

Wheelers Lane Primary School Skills Progression

MATHS

Number and place value	Number and place value						
Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6		
count to and across 100, forwards and backwards, beginning with 0 or 1, or from any given number			count backwards through zero to include negative numbers	interpret negative numbers in context, count forwards and backwards with positive and negative whole numbers, including through zero	use negative numbers in context, and calculate intervals across zero		
count, read and write numbers to 100 in numerals; count in multiples of twos, fives and tens	count in steps of 2, 3, and 5	count from 0 in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100;	count in multiples of 6, 7, 9, 25 and 1000	count forwards or backwards in			
given a number, identify one more and one less	from 0, and in tens from any number, forward or backward	find 10 or 100 more or less than a given number	find 1000 more or less than a given number	steps of powers of 10 for any given number up to 1000 000			
			order and compare numbers beyond 1000.				
use the language of: equal to, more than, less than (fewer), most, least	compare and order numbers from 0 up to 100; use <, > and = signs	compare and order numbers up to 1000	compare numbers with the same number of decimal places up to two decimal places				
identify and represent numbers using objects and pictorial representations including the number line	identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations, including the number line	identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations	identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations				
read and write numbers from 1 to 20 in numerals and words.	read and write numbers to at least 100 in numerals and in words	read and write numbers up to 1000 in numerals and in words.		numbers to at least 1 000 000 and determine the value of	read, write, order and compare numbers up to 10 000 000 and determine the value of each digit		
		tell and write the time from an analogue clock, including using Roman numerals from I to XII, and 12-hour and 24- hour	read Roman numerals to 100 (I to C) and know that over time, the numeral system changed to include the concept of zero and				

	clocks	place value.		
recognise the place value of each digit in a two-digit number (tens, ones)	recognise the place value of each digit in a three digit number (hundreds, tens, ones)	recognise the place value of each digit in a four-digit number (thousands, hundreds, tens, and ones).	numbers to at least 1 000 000 and determine the value of	read, write, order and compare numbers up to 10 000 000 and determine the value of each digit
		find the effect of dividing a one- or two-digit number by 10 and 100, identifying the value of the digits in the answer as units, tenths and hundredths	recognise and use thousandths and relate them to tenths, hundredths and decimal	identify the value of each digit to three decimal places and multiply and divide numbers by 10, 100 and 1000 where the answers are up to three decimal place
		round any number to the nearest 10, 100 or 1 000.		round any whole number to a required degree of accuracy
		round decimals with one decimal place to the nearest whole number	whole number and to one	solve problems which require answers to be rounded to specified degrees of accuracy
use place value and number facts to solve problems	solve number problems and practical problems involving these ideas.	solve number and practical problems that involve all of the above and with increasingly large positive numbers	solve number problems and practical problems that involve all of the above	solve number and practical problems that involve all of the above

Addition and Subtraction						
Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
	recall and use addition and subtraction facts to 20 fluently, and derive and use related facts up to 100					
add and subtract one-digit and	a two-digit number and ones	add and subtract numbers mentally, including: a three-digit number and ones a three-digit number and tens a three-digit number and hundreds		mentally with increasingly large	perform mental calculations, including with mixed operations and large numbers	

	adding three one-digit numbers				
read, write and interpret mathematical statements involving addition (+), subtraction (-) and equals (=) signs	show that addition of two numbers can be done in any order (commutative) and subtraction of one number from another cannot				use their knowledge of the order of operations to carry out calculations involving the four operations
read, write and interpret mathematical statements involving addition (+), subtraction (-) and equals (=) signs		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 appropriate	add and subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits, including using formal written methods (column addition and subtraction)	
	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.
solve one-step problems that involve addition and subtraction, using concrete objects and pictorial representations, and missing number problems such as 7 = (- 9	solve problems with addition and subtraction: using concrete objects and pictorial representations, 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	solve addition and subtraction two-step problems in contexts, deciding which operations and methods to use and why	solve addition and subtraction multi-step problems in contexts, deciding which operations and methods to use and why	solve addition and subtraction multi-step problems in contexts, deciding which operations and methods to use and why
	solve simple problems in a practical context involving addition and subtraction of money of the same unit, including giving change				Solve problems involving addition, subtraction, multiplication and division

