

St. Francis Whole-School Maths Vision

At St. Francis, we believe that:

- Everyone can succeed in maths—the route to mastery is accessible to all.
- Mistakes help us learn and are part of the journey.
- All ideas matter, because sharing deepens understanding.
- Understanding comes first—we value the process over the answer.
- Number sense is key—we explore how numbers work and connect.
- We learn through Concrete, Pictorial, and Abstract representations, building strong foundations step by step.
- We use a range of strategies and resources to solve problems flexibly.
- Maths is meaningful and relatable—we connect learning to real-life situations.
- Connections across topics strengthen understanding, making maths coherent and enjoyable.
- Lastly – maths should be fun, enjoyable for all children at St. Francis!