

Progression in Mathematics: Addition and Subtraction

Concept	Nursery and EYFS	Year 1 and Year 2	Year 3 and Year 4 🔲	Year 5 and Year 6
	recognise some numbers of personal	read, write and interpret mathematical	estimate the answer to a calculation	use rounding to check answers
	significance	statements involving addition, subtraction	and use inverse operations to check	to calculations and determine, in
	selects the correct numeral to	and equals signs	estimate and use inverse operations	of accuracy
	represent 1-5 then 1-10 objects	represent and use number bonds and	to check answers to a calculation	
		related subtraction facts within 20		
Recall	records using marks that they can	recall and use addition and subtraction		
Represent Use	interpret and explain	facts to 20 fluently, and derive and use		
	recognise some numbers of personal significance	related facts up to 100		
		show that addition of that addition of two		
	selects the correct numeral to	numbers can be done in any order		
	represent 1-5 then 1-10 objects	(commutative) and subtraction of one		
		number from another cannot		
	records using marks that they can			
	interpret and explain	recognise and use the inverse relationship		
		this to check calculations and solve		
		missing number problems		
	in practical activities and discussion,	add and subtract one- digit and two digit	add and subtract mentally	add and subtract numbers with
	begins to use the vocabulary involved	numbers to 20, including zero	-a three digit number and ones	up to four digits, using formal
	in adding and subtracting		 -a three digit number and tens 	written methods of columnar
	using quantities and objects add and	add and subtract numbers using concrete	-a three digit number and hundreds	addition and subtraction
Calculations	subtract two single digit numbers	objects, pictorial representations, and mentally , including	add and subtract numbers with up to three digits, using formal written	perform mental calculations, including mixed operations and
	count on or back to find the answer	-a two digit number and ones	methods of columnar addition and	large numbers
		-a two digit number and tens	subtraction	
	solve problems including doubling,	-adding 3 one digit numbers	add and subtract numbers with up to	use their knowledge of the order
	halving and sharing		four digits, using formal written	to carry out calculations
			methods of columnar addition and	involving the four operations
	solve real world mathematical		subtraction	
	problems with numbers up to 5			

	begins to identify their own mathematical problems based on their interests solve problems including doubling	solve one step problems involving addition and subtraction (Using pictorial and concrete representations)	solve problems including missing number problems, using number facts, place value and more complex addition and subtraction	solve addition and subtraction multi-step problems in context, deciding which operations and methods to use and why
Solve Problems	halving and sharing	solve missing number problems such as	solve addition and subtraction two-	solve problems involving
		9=+7	step problems in contexts, deciding	addition, subtraction,
	solve real world mathematical		which operations and methods to use	multiplication and division
	problems with numbers up to 5	solve problems involving addition and	and why	
		subtraction		solve problems using a
		(using concrete objects and pictorial		combination of all 4 functions
		representations, including those involving		
		numbers quantities and measures		solve addition and subtraction
				multi-step problems in contexts,
		applying their increasing knowledge of		deciding which operations and
		mental and written methods		methods to use and why