

## **Northchapel Community Primary School**

## **Calculation Policy**

**Progression through Calculation from Reception to Year 6** 

#### Northchapel's written maths calculation policy



This calculation policy was originally developed by a combination of the White Rose Hub and West Park CE Primary. It is also based on the resources produced by the NCETM (National Centre for Excellence in the Teaching of Mathematics).

Progression within each area of calculation follows the programme of study in the 2014 National Curriculum.

It has been adapted for use within Northchapel Community Primary School and includes written strategies, pedagogy and visual representations for each of the operations from years1-6 developed and agreed on our Inset day January 2018.

It is used in conjunction with the objectives from the New Maths Programme of Study and the Maths vocabulary glossary:-

https://www.ncetm.org.uk/resources/42990#glossary

National Curriculum Primary Assessment Materials - NCETM

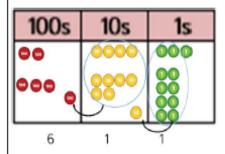
# Calculation policy: Addition

Key language: sum, total, parts and wholes, plus, add, altogether, more, 'is equal to' 'is the same as'.

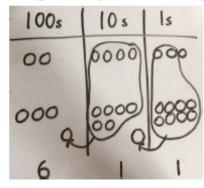
Pictorial	Abstract
Children to represent the cubes using dots or crosses. They could put each part on a part whole model too.	Four is a part, 3 is a part and the whole is seven.
A bar model which encourages the children to count on, rather than count all.	The abstract number line: What is 2 more than 4? What is the sum of 2 and 4? What is the total of 4 and 2? 4+2
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Regrouping to make 10; using ten frames and Children to draw the ten frame and counters/cubes. Children to develop an understanding counters/cubes or using Numicon. of equality e.g. 6+5  $6 + \Box = 11$  $6 + 5 = 5 + \square$  $6 + 5 = \Box + 4$ TO + O using base 10. Continue to develop understanding Children to represent the base 10 e.g. lines for tens and dot/crosses for ones. 1 + 8 = 9of partitioning and place value. 41+8 40 + 9 = 4910s 1111 TO + TO using base 10. Continue to develop Chidlren to represent the base 10 in a place value chart. Looking for ways to make 10. understanding of partitioning and place value. 105 15 36 + 25= 30 + 20 = 50 36 + 255 + 5 = 1010s 15 111 50 + 10 + 1 = 615 36 +25 Formal method: 6

Use of place value counters to add HTO + TO, HTO + HTO etc. When there are 10 ones in the 1s column- we exchange for 1 ten, when there are 10 tens in the 10s column- we exchange for 1 hundred.



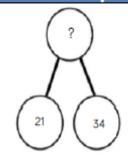
Chidren to represent the counters in a place value chart, circling when they make an exchange.



243

+368

# Conceptual variation; different ways to ask children to solve 21 + 34



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21	34

Word problems:

In year 3, there are 21 children and in year 4, there are 34 children. How many children in total?

21 + 34 = 55. Prove it

21

+34

21+34=

= 21 + 34

Calculate the sum of twenty-one and thirty-four.

