



NUMBER BONDS								
Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6		
(40-60 months)	represent and use	recall and use						
Automatically	number bonds and	addition and						
recall number	related subtraction	subtraction facts to						
bonds for numbers	facts	20 fluently, and						
0-5 and some to	within 20	derive and						
10.		use related facts up to 100						
(ELG)								
Automatically								
recall number								
bonds up to 5								
(including								
subtraction facts)								
some number								
bonds to 10,								
including double								
facts.								
MENTAL CALCULATION								
Subitise (recognise	add and subtract	add and subtract	add and subtract	add and subtract	add and subtract	perform mental		
quantities without	one-	numbers first using	numbers mentally,	numbers mentally,	numbers	calculations, including		
counting)	digit and two-digit		including:	including:	mentally with	with		
	numbers to 20, including	then pictorial	* a three-digit	* a three-digit	increasingly large numbers	mixed operations and large		
Automatically recall	zero (This helps to	representations, and	number and	number and	large numbers	numbers		
number bonds up to 5 (including	establish addition	mentally, including:	ones	ones				
subtraction facts)	and	* a two-digit	* a three-digit	* a three-digit				
some number bonds	subtraction as related	number and ones	number and	number and				





to 10, including double facts.	operations)	* a two-digit number and tens * two two-digit numbers * adding three one- digit numbers	tens * a three-digit number and hundreds	tens * a three-digit number and hundreds (Consolidation from Year 3)	
	read, write and interpret mathematical statements involving addition (+), subtraction (-) and equals (=) signs (appears also in Written Methods)	show that addition of two numbers can be done in any order (commutative) and subtraction of one number from another cannot	show that addition of two numbers can be done in any order (commutative) and subtraction of one number from another cannot (Consolidation from Year 2)		use their knowledge of the order of operations to carry out calculations involving the four operations





WRITTEN METHODS							
Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
Count two groups of objects to find a total.	read, write and interpret mathematical statements involving addition (+), subtraction (-) and equals (=) signs (appears also in Mental	Record addition and subtraction calculations as a number sentence. 2 + 4 = 6	add and subtract numbers with up to three digits, using formal written methods of columnar addition and subtraction	add and subtract numbers with up to 4 digits using the formal written methods of columnar addition and subtraction where	add and subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits, including using formal written methods (columnar addition and subtraction)	add and subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits, including using formal written methods (columnar addition and subtraction) (Consolidation from	
Calculation) appropriate Year 5) INVERSE OPERATIONS, ESTIMATING AND CHECKING ANGUERS							
partition a number of things into groups and recognise the groups can be recombined to make a total.		recognise and use the inverse relationship between addition and subtraction and use this to check calculations and solve missing number problems.	estimate the answer to a calculation and use inverse operations to check answers	estimate and use inverse operations to check answers to a calculation	use rounding to check answers to calculations and determine, in the context of a problem, levels of accuracy	use estimation to check answers to calculations and determine, in the context of a problem, levels of accuracy.	





PROBLEM SOLVING							
Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
	solve one-step problems that involve addition and subtraction, first using concrete objects and then pictorial representations, and missing number problems such as 7 = 🖂 - 9	then pictorial representatio ns, including those involving numbers, quantities and measures * applying their increasing knowledge of mental and written methods	solve problems, including missing number problems, using number facts, place value, and more complex addition and subtraction including previous years learning.	solve addition and subtraction two-step problems in contexts, deciding which operations and methods to use and why including previous years learning.	solve addition and subtraction multi-step problems in contexts, deciding which operations and methods to use and why including previous years learning.	solve addition and subtraction multi-step problems in contexts, deciding which operations and methods to use and why including previous years learning.	
		solve simple problems in a practical context involving addition and subtraction of money of the same unit, including giving change (copied from				Solve problems involving addition, subtraction, multiplication and division	





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	Measurement)			