Multiplication and division						
Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
count in multiples of twos, fives and tens		count from 0 in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100	count in multiples of 6, 7, 9, 25 and 1 000	count forwards or backwards in steps of powers of 10 for any		

number, forward or backward			given number up to 1 000 000	
recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 2, 5 and 10 multiplication tables, including recognising odd and even numbers	recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 3, 4 and 8 multiplication tables	recall multiplication and division facts for multiplication tables up to 12 × 12		
	write and calculate mathematical statements for multiplication and division using the multiplication tables that they know, including for two-digit numbers times one-digit numbers, using mental and progressing to formal written methods		multiply and divide numbers mentally drawing upon known facts	perform mental calculations, including with mixed operations and large numbers
show that multiplication of two numbers can be done in any order (commutative) and division of one number by another cannot		recognise and use factor pairs and commutativity in mental calculations	multiply and divide whole numbers and those involving decimals by 10, 100 and 1000	associate a fraction with division and calculate decimal fraction equivalents (e.g. 0.375) for a simple fraction (e.g. 3/8)
calculate mathematical statements for multiplication and division within the multiplication tables and write them using the multiplication (×), division (÷) and equals (=) signs	write and calculate mathematical statements for multiplication and division using the multiplication tables that they know, including for two-digit numbers times one-digit numbers, using mental and progressing to formal written methods	multiply two-digit and three-digit numbers by a one-digit number using formal written layout	multiply numbers up to 4 digits by a one- or two-digit number using a formal written method, including long multiplication for two-digit numbers	multiply multi-digit numbers up to 4 digits by a two-digit whole number using the formal written method of long multiplication
			divide numbers up to 4 digits by a one-digit number using the formal written method of short division and interpret remainders appropriately for the context	divide numbers up to 4-digits by a two-digit whole number using the formal written method of short division where appropriate for the context divide numbers up to 4 digits by a two-digit whole number using the formal written method of long division, and interpret

				remainders as whole number remainders, fractions, or by rounding, as appropriate for the context
				use written division methods in cases where the answer has up to two decimal places (copied from Fractions (including decimals))
		recognise and use factor pairs and commutativity in mental calculations (repeated)	identify multiples and factors, including finding all factor pairs of a number, and common factors of two numbers.	identify common factors, common multiples and prime numbers
			know and use the vocabulary of prime numbers, prime factors and composite (non-prime) numbers	
			establish whether a number up to 100 is prime and recall prime numbers up to 19	
				use common factors to simplify fractions; use common multiples to express fractions in the same denomination
			recognise and use square numbers and cube numbers, and the notation for squared (2) and cubed (3)	calculate, estimate and compare volume of cubes and cuboids using standard units, including centimetre cubed (cm3) and cubic metres (m3), and extending to other units such as mm3 and km3
				use their knowledge of the order of operations to carry out calculations involving the four operations
	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 estimation to check answers to calculations and determine, in the context of a

					problem, levels of accuracy
solve one-step problems involving multiplication and division, by calculating the answer using concrete objects, pictorial representations and arrays with the support of the teacher	solve problems involving multiplication and division, using materials, arrays, repeated addition, mental methods, and multiplication and division facts, including problems in contexts	solve problems, including missing number problems, involving multiplication and division, including positive integer scaling problems and correspondence problems in which n objects are connected to m objects	solve problems involving multiplying and adding, including using the distributive law to multiply two digit numbers by one digit, integer scaling problems and harder correspondence problems such as n objects are connected to m objects	solve problems involving multiplication and division including using their knowledge of factors and multiples, squares and cubes	solve problems involving addition, subtraction, multiplication and division
				solve problems involving addition, subtraction, multiplication and division and a combination of these, including understanding the meaning of the equals sign	
				solve problems involving multiplication and division, including scaling by simple fractions and problems involving simple rates	solve problems involving similar shapes where the scale factor is known or can be found