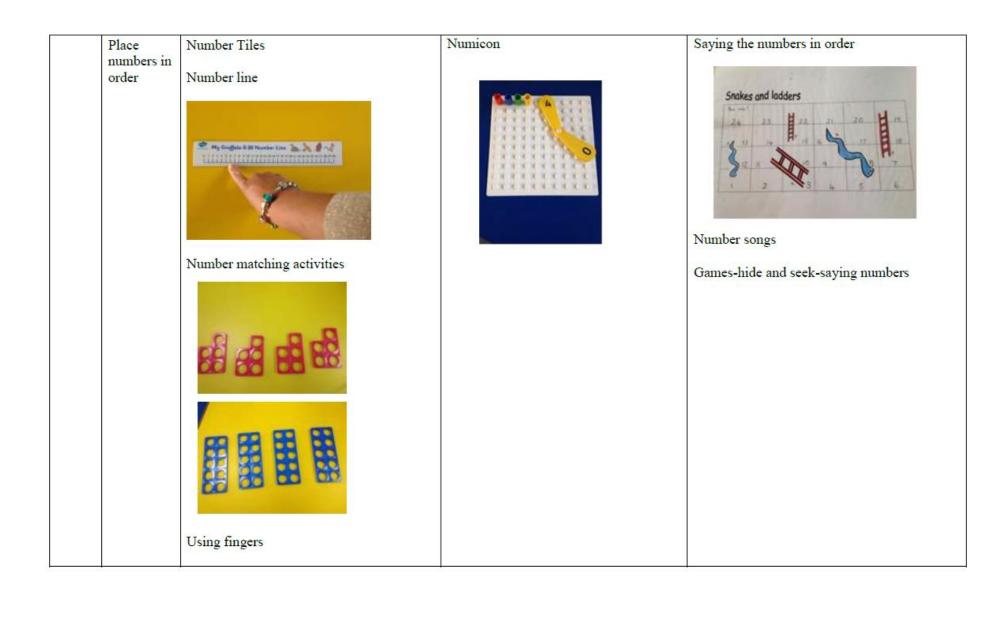
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Missing digit problems:

10s	1s
2	0
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?	5 -

## **CALCULATION GUIDANCE: Counting**

Objective	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
Counting Cardinal Numbers Children count reliably with numbers from 1-20	Counting cubes, bears, fingers, pegs.  1:1 touching object as you say the number  Know that the last number is the biggest e.g  1-2-3  When counting out from a larger group organise objects in a linear way.	Matching dots to a given quantity e.g. Dominoes, pegs	Recognising by sight, not always having to count.  Recognising patterns on dominoes or dice.



	Objective	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
۵-	One more than from a group of up to 5 objects then 10. Building to a given number to 20.	Sorting into 2 groups then combining 2 groups of objects e.g. cubes, bears, fingers, pegs (total, all, together)	IWB resources tesiboard Addition stories	Using symbols, numerals and their names.  2 + 1 = 3
Year R	Using objects to add two single digit numbers	Sorting into 2 groups then combining 2 groups of objects e.g. cubes, bears, fingers, pegs (total, all, together)	IWB resources tesiboard Addition stories	Using symbols, numerals and their names.
	Count on	Number line and counters Board games	Number line without counters	Put in your head and count on
	Solve problems	Role Play	Picture cards	Is it a sensible answer? Simple estimating.

#### **Key Vocabulary**

Add, more, and, make, sum, total, altogether, score, double, one more, two more, ten more...

How many more make...?

How many more is... than ...?

	Objective	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
Year 1	Number bonds of 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10	Use cubes to add two numbers together as a group or in a bar.	Use pictures to add two numbers together as a group or in a bar.	2+3=5 3+2=5 5=3+2 5=2+3  Use the part-part-whole diagram as shown above to move into the abstract.
Ye	Counting	Start with the larger number on the bead string and then count on to the smaller number 1 by 1 to find the answer.  5 5 7 8	Use a number line to count on in ones.  5 6 7 8	5+3=8

