Mathematics Curriculum Overview.

Introduction

Developed by early cultures, mathematics is one of the oldest forms of human knowledge. It is a cultural tool that can be used to measure, quantify, calculate, compute and express complex relationships and it is the basis of many sciences and most technology. Though terminology and some procedures vary culturally, the underlying principles in mathematics are universal. It is a way of thinking about the world that is innate in its elemental forms (e.g. unity, duality, parts of wholes and simple numbers) but as a cultural technique is only learned by most people through instruction. The link between the abstract symbols that are learned and the processes they represent require focused mental activity and reasoning, and because of its abstract nature, maths has to be carefully taught so that all children can grasp mathematical concepts and master mathematical processes.

Steiner Waldorf education always proceeds carefully, from the whole to the parts and from the tangible to the abstract so that all learners can follow the transitions. Mathematics is first experienced in concrete, practical ways through real-world activities. Then the relationships between quantities and their abstract numerical values and relationships (e.g. number bonds, time tables) are explored. Though maths is a way of thinking in itself, in the Waldorf curriculum it is always applied and practiced in relation to real questions of calculation in a wide range of fields from technology and crafts, dealing with money and economics as well as engineering and architecture. Maths is also a process that schools the imagination and flexibility of thinking through creative problem solving, but simultaneously exercises the will in seeing processes through their logical and necessary sequences.

Purpose of Study

Mathematics is a way of understanding the world. It is a creative and discipline with many applications, that has been developed over many centuries through exchange across many different cultures. It is essential to everyday life, critical to science, technology and engineering, and necessary for financial literacy and most forms of employment. A high-quality mathematics education therefore provides a foundation for understanding the world, the ability to reason mathematically, an appreciation of the beauty and power of mathematics, and a sense of enjoyment and curiosity about the subject.

The aim of Mathematics teaching is to ensure that all pupils:

- are skilled in the fundamentals of mathematics, applying their knowledge purposefully in a range of developmentally appropriate tasks
- develop conceptual understanding progressing from the concrete to the abstract, the simple to the complex, the whole to the parts and back again
- use their mathematical skills to solve increasingly complex problems over time through frequent and varied practice, and using a range of appropriate strategies
- reason mathematically by following a line of enquiry, discovering relationships and framing generalisations, developing an argument, justifying and proving using mathematical language.

Long Term Intent

Language and communication

- Using a wide mathematical vocabulary effectively, accurately and precisely
- Fluency in reading, writing and understanding mathematical symbols and formulae
- Representing and interpreting data in different forms and formats
- Representing, explaining and illustrating mathematical thinking and processes

Health and well-being

• Enjoyment of problem creation and solution

Senses

• Seeing the same thing in different ways, seeing from different perspectives

Imagination and play

- Having internal and mental models of numbers, shape, space and measure that support mathematical thinking
- Translating between abstract mathematical mental models and real life experiences or examples **Empathy**
- Understanding the thinking, methods and routes to solutions of other people

Aesthetics

- Finding and appreciating elegant solutions to mathematical problems
- Appreciation of beauty in mathematical forms in the abstract, in nature and in man-made forms **Inquiry**
- Explore patterns and not-patterns
- Explore mathematical ideas and experiment with different ways of finding solutions
- Being able to break down problems into small steps, and extract key information (decomposition and abstraction)
- Explore and experiment with shape, space and construction

Democratic participation and society

- Understanding the power of data and statistics in shaping and influencing political views
- Understanding how data and statistics can be used to manipulate people's political thinking Lifelong learning

Lifelong learning

- Application of knowledge and skills in personal and professional life, e.g. mortages, economics, personal/business accounts etc
- An understanding of mathematics and binary code as the basis of computer coding and programming
- Understanding the mathematical processes that calculators and computers are applied to

Future thinking

• Use mathematical thinking and interpretation of data to better understand risks to people and the world, and to imagine mitigations and solutions to these issues

Holistic thinking / Spirituality

- Appreciating the role of maths in spiritual experience, e.g. sacred geometry
- Using maths as a powerful language which can create connections with others across time and space **Judgement**
- Forming judgements based on own understanding of data and statistics
- Evaluating routes to a solution, premise or theory

Maths Age-related Learning Opportunities for KG Relevant Learning Descriptors	
 Children should have the opportunity: Children count reliably with numbers from one to 20, place them in order and say which 	Pre-Number Children can count numbers to 20, forwards and backwards. Recognise the numbers that represent
to 20, place them in order and say which	these. Count using one to one correspondence.

describe simple geometric shapes, they will draw them freehand if the game requires and find examples of them in their natural environment. They can continue repeating pattern when sewing and creating jewellery. Children are able to demonstrate their understanding of simple positional language, such as over, under, while playing games and during ring time. They can talk about quantities in terms of more, less and the same. Children indicate past, present or future using simple, everyday language, such as before, now and after. Solve problems in different contexts and investigate to answer a question; How can I arrange these bricks in different ways? What if?