Fractions, decimals and percentages							
Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6		
	Pupils should count in fractions up to 10, starting from any number and using the 1/2 and 2/4 equivalence on the number line	count up and down in tenths	count up and down in hundredths				
as one of two equal parts of an object, shape or quantity		fractions of a discrete set of	recognise that hundredths arise when dividing an object by one hundred and dividing tenths by ten	recognise and use thousandths and relate them to tenths, hundredths and decimal equivalents			
		recognise that tenths arise from dividing an object into 10					

		equal parts and in dividing one			
		 digit numbers or quantities by 10. 			
recognise, find and name a quarter as one of four equal parts of an object, shape or quantity		recognise and use fractions as numbers: unit fractions and non-unit fractions with small denominators			
		compare and order unit fractions, and fractions with the same denominators		compare and order fractions whose denominators are all multiples of the same number	compare and orderfractions, including fractions >1
			compare numbers with the same number of decimal places up to two decimal places	read, write, order and compare numbers with up to three decimal places	identify the value of each digit in numbers given to three decimal places
			round decimals with one decimal place to the nearest whole number	round decimals with two decimal places to the nearest whole number and to one decimal place	solve problems which require answers to be rounded to specified degrees of accuracy
	write simple fractions e.g. 1/2 of 6 = 3 and recognise the equivalence of 2/4 and 1/2.	recognise and show, using diagrams, equivalent fractions with small denominators	recognise and show, using diagrams, families of common equivalent fractions	identify, name and write equivalent fractions of a given fraction, represented visually, including tenths and hundredths	use common factors to simplify fractions; use common multiples to express fractions in the same denomination
			recognise and write decimal equivalents of any number of tenths or hundredths	= 71/100)	associate a fraction with division and calculate decimal fraction equivalents (e.g. 0.375) for a simple fraction (e.g. 3/8)
				recognise and use thousandths and relate them to tenths, hundredths and decimal equivalents	
			recognise and write decimal equivalents to 1/4; 1/2; 3/4	recognise the per cent symbol (%) and understand that per cent relates to "number of parts per hundred", and write percentages as a fraction with denominator 100 as a decimal	recall and use equivalences between simple fractions, decimals and percentages, including in different contexts.

		fraction	
add and subtract fractions with the same denominator within one whole (e.g. $5/7 + 1/7 = 6/7$)	the same denominator	add and subtract fractions with the same denominator and multiples of the same number	add and subtract fractions with different denominators and mixed numbers, using the concept of equivalent fractions
		recognise mixed numbers and improper fractions and convert from one form to the other and write mathematical statements > 1 as a mixed number (e.g. 2/5 + 4/5 = 6/5 = 11/5)	
		multiply proper fractions and mixed numbers by whole numbers, supported by materials and diagrams	multiply simple pairs of proper fractions, writing the answer in its simplest form (e.g. 1/4 × 1/2 = 1/8)
			multiply one-digit numbers with up to two decimal places by whole numbers
			divide proper fractions by whole numbers (e.g. 1/3 ÷ 2 = 1/6)
			multiply one-digit numbers with up to two decimal places by whole numbers
	find the effect of dividing a one- or two-digit number by 10 and 100, identifying the value of the digits in the answer as ones, tenths and hundredths		multiply and divide numbers by 10, 100 and 1000 where the answers are up to three decimal places
			identify the value of each digit to three decimal places and multiply and divide numbers by 10, 100 and 1000 where the answers are up to three decimal places
			associate a fraction with division and calculate decimal

				fraction equivalents (e.g. 0.375) for a simple fraction (e.g. 3/8)
				use written division methods in cases where the answer has up to two decimal places
	solve problems that involve all of the above		solve problems involving numbers up to three decimal places	
		money problems involving	solve problems which require knowing percentage and decimal equivalents of 1/2, 1/4, 1/5, 2/5, 4/5 and those with a denominator of a multiple of 10 or 25.	

Ratio and proportion						
Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
					solve problems involving the relative sizes of two quantities where missing values can be found by using integer multiplication and division facts	
					solve problems involving the calculation of percentages [for example, of measures, and such as 15% of 360] and the use of percentages for comparison	
					solve problems involving similar shapes where the scale factor is known or can be found	

	solve problems involving unequal sharing and grouping using knowledge of fractions and multiples.
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Algebra						
Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
involve addition and relationship between add subtraction, using concrete and subtraction and use	-	solve problems, including missing number problems, using number facts, place value, and more complex addition and subtraction.		use the properties of rectangles to deduce related facts and find missing lengths and angles	express missing number problems algebraically	
		solve problems, including missing number problems, involving multiplication and division, including integer scaling				
	recall and use addition and subtraction facts to 20 fluently, and derive and use related facts up to 100				find pairs of numbers that satisfy number sentences involving two unknowns	
represent and use number bonds and related subtraction facts within 20					enumerate all possibilities of combinations of two variables	
			Perimeter can be expressed algebraically as 2(a + b) where a and b are the dimensions in the same unit.		use simple formulae	
					recognise when it is possible to use formulae for area and volume of shapes	
sequence events in chronological order using language such as: before and	compare and sequence intervals of time				generate and describe linear number sequences	

after, next, first, today, yesterday, tomorrow, morning, afternoon and evening			
	order and arrange combinations of mathematical objects in patterns		