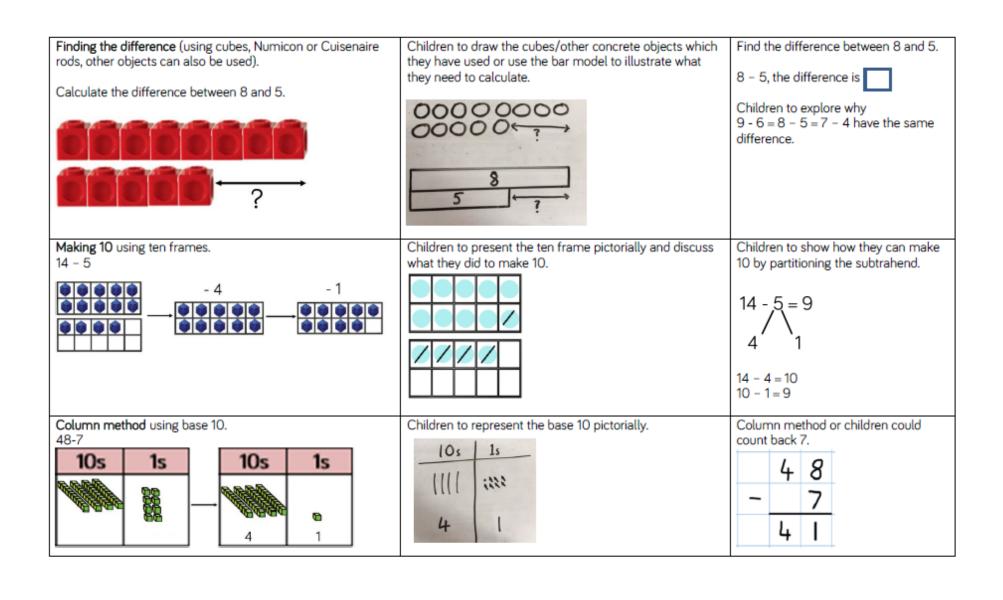
Objective	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
Column method without regrouping	Add together the ones first, then add the tens. Use the Base 10 blocks first before moving onto place value counters.  24 + 15 =  44 + 15 =	After physically using the base 10 blocks and place value counters, children can draw the counters to help them to solve additions.  10s 1s	24 + 15 = 39  24 + 15 39
Year 2 Column method with regrouping	Add up the units and exchange 10 ones for 1 ten.  10s 1s	Using place value counters, children can draw the counters to help them to solve additions.  10s 1s  10s 1s  10s 1s	40+ 9 <u>20+ 3</u> 60+ 12 = 72

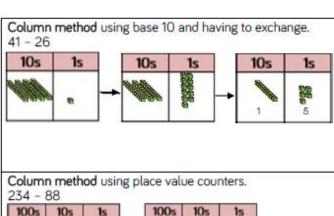
	Objective	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
		Make both numbers on a place value grid.	100s 10s 1s	100 + 40 + 6 500 + 20 + 7 600 + 70 + 3
		9 9 9 146 + 527		As the children progress, they will move from the expanded to the compacted method.
/4	Column method with regrouping	Add up the units and exchange 10 ones for 1 ten.	100s 10s 1s	146 + <u>527</u> <u>673</u>
Year 3/4	nethod with	<ul> <li>⊕</li> <li>⊕</li></ul>	000	1 As the children move on, introduce
	Column n	As children move on to decimals, money and decimal place value counters can be used to support learning.	Children can draw a pictorial representation of the columns and place value counters to further support their learning and understanding.	decimals with the same number of decimal places and different. Money can be used here.
		<b>NB</b> By Year 4 children will progress on to adding four digit numbers.	<b>NB</b> Addition of money needs to have £ and p added separately.	
Year 5/6	Column method without regrouping	Consolidate understanding using numbers	mbers with more than 4 digits and extend by adding numbers with up to 3 decimal place	

# Calculation policy: Subtraction

Key language: take away, less than, the difference, subtract, minus, fewer, decrease.

Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
Physically taking away and removing objects from a whole (ten frames, Numicon, cubes and other items such as beanbags could be used).	Children to draw the concrete resources they are using and cross out the correct amount. The bar model can also be used.	4-3=
4 - 3 = 1	Ø Ø Ø Ø O	4 3 ?
Counting back (using number lines or number tracks) children start with 6 and count back 2.  6 - 2 = 4	Children to represent what they see pictorially e.g.	Children to represent the calculation on a number line or number track and show their jumps. Encourage children to use an empty number line
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10	12345678910	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10



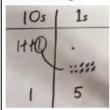


100s

10s

4

Represent the base 10 pictorially, remembering to show the exchange.