Maths Age-related Learning Opportunities for C1	Relevant Learning Descriptors	
Children should have the opportunity:	Beginning Number	
 Number - number and place value count to and across 100, forwards and backwards, beginning with 0 or 1, or from any given number count, read and write numbers to 100 in numerals, count in multiples of twos, fives and tens (during rhythmic time in main lesson) given a number, identify one more and one less identify and represent numbers using objects and pictorial representations including the number line, and use the language of: equal to, more than, less than (fewer), most, least read and write numbers from 1 to 20 in 	Children can identify, reproduce and invent simple concrete patterns. They can differentiate between odd and event numbers. Children read, write and have an understanding of numbers to 20, counting accurately with correspondence and understanding cardinality. They count forwards and backwards to 100, order numbers and skip count in increments with regular patterns, knowing the most regular times-tables (e.g. 2s, 5s, 10s). Children can compare the magnitudes of different numbers, subitising smaller numbers, and having some fluency in composition, addition and subtraction of numbers to 20. They can exchange and unitise numbers to	
numerals and words	20. Children group and share numbers, and	

 recognise odd and even numbers using practical equipment, (Pebble maths is an excellent resource for this) 	partition shapes into simple fractions. Children solve word problems involving a single step using all four operations. Beginning Shape Space and Measure
Number - addition and subtraction	
 read, write and interpret mathematical statements involving addition (+), subtraction (-) and equals (=) signs represent and use number bonds and related subtraction facts within 20 add and subtract one-digit and two-digit numbers to 20, including zero solve one-step problems that involve addition and subtraction, using concrete objects and pictorial representations, and missing number problems such as 7 = □ - 9. (practically through story) Introducing the four rules using numbers up to 20 and in written form (in notation, written whole to part: 7 is 3 + 4) solve problems with addition and subtraction: solve number problems and practical problems involving these ideas. (through number stories) using concrete objects and pictorial representations, including those involving numbers, applying their increasing knowledge of mental and written methods, calculations will come through story. Number - multiplication and division Learn the 2-, 5- and 10-times table by heart and through rhythmical practice solve one-step problems involving multiplication and division, calculating the answer by using concrete objects, pictorial representations, and arrays with the support of 	Children can name simple geometric shapes, draw them freehand and find examples of them in the environment. They can reproduce shapes and forms, continuing and extending patterns. Children are able to demonstrate their understanding of simple positional and directional language and symmetry in their work. They accurately compare lengths, heights, weights and capacities in practical activities. Children can recognise some coins, and count pence using a single, small denomination (e.g. 5 x 5p coins = 25p). Children indicate past, present or future using simple, everyday language (e.g. yesterday, next week) and use the appropriate tense.
the teacher and stories. Measurement	
 sequence events in chronological order using 	
language (e.g. before and after, next, first, today, yesterday, tomorrow, morning, afternoon and evening).	
Geometry - properties of shapes (form drawing)	
 recognise and name common 2-D shapes, 	
 including: 2-D shapes [for example, rectangles (including squares), circles and triangles] draw this free hand. 	
Geometry - position and direction	
 describe position, direction and movement, including whole, half, quarter and three-quarter turns 	

Maths Age-related Learning Opportunities for C2	Relevant Learning Descriptors	
Children should have the opportunity:	Early Number	
Number - number and place value	Children can identify, describe, extend and invent	
 read and write numbers from 1 to 20 in numerals and words. identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations, including the number line Understand the difference between odd and even numbers using practical equipment. use place value and number facts to solve problems. recognise the place value of each digit in a three-digit number (hundreds, tens, ones). Number - addition and subtraction recall and use addition and subtraction facts to 20 fluently, and derive and use related facts up to 100 add and subtract numbers using concrete objects, pictorial representations, and mentally, including: a two-digit number and ones; a two- 	patterns using concrete resources and numbers and can demonstrate their understanding of the difference between odd and even numbers. They count beyond 1000 in 1s, 10s, 100s and 1000s, reading and writing Arabic numerals to 100 and identifying the value of a numeral depending on its place, including understanding this value in terms of tens and ones. Children have fluency with number bonds to 20 and can recite several of the more regular times-tables (e.g. 2s, 3s, 5s, 10s). They can calculate missing digits in simple equations with numbers to 100, working across 10s boundaries and using all four operations. Children can group and share objects and quantities, representing their thinking with concrete resources, pictures and numerals. They can extract the essential mathematical information from simple word and picture problems, solving the problem, explaining	
 digit number and tens; two two-digit numbers; adding three one-digit numbers recognise and use the inverse relationship between addition and subtraction and use this to check calculations and missing number 	the calculation in their own words and recording their thinking numerically. They can do simple calculations with money, including calculating change. Early Shape, Space and Measure	
 problems. add and subtract numbers mentally, including: a three-digit number and ones a three-digit number and tens a three-digit number and hundreds show that addition of two numbers can be done in any order (commutative, this word would not be introduced at this stage) and subtraction of one number from another cannot, add and subtract numbers with up to three digits, using vertical method. estimate the answer to a calculation and use inverse operations to check answers 	Children can draw reflections of forms made of straight lines and/or curves in both the horizontal and vertical axes, and can transform forms made of straight lines into those made of curves, and vice versa. Given the beginning of a pattern or sequence of shapes, they can extend this accurately. Children can describe aspects of their work using positional and directional language. During practical and craft activities, they measure lengths, heights, weights and capacities in useful and relatively accurate ways, using informal and/or non-standard measures. Children can recognise all coins and notes, can exchange equivalent amounts in different denominations, can count out a total amount using a mixture of denominations. They can	

