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Mathematics Progression of Vocabulary



This document is designed to assist with the teaching of vocabulary across EYFS, KS1 and KS2 and is aligned with the White Rose schemes of learning. This document identifies in which year group vocabulary should be explicitly taught and introduced. However, language should be revisited in subsequent year groups, retrieved regularly and quizzed often to ensure children are consolidating their understanding. Some vocabulary might be introduced earlier (shapes for instance) if necessary or as part of an activity, however this document ensures coverage is progressive.

	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Number and place value	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> count subitise order/ordinal compare forwards backwards numerals digit one more one less equal to more than less than (fewer) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> sort represent multiples partitioning ones tens 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> count in steps count in multiples place value estimate compare 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ascending descending 10 or 100 more 10 or 100 less hundreds 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> negative numbers roman numerals 1000 more 1000 less thousands round 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ten thousands one hundred thousands powers of integer 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> millions ten millions
Addition and subtraction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> add (+) plus (+) altogether total take away/minus (-) number bonds part whole digit 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> addition/add subtraction difference equals (=) facts problems missing number problems 2-digit number inverse 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> sum 3-digit number commutative 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> column addition column subtraction exchange estimate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4-digit number operations methods 		
Multiplication and division	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> double half twice as many equal unequal share 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> multiplication (x) division (÷) arrays 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> commutative repeated addition times tables 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> exchange mathematical statements missing number problems 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> factor pairs formal written layout distributive law remainders 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> multiples factors prime numbers square numbers (²) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> multi-digit numbers long division



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> group odd even 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> integer scaling problems correspondence problems derived facts 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> cube numbers (³) short division product dividend divisor quotient operations 	
Fractions/decimals/percentages		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> whole half quarter equal parts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> three quarters third equivalent fractions unit fractions non unit fractions numerator denominator one whole 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> tenths 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> decimal equivalence hundredths convert proper fractions improper fractions decimal point (.) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> fifth thousandths mixed numbers percent (%) factors integer complements 	
Measurement (measure and length)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> measure wide(er) narrow(er) compare long(er)(est) short(er)(est) length 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> compare 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> standard units estimate order record results centimetre (cm) metre (m) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> millimetre (mm) perimeter 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> kilometres (km) rectilinear figure area 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> decimal notation scaling metric units imperial units inches (") compound shape irregular shape square centimetre (cm²) square metres (m²) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> conversion miles formulae parallelograms triangles feet (ft)
Measurement (height, weight and capacity)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> height long(er)/short(er) tall(er)/short(er) weight 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> mass volume 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> kilogram (kg) gram (g) quarter full 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> cubic centimetre (cm³) pounds (lb) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> cubic metre (m³)



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> capacity heavy/light heavier than lighter than big/bigger/biggest full/empty more than less than half/half full 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> three quarters full liters (l) millilitres (ml) temperature Celsius (°C) 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> pints (pt) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> cubic millimetre (mm³) cubic kilometre (km³) gallons (gal) stones (st) ounces (oz)
Measurement (time)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> time quicker slower earlier later before after first next today yesterday tomorrow morning afternoon evening day week hour minutes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> chronological order month year o'clock half past second 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> intervals of time quarter past/to duration 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> analogue clock roman numerals 12/hour clock 24-hour clock a.m./pm. noon midnight leap year digital 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> convert 		
Measurement (money)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> money coins notes pounds (£) pence (p) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> value change 				
Geometry - properties of shape	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2-d shapes rectangle square circle triangle 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> sides corners properties pyramids faces 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> pentagon hexagon line of symmetry properties 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> right-angle triangle heptagon octagon polygon 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> isosceles equilateral scalene trapezium rhombus 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> regular polygon irregular polygon reflex angles 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> radius diameter circumference dimensions



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> characteristics 3-d shapes cuboids cubes cone spheres curved straight flat 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> cylinder edges vertices vertex 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> properties prism orientations angles acute angle obtuse angle turn right angles half turn $\frac{3}{4}$ of a turn greater than right angle less than right angle horizontal lines vertical lines perpendicular lines parallel lines 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> parallelogram kite geometric shapes quadrilaterals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> degrees one whole turn angles on straight line angles around a point vertically opposite missing angles 	
Position and direction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> over under between around through on into next to behind beneath order repeat patterns on top of 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> position direction movement whole turn quarter turn half turn three-quarter turn 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> clockwise anti-clockwise straight line rotation arrange sequences 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> co-ordinates first quadrant grid translation plot polygon axis 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> reflection 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> four quadrants co-ordinate plane
Statistics			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> pictograms tally chart block diagram category 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> table bar chart one-step problem 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> time graph discrete data continuous data line graph 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> timetable two-way tables 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> pie chart mean



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			<ul style="list-style-type: none">• sorting• totaling• comparing• horizontal• vertical	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• two-step problem	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• comparison problem• sum problem• difference problem• calculate• interpret		
Ratio and proportion							<ul style="list-style-type: none">• relative size• missing values• integer• multiplication• percentages (%)• scale factor• unequal• sharing and grouping
Algebra							<ul style="list-style-type: none">• formulae• linear number sequences• algebraically• equation• unknowns• combinations• variables