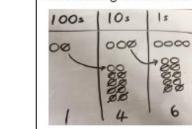


Formal column method. Children must understand that when they have exchanged the 10 they still have 41 because 41 = 30 + 11.



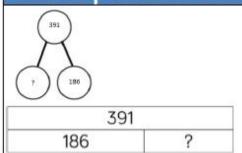
method using place value counters.

Represent the place value counters pictorially; remembering to show what has been exchanged.



Formal colum method. Children must understand what has happened when they have crossed out digits.

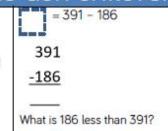
Conceptual variation; different ways to ask children to solve 391 - 186



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Raj spent £391, Timmy spent £186. How much more did Raj spend?

Calculate the difference between 391 and 186.



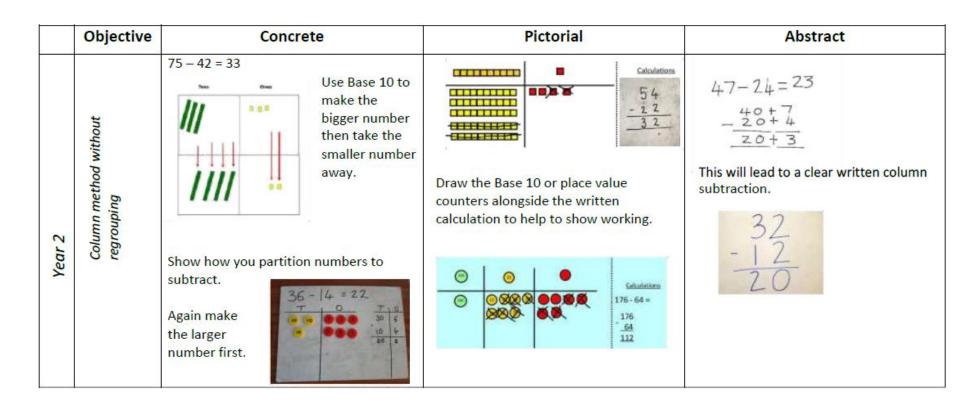
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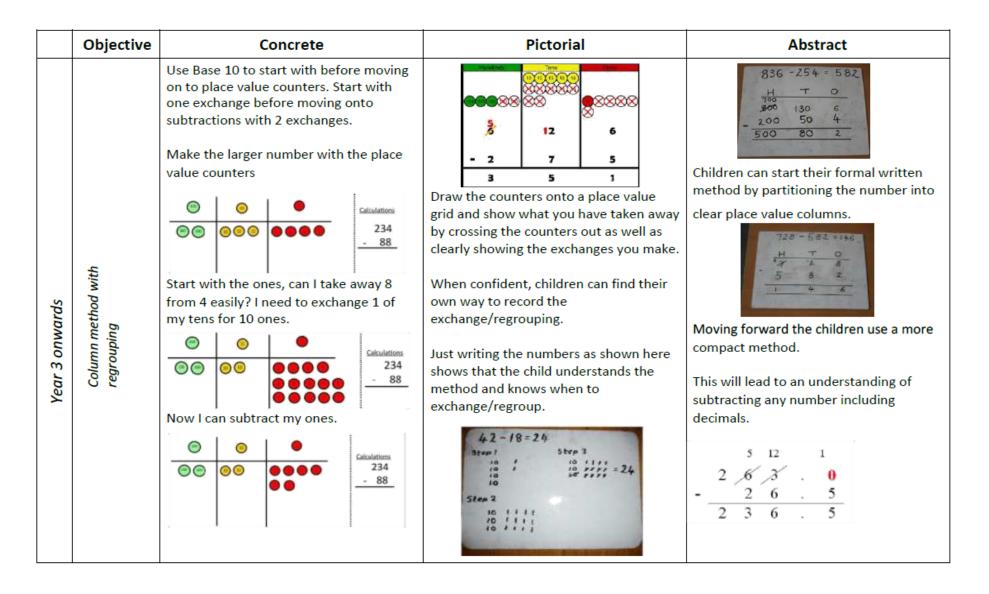
Missing digit calculations

