recombine.

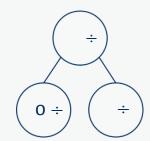
- ... tens divided by ... is equal to ... tens.
- ... ones divided by ... is equal to ... ones.

Tens	Ones
	••
	••

$$60 \div 2 = 30$$

 $4 \div 2 = 2$

$$64 \div 2 = 32$$



Tens	Ones
000	1
000	0
000	1
000	0



Progression of skills Key representations Divide a 2-digit number by ... tens divided by ... is equal to ... tens. There are ... groups of ... a 1-digit number - with ... ones divided by ... is equal to ... ones. There are ... remaining. remainders $31 \div 4 = 7 \text{ r}$ 3 Encourage children to partition numbers flexibly Tens Ones to help them to divide more efficiently. $94 \div 4 = 23 \text{ r}2$ 1 ÷ _____ Tens Ones Tens Ones 00 000 $80 \div 4 = 20$ 00 000 $16 \div 4 = 4$ 00 00 $96 \div 4 = 24$ 00 Unit fractions of a set of The whole is divided into ... equal parts. ne ... of ... is ... objects Each part is $\frac{1}{2}$ of the whole. [±] of 12 is 3 Bar models are useful to show the link between of 36 is 12 division and fractions, for example, dividing by 3 and finding a third. of 12 apples is 3 apples.



Progression of skills	Key representations	
Non-unit fractions of a set of objects Bar models are a useful representation and show the links with division and multiplication.	The whole is divided into equal parts. Each part is 1 of the whole. Output Outp	1 of is, so of is of 12 is 9 of 36 is 24

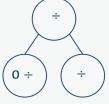


Year 4	 Recall division facts for multiplication tables up to 12 × 12 Use place value, known and derived facts to divide mentally, including: dividing by 1 Find the effect of dividing a one- or two-digit number by 10 and 100, identifying the value of the digits in the answer as ones, tenths and hundredths. 		
Progression of skills	Key representations		
Division facts to 12 × 12 Encourage children to compare the grouping and sharing structures of division and to make links with times-table facts.	There are groups of in ÷ =	has been shared equally into equal groups ÷ =	
Divide a number by 1 and itself	$2 \times 6 = 12$ $12 \div 6 = 2$ $0 6 12$ When I divide a number by 1, the number remains the same.	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	
Children may try to divide a number by zero and it should be highlighted that this is not possible.	5 shared between 1 is 5 There are 5 groups of 1 in 5	5 shared between 5 is 1 There is 1 group of 5 in 5	



Progression of skills	Key representations
Related facts	÷ is equal to
Link to known times-table facts.	so tens ÷ is equal to tens and hundreds ÷ is equal to hundreds.
Tacts.	
	$21 \div 7 = 3$ $21 \div 3 = 7$
	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Divide a 2 or 3-digit	I can partition into tens I cannot share the hundreds/tens equally, so I need to
number by a 1-digit	and ones. exchange 1 for 10
number Progress from divisions with	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
ma ayabamaa ta diyisiama	1/ / / 13 ÷ 3 – 3

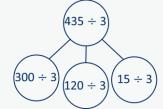
no exchange, to divisions with exchange and then divisions with remainders.



$$80 \div 4 = 20$$

 $4 \div 4 = 1$
 $84 \div 4 = 21$

Tens	Ones
000	0
000	0
000	0
000	0



$300 \div 3 = 100$
$120 \div 3 = 40$
$15 \div 3 = 5$
$435 \div 3 = 145$

Hundreds	Tens	Ones
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®	0000	00000
©	0000	00000
-	-	



Progression of skills	Key representations		
Divide by 10 and 100 Encourage children to	When I divide by 10, the digits move 1 place value column to the right is one-tenth the size of	When I divide by 100, the digits move 2 place value columns to the right is one-hundredth the size of	
notice that dividing by 100 is the same as dividing by 10 twice.	Tth Hth T O Tth Hth	Tth Hth T O Tth Hth	
	O Tth Hth T O Tth Hth	O Tth Hth T O Tth Hth	
	$2 \div 10 = 0.2$ $12 \div 10 = 1.2$	$2 \div 100 = 0.02$ $12 \div 100 = 0.12$	



Year 5	 Divide numbers mentally drawing upon known facts. Divide numbers up to 4 digits by a one-digit number using the formal written method of short division and interpret remainders appropriately for the context. Divide whole numbers and those involving decimals by 10, 100 and 1,000 		
Progression of skills	Key representations		
Mental strategies	I can partition into and to help me to divide more easily.	I can show groups of on a number line.	To divide by, I can divide by and then divide the result by $436 \div 4 = 436 \div 2 \div 2$ $436 \div 2 = 218$ $218 \div 2 = 109$
Divide numbers up to 4 digits by a 1-digit number The short division method is introduced for the first time.	There are groups of hund I can exchange 1 for 10 T 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	reds/tens/ones/ in 2 0 5 r2 3 6 1 17 17 17 17 17 17 17	1 2 2 3 r2 4 4 8 9 14 Th



Progression of skills	Key representations
Divide by 10, 100 and 1,000 Encourage children to notice that dividing by 100 is the same as dividing by 10 twice, and that dividing by 1,000 is the same as dividing by 1 three times.	To divide by $10/100/1,000$, I move all the digits places to the right is one-tenth/one-hundredth/one-thousandth the size of The Heat Too Tthe Hth $120 \div 10 = 12$ $120 \div 100 = 1.2$ $120 \div 1,000 = 0.12$
Fraction of an amount Bar models support children to understand that to find a fraction of an amount, we divide by the denominator and multiply by the numerator.	To find of, I need to divide by and multiply by $ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$



