



# Key Instant Recall Facts

Year 1 – Spring Term 1

By the end of this half term, children should know the following facts. The aim is for them to recall these facts **with speed and accuracy**:

I can compare numbers to 10 using  $<$   $>$   
and  $=$

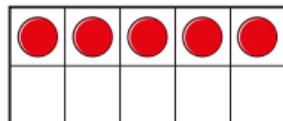
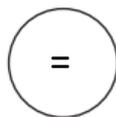
Children should be able to use their knowledge of numbers to 10 to compare them, using different representations (images, groups of objects, numerals, numbers written in words)

$<$  means less than e.g.  $4 < 7$  *4 is less than 7*

$>$  means greater than e.g.  $7 > 4$  *7 is greater than 4*

$=$  means equal

five



## Key vocabulary

greater than  $>$

less than  $<$

equal  $=$

compare

## Top tips

The secret to success is practising *little* and *often*. Use time wisely. Can you practise this KIRF whilst walking to school or during a car journey? You do not need to practise all aspects of the KIRF all at once; perhaps you could have a fact of the day, or a few facts per week to practise? If you would like more ideas, please speak to your child's teacher.

## Practical resources and ideas

Collect groups of up to ten objects around the home and write a number to ten in words or numerals. Ask your child to create a number sentence using  $<$   $>$  or  $=$  to compare the amounts.