	Objective	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
	'One less than' From a group of up to 5 objects then 10, building to a given number to 20.	Practical moving objects from a larger group e.g. eating fruit	Crossing out pictures. IWB resources e.g. tesiboard subtraction stories.	Using symbols, numerals and their names.
Year R	Using objects to subtract 2 single digit numbers (fewer)	Practical moving objects from a larger group e.g. eating fruit	Crossing out pictures. IWB resources e.g. tesiboard subtraction stories.	Using symbols, numerals and their names $3-l=2$
	Count back	Number line and counter.  **Mg Graphs 6.30 Number Line**  **O 1 2 3 4 5 6 7  Specialist subtraction board games.	Number line without counters.	Put it in your head and count back.

	Role Play with objects, i.e. Little Red riding hood dropping objects from her basket	Picture cards	Is it a sensible answer? Estimating.
			Numicon

	Objective	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
	ones Taking away	Use physical objects, counters, cubes etc. to show how objects can be taken away. $4-2=2$	Cross out drawn objects to show what has been taken away.  4-2=2	4-2=2
Year 1	Counting back	Make the larger number in your subtraction. Move the beads along your bead string as you count backwards in ones.	Count back on a number line or number track  9 10 11 12 13 14 15  Start at the bigger number and count back the smaller number, showing the jumps on the number line.	Put 13 in your head, count back 4. What number are you at? Use your fingers to help.
	Find the difference	Compare amounts and objects to find the difference.  Begoddish  Use cubes to build towers or make bars to find the difference. Use basic bar models with items to find the difference.	Count on to find the difference.  Lisa is 13 years old. Her sister is 22 years old. Find the difference in age between them.  13  2  Draw bars to find the difference between 2 numbers.	Hannah has 8 goldfish. Helen has 3 goldfish. Find the difference between the number of goldfish the girls have.