Year 6	 Perform mental calculations, including with mixed operations and large numbers. 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 numbers up to 4 digits by a two-digit number using the formal written method of short division where appropriate, interpreting remainders according to the context. Divide numbers by 10, 100 and 1,000 giving answers up to three decimal places. Use written division methods in cases where the answer has up to two decimal places. Associate a fraction with division and calculate decimal fraction equivalents. Divide proper fractions by whole numbers [for example, \(\frac{1}{2} \div 2 = \frac{1}{2} \)] Solve problems involving the calculation of percentages. 	
Progression of skills	Key representations	
Short division Encourage children to interpret remainders in context, for example knowing that " remainder 1" could mean complete boxes with 1 left over so 5 boxes will be needed.	There are groups of hundreds/tens/ones/ in I can exchange 1 for 10 There are groups of hundreds/tens/ones/ in The are groups of hundreds/tens/ones/ in hundreds/tens/on	



Progression of skills	Key representations		
Mental strategies	To divide by, I can first divide by and then divide the answer by		
Include partitioning and number line strategies outlined in Y5 as well as division using factors.	$240 \div 60 = 240 \div 10 \div 6$ $240 \longrightarrow \begin{array}{c} \div 10 \\ \hline \end{array} \longrightarrow \begin{array}{c} \div 6 \\ \hline \end{array} \longrightarrow \begin{array}{c} \div 6 \\ \hline \end{array} \longrightarrow \begin{array}{c} \end{array}$ $480 \div 24 = 480 \div 4 \div 6$ $480 \longrightarrow \begin{array}{c} \div 4 \\ \hline \end{array} \longrightarrow \begin{array}{c} \div 6 \\ \hline \end{array} \longrightarrow$	9,120 ÷ 15 = 9,120 ÷ 5 ÷ 3 9,120 ?	
Long division	Method 1	Method 2	
The long division method is introduced for the first time. Two alternative methods are shown.	0 3 6 12 4 3 2 3 6 0 (12 × 30) 3 0 0 (15 × 20) 7 2 (12 × 6) 6 0 (15 × 4)	0 3 6 12 4 3 2 3 6 7 2 7 2 1 1 7 0 1 0 9 r 9 13 1 4 2 6 1 3 0 1 2 6 1 1 7	
Order of operations Calculations in brackets should be done first, then powers. Multiplication and division should be performed before addition and subtraction.	has greater priority than, so the first part of powers \times and \div $(6+4) \div 2 = 1$		



Progression of skills	Key representations		
Divide by 10, 100 and 1,000 Encourage children to notice that dividing by 100 is the same as dividing by 10 twice, and that dividing by 1,000 is the same as dividing by 10 three times.	To divide by , I move the digits places to the right. $\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$906 \div 10 = 90.6$ $906 \div 100 = 9.06$ $906 \div 1,000 = 0.906$	
Divide decimals by integers This is the first time children divide decimals by numbers other than 10, 100 or 1,000	I know that \div $=$, so I also know that \div $=$ 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	I need to exchange 1 for 10	
Decimal and fraction equivalents	The fraction is equivalent to the decimal $ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	is equal to $\frac{\square}{100}$ $\frac{\times 25}{4} = \frac{75}{100} = 0.75$ $\times 25$	



Progression of skills	Key representations		
Divide a fraction by an integer	ones divided by 2 is ones so sevenths divided by 2 is sevenths.	I am dividing by, so I can split each part into equal parts.	is equivalent to so \div = \div
This is the first time children divide fractions by an integer.	$ \begin{array}{ccc} - \div & = \frac{1}{7} \\ 7 & 7 \\ - \div & 2 = \frac{2}{7} \end{array} $	$\frac{1}{2} \div 2 = \frac{1}{2}$	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Fraction of an amount Children divide and multiply	To find $\frac{1}{\Box}$ I divide by	If $\frac{1}{\Box}$ is equal to, then $\frac{\Box}{\Box}$ are equal to	If is equal to, then the whole is equal to
to find fractions of an amount. Bar models can still be used to support understanding where needed.	$\frac{1}{2} \text{ of } = \div 2$ $\frac{1}{12} \text{ of } 36 = \div 12$	$ \frac{2,700 \text{ m}}{7} $ $ \frac{7}{7} \qquad \frac{1}{7} $ $ - \text{ of } 2,700 = - \text{ of } 2,700 \times 7 $	- of= 48



Progression of skills	Key representations	
Calculate percentages Children first learn how to find 1%, 10%, 20%, 25% and 50% before using multiples of these amounts to find any percentage.	There are lots of % in 100% To find %, I need to divide by 100% 50% 50% 25% 25% 25% 25% 25% 25% 25% 25%	% is made up of %, and % 100% 10% 10% 10% 10% 10% 10% 10% 10% 10% 10%
Encourage children to see the multiplicative relationship between ratios. They will need to multiply or divide each value by the same number to keep the ratio equivalent. Double number lines and	For every , there are For every 6 children on a school trip adults children	o, there is 1 adult. Adults Children 1 2 1 1
ratio tables help children to see both horizontal and vertical multiplicative relationships.	। ne ratio ot children to adults is ७ :	0 1 2 Adults