Measurement						
Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
compare, describe and solve practical problems for: lengths and heights [e.g. long/short, longer/shorter, tall/short, double/half] mass/weight [e.g. heavy/light, heavier than, lighter than] capacity and volume [e.g. full/empty, more than, less than, half, half full, quarter] time [e.g. quicker, slower, earlier, later]	compare and order lengths, mass, volume/capacity and record the results using >, < and =		estimate, compare and calculate different measures, including money in pounds and pence	including using standard units, square	calculate, estimate and compare volume of cubes and cuboids using standard units, including centimetre cubed (cm3) and cubic metres (m3), and extending to other units such as mm3 and km3.	
				estimate volume (e.g. using 1 cm3 blocks to build cubes and cuboids) and capacity (e.g. using water)		
sequence events in chronological order using language [e.g. before and after, next, first, today, yesterday, tomorrow, morning, afternoon and evening]	compare and sequence intervals of time	compare durations of events, for example to calculate the time taken by particular events or tasks				
		estimate and read time with increasing accuracy to the nearest minute; record and compare time in terms of seconds, minutes, hours and o'clock; use vocabulary such				

		as a.m./p.m., morning, afternoon, noon and midnight			
measure and begin to record the following: lengths and heights mass/weight capacity and volume time (hours, minutes, seconds)	choose and use appropriate standard units to estimate and measure length/height in any direction (m/cm); mass (kg/g); temperature (°C); capacity (litres/ml) to the nearest appropriate unit, using rulers, scales, thermometers and measuring vessels	measure, compare, add and subtract: lengths (m/cm/mm); mass (kg/g); volume/capacity (l/ml)	estimate, compare and calculate different measures, including money in pounds and pence	problems involving measure (e.g. length, mass, volume, money) using decimal notation including scaling.	solve problems involving the calculation and conversion of units of measure, using decimal notation up to three decimal places where appropriate
		measure the perimeter of simple 2-D shapes	measure and calculate the perimeter of a rectilinear figure (including squares) in centimetres and metres	measure and calculate the perimeter of composite rectilinear shapes in centimetres and metres	recognise that shapes with the same areas can have different perimeters and vice versa
recognise and know the value of different denominations of coins and notes	recognise and use symbols for pounds (£) and pence (p); combine amounts to make a particular value	add and subtract amounts of money to give change, using both £ and p in practical contexts			
	find different combinations of coins that equal the same amounts of money				
	solve simple problems in a practical context involving addition and subtraction of money of the same unit, including giving change				
			find the area of rectilinear shapes by counting squares	calculate and compare the area of squares and rectangles including using standard units, square centimetres (cm2) and square metres (m2) and estimate the area of irregular shapes	calculate the area of parallelograms and triangles
				recognise and use square numbers and cube numbers, and the notation for squared (2) and cubed (3)	calculate, estimate and compare volume of cubes and cuboids using standard units, including cubic centimetres

					(cm3) and cubic metres (m3), and extending to other units [e.g. mm3 and km3].
					recognise when it is possible to use formulae for area and volume of shapes
tell the time to the hour and half past the hour and draw the hands on a clock face to show these times.	tell and write the time to five minutes, including quarter past/to the hour and draw the hands on a clock face to show these times.	tell and write the time from an analogue clock, including using Roman numerals from I to XII, and 12-hour and 24-hour clocks	read, write and convert time between analogue and digital 12 and 24-hour clocks		
recognise and use language relating to dates, including days of the week, weeks, months and years	know the number of minutes in an hour and the number of hours in a day. (appears also in Converting)	estimate and read time with increasing accuracy to the nearest minute; record and compare time in terms of seconds, minutes, hours and o'clock; use vocabulary such as a.m./p.m., morning, afternoon, noon and midnight			
			solve problems involving converting from hours to minutes; minutes to seconds; years to months; weeks to days	solve problems involving converting between units of time	
	know the number of minutes in an hour and the number of hours in a day.	know the number of seconds in a minute and the number of days in each month, year and leap year	convert between different units of measure (e.g. kilometre to metre; hour to minute)	convert between different units of metric measure (e.g. kilometre and metre; centimetre and metre; centimetre and millimetre; gram and kilogram; litre and millilitre)	use, read, write and convert between standard units, converting measurements of length, mass, volume and time from a smaller unit of measure to a larger unit, and vice versa, using decimal notation to up to three decimal places
			read, write and convert time between analogue and digital 12 and 24-hour clocks	solve problems involving converting between units of time	solve problems involving the calculation and conversion of units of measure, using decimal notation up to three decimal places where appropriate