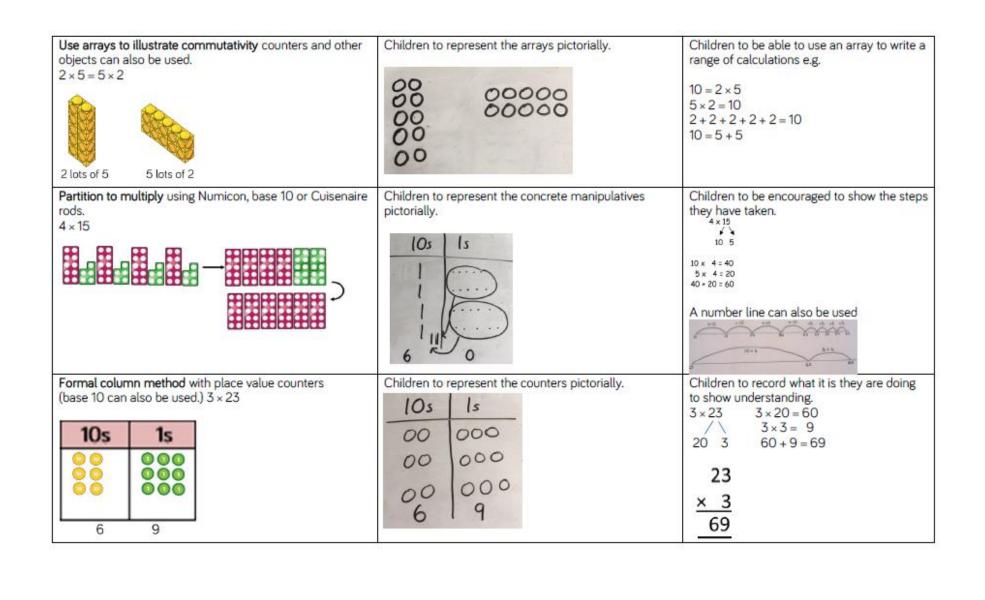


	Objective	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
Year 3 up	Column method with regrouping	Now look at the tens, can I take away 8 tens easily? I need to exchange 1 hundred for 10 tens.  Now I can take away 8 tens and complete my subtraction.  Show children how the concrete method links to the written method alongside your working. Cross out the numbers when exchanging and show where we write our new amount.		

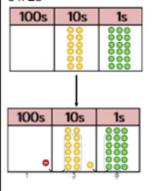
# Calculation policy: Multiplication

Key language: double, times, multiplied by, the product of, groups of, lots of, equal groups.

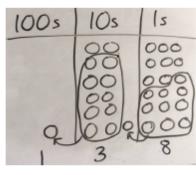
Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
Repeated grouping/repeated addition  3 × 4 4 + 4 + 4  There are 3 equal groups, with 4 in each group.	Children to represent the practical resources in a picture and use a bar model.	3 × 4 = 12 4 + 4 + 4 = 12
Number lines to show repeated groups-3 × 4  Cuisenaire rods can be used too.	Represent this pictorially alongside a number line e.g.:	Abstract number line showing three jumps of four. $3 \times 4 = 12$



Formal column method with place value counters.  $6 \times 23$ 



Children to represent the counters/base 10, pictorially e.g. the image below.



Formal written method

$$6 \times 23 =$$

23

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When children start to multiply 3d × 3d and 4d × 2d etc., they should be confident with the abstract:

To get 744 children have solved  $6 \times 124$ . To get 2480 they have solved  $20 \times 124$ .

Answer: 3224

## Conceptual variation; different ways to ask children to solve 6 × 23

23 23 23 23 23 23

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Mai had to swim 23 lengths, 6 times a week.

How many lengths did she swim in one week?

With the counters, prove that 6 x 23 = 138

Find the product of 6 and 23

 $6 \times 23 =$ 

= 6 × 23

6 23 × 23 × 6

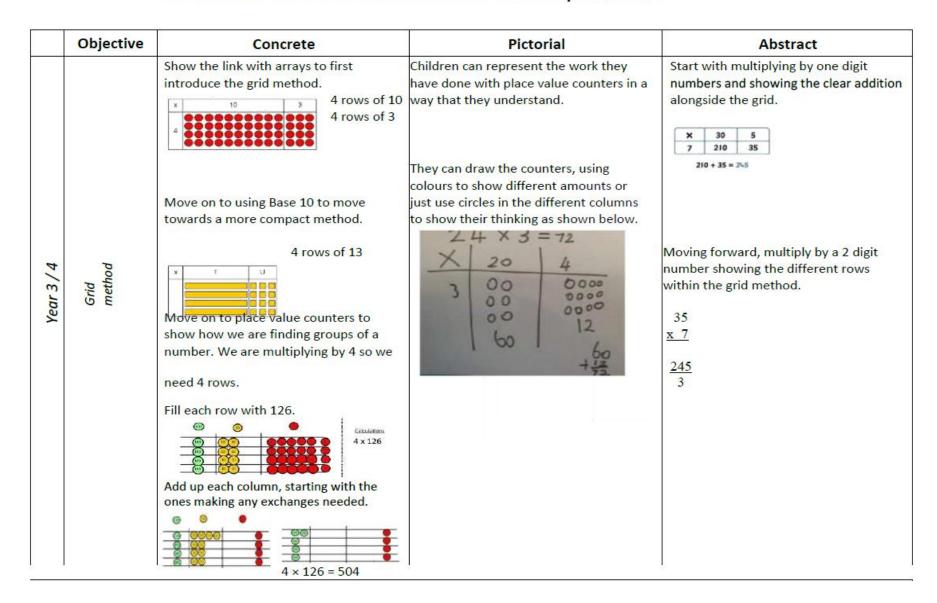
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What is the calculation? What is the product?

100s	10s	1s
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Objective	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
Solve problems including doubling	Counting bears  Pegs	Number pictures Fingers Counting in 2s5s 10swith Numicon	Using symbols, numerals and their names.  2+2=4  4+4=8  Counting in 2s, 5s, 10s  Rhymes and stories

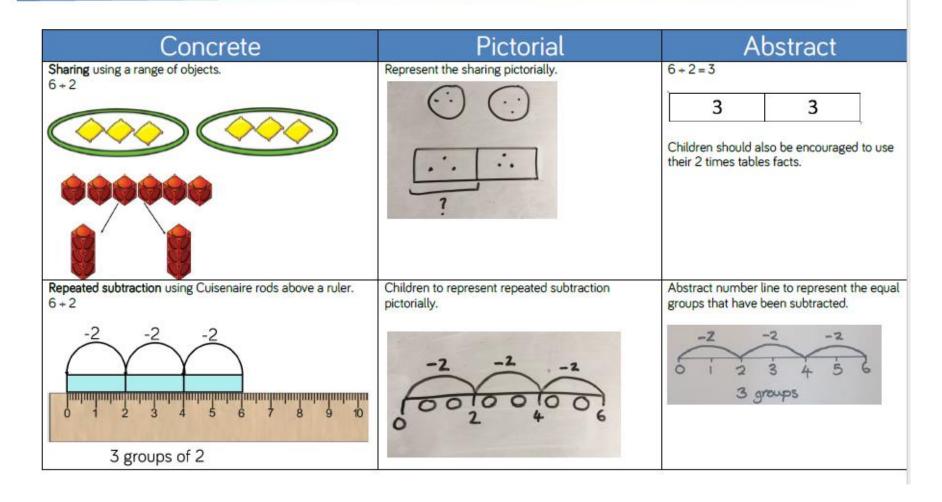
	Objective	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
2	Repeated addition	Use different objects to add equal groups.	There are 3 plates. Each plate has 2 star biscuits on. How many biscuits are there?  2+2+2=6  5  5  5  5  1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	Write addition sentences to describe objects and pictures.  2 + 2 + 2 = 6
Year 1 / 2	Arrays- showing commutative multiplication	Create arrays using counters/cubes to show multiplication sentences.	Draw arrays in different rotations to find commutative multiplication sentences.  4 × 2 = 8  2 × 4 = 8  4 × 2 = 8  Link arrays to area of rectangles.	Use an array to write multiplication sentences and reinforce repeated addition. $ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$



Objective	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
Evonded method	Show the link with arrays to first introduce the expanded method.  10 8  10 80  3 80 24	3 0 30 0000000000000000000000000000000	Start with long multiplication, reminding the children about lining up their numbers clearly in columns.  18  x 13  24 (3 x 8)  30 (3 x 10))  80 (10 x 8)  100 (10 x 10)  234
Year 5/6	Children can continue to be supported by place value counters at the stage of multiplication.  It is important at this stage that they always multiply the ones first and note down their answer followed by the tens which they note below.	Bar modelling and number lines can support learners when solving problems with multiplication alongside the formal written methods.	Start with long multiplication, reminding the children about lining up their numbers clearly in columns.  If it helps, children can write out what they are solving next to their answer.  7 4  × 6 3  1 2  2 1 0  2 4 0  4 6 6 2  This moves to the more compact method.

## Calculation policy: Division

Key language: share, group, divide, divided by, half.



2d + 1d with remainders using lollipop sticks. Cuisenaire rods, above a ruler can also be used.

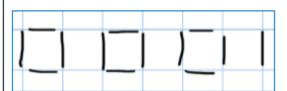
$$13 \div 4$$

Use of lollipop sticks to form wholes- squares are made because we are dividing by 4.