	solve problems involving converting from hours to minutes; minutes to seconds; years to months; weeks to		convert between miles and kilometres
	days	and pints	

Geometry	Geometry						
Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6		
recognise and name common 2-D and 3-D shapes, including: 2-D shapes [e.g. rectangles (including squares), circles and triangles] 3-D shapes [e.g. cuboids (including cubes), pyramids and spheres].	identify and describe the properties of 2-D shapes, including the number of sides and line symmetry in a vertical line		identify lines of symmetry in 2-D shapes presented in different orientations	identify 3-D shapes, including cubes and other cuboids, from 2-D representations	recognise, describe and build simple 3-D shapes, including making nets		
	identify and describe the properties of 3-D shapes, including the number of edges, vertices and faces				illustrate and name parts of circles, including radius, diameter and circumference and know that the diameter is twice the radius		
	identify 2-D shapes on the surface of 3-D shapes, [for example, a circle on a cylinder and a triangle on a pyramid]						
		draw 2-D shapes and make 3-D shapes using modelling materials; recognise 3-D shapes in different orientations and describe them	complete a simple symmetric figure with respect to a specific line of symmetry	draw given angles, and measure them in degrees (o)	draw 2-D shapes using given dimensions and angles		
					recognise, describe and build simple 3-D shapes, including making nets		
	compare and sort common 2-D and 3-D shapes and everyday objects		compare and classify geometric shapes, including quadrilaterals and triangles,	use the properties of rectangles to deduce related facts and find missing lengths	compare and classify geometric shapes based on their properties and sizes and		

			based on their properties and sizes		find unknown angles in any triangles, quadrilaterals, and regular polygons
				distinguish between regular and irregular polygons based on reasoning about equal sides and angles	
		recognise angles as a property of shape or a description of a turn		know angles are measured in degrees: estimate and compare acute, obtuse and reflex angles	
		Identify right angles, recognise that two right angles make a half-turn, three make three quarters of a turn and four a complete turn; identify whether angles are greater than or less than a right angle	identify acute and obtuse angles and compare and order angles up to two right angles by size	whole turn (total 360o) angles at a point on a straight	recognise angles where they meet at a point, are on a straight line, or are vertically opposite, and find missing angles
		identify horizontal and vertical lines and pairs of perpendicular and parallel lines			
describe position, direction and movement, including half, quarter and three-quarter turns.	to describe position, direction		describe positions on a 2-D grid as coordinates in the first quadrant	the position of a shape	describe positions on the full coordinate grid (all four quadrants)
			describe movements between positions as translations of a given unit to the left/right and up/down		draw and translate simple shapes on the coordinate plane, and reflect them in the axes.
			plot specified points and draw sides to complete a given polygon		

order and arrange combinations of mathematical objects in patterns and sequences				
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Statistics					
Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	Interpret and construct simple pictograms, tally charts, block diagrams and simple tables	interpret and present data using bar charts, pictograms and tables	interpret and present discrete and continuous data using appropriate graphical methods, including bar charts and time graphs	complete, read and interpret information in tables, including timetables	interpret and construct pie charts and line graphs and use these to solve problems
ask and answer simple questions by counting the number of objects in each category and sorting the categories by quantity					
	ask and answer questions about totalling and comparing categorical data				
		solve one-step and two-step questions [e.g. 'How many more?' and 'How many fewer?'] using information presented in scaled bar charts and pictograms and tables.	solve comparison, sum and difference problems using information presented in bar charts, pictograms, tables and other graphs.	solve comparison, sum and difference problems using information presented in a line graph	calculate and interpret the mean as an average