There are 3 whole squares, with 1 left over.

Children to represent the lollipop sticks pictorially.

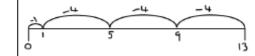


There are 3 whole squares, with 1 left over.

13 + 4 - 3 remainder 1

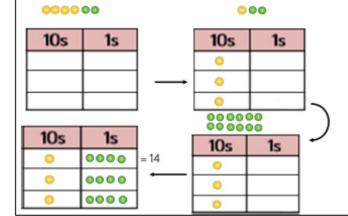
Children should be encouraged to use their times table facts; they could also represent repeated addition on a number line.

'3 groups of 4, with 1 left over'

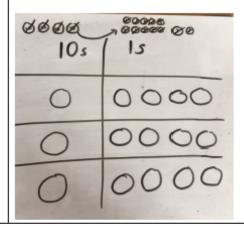


Sharing using place value counters.

$$42 \div 3 = 14$$



Children to represent the place value counters pictorially.



Children to be able to make sense of the place value counters and write calculations to show the process.

$$42 + 3$$
  
 $42 = 30 + 12$   
 $30 + 3 = 10$   
 $12 + 3 = 4$   
 $10 + 4 = 14$ 

	Objective	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
Year R/1	Sharing	I have 8 cubes, can you share them equally between two people?	Children use picture or shapes to share quantities.	Share 8 buns between two people. 8 ÷ 2 = 4

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Year 1/2	Grouping	Divide quantities into equal groups. Use cubes, counters, objects or place value counters to aid understanding.	Use a number line to show jumps in groups. The number of jumps equals the number of groups.  10 + 5 = ?  5 x ? = 10	10 ÷ 5 = 2  Divide 10 into 5 groups. How many are in each group?

Obje	ctive Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
Division with arrays	Link division to multiplication by creating an array and thinking about the number sentences that can be created Eg 15 ÷ 3 = 5 5 x 3 = 15  15 ÷ 5 = 3 3 x 5 = 15	array into groups to make multiplication and division sentences.	15 ÷ 3 = 5
Year 3/4 Short division	Use place value counters to divide us the short division method alongside.  96 ÷ 3  42 ÷ 3  Start with the biggest place value.  We are sharing 40 into three groups. We can 1 ten in each group and we have 1 te left over.  We exchange this ten for 10 ones and then share the ones equally among the groups.  We look at how many are in each group.	diagrams with dots or circles to help them divide numbers into equal groups.  Encourage them to move towards counting in multiples to divide more efficiently.	Begin with divisions that divide equally with no remainder.  2 1 8 3 4 8 7 2

	Objective	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
		14 ÷ 3 = Divide objects between groups and see how much is left over	Jump forward in equal jumps on a number line then see how many more you need to jump to find a remainder.	Complete written divisions and show the remainder using r.
	with ers	** ** **	0 4 8 12 13	29 + 8 = 3 REMAINDER 5  ↑ ↑ ↑ ↑  dividend divisor quotient remainder
	Division with remainders		Draw dots and group them to divide an amount and clearly show a remainder.	List table facts to support division.
			(i) (i) (ii) iii	E.g. 5, 10, 15, 20, 25
	srs	364 ÷ 3 =		Move onto divisions with a remainder.  Once children understand remainders,
9/	remainders	3 364		8 6 r 2 begin to
Year 5/6	rem			3 express as a fraction
Ye				5 4 3 2 a fraction or decimal
	sion			according to the context.  1 8 6 1/5
	Short division with			5 9 43 1
	Short			1 4 6
				1 4 . 6
				3 5 5 1 1 . 0

	Objective	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
				Children will use long division to divide numbers with up to 4 digits by 2 digit numbers.
10	Long division			015 32 487 -0 48 -32 167
Year 6	Long			-160 7 31 546 31 236 217 19