• solve problems, including missing number	compare durations of time using appropriate
problems, using number facts, place value, and more complex addition and subtraction.	everyday language, e.g. minutes vs hours vs days, and can recognise the hours, half past and quarter
more complex addition and subtraction.	past.
Number - multiplication and division	
• count from 0 in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100;	
find 10 or 100 more or less than a given	
number.	
 calculate mathematical statements for 	
multiplication and division within the	
multiplication tables and write them using the	
multiplication (×), division (÷) and equals (=)	
signs	
 show that multiplication of two numbers can be 	
done in any order (commutative) and division of	
one number by another cannot	
 solve problems involving multiplication and 	
division, using materials, arrays, repeated	
addition, mental methods, and multiplication	
and division facts, including problems in	
contexts.	
 recall and use multiplication and division facts 	
for the 2, 3, 4, 6, 5, 8 and 10 multiplication	
tables	
 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	
 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.	
Measurement	
• recognise and use language relating to dates,	
including days of the week, weeks, months, and	
years	
Geometry - properties of shapes (form drawing)	
 Metamorphose straight to curved forms Metamorphose drawn ribbon forms 	
 Metamorphose drawn ribbon forms Commetry position and direction 	
 Geometry - position and direction Draw forms with vertical and horizontal 	
symmetry	
Symmetry	

Maths Age-related Learning Opportunities for C3	8 Relevant Learning Descriptors	
Children should have the opportunity:	Developing Number	
Number - number and place value	Children can predict, continue and create sequential	
compare and order numbers up to 1000 and numerical patterns. They count forwards an		
	backwards from any number in 1s, 10s, 100s and	

•	identify, represent and estimate numbers using	1000s to beyond 10 000, reading, writing and	
	different representations	ordering any numbers and describing the value of	
•	read and write numbers up to 1000 in numerals	any digit in terms of 1s, 10s, 100s and 1000s.	
	and in words	Children can perform mental addition and	
Nu	mber - addition and subtraction	subtraction to 3 digits, using known number facts	
•	add and subtract numbers with up to 4 digits	and their understanding of place value to support	
	using the formal written methods of columnar	their working out. They can recite times-tables and	
	addition and subtraction where appropriate	answer multiplication and division questions to 12 \ensuremath{x}	
•	estimate and use inverse operations to check	12, recognising and recalling square numbers to	
	answers to a calculation	144. Children can use simple written methods to	
Nu	mber - multiplication and division	solve equations for all 4 operations with numbers to	
•	count in multiples of 6, 7, 9, 25 and 1000	100, explaining their reasoning verbally. They can	
•	solve addition and subtraction two-step	represent multiplication in arrays. Children can use	
	problems in contexts, deciding which operations	the language of halves, thirds and quarters	
	and methods to use and why.	accurately in different contexts, including o'clock,	
•	recall multiplication and division facts for	quarter past and half past on an analogue clock,	
I	multiplication tables up to 12×12	grouping and sharing objects and quantities. They	
•	multiply two-digit and three-digit numbers by a	can solve word and picture problems by extracting	
	one-digit number using formal written layout	the essential mathematical information, recording	
Me	asurement	this in the form of an equation, and then solving it,	
•	convert between different units of metric	explaining the calculation in their own words.	
	measure (e.g. km and m; cm and m; cm and	Developing Shape, Space and Measure	
	mm; g and kg; l and ml)	Children can extend complex forms with	
•	understand and use equivalences between	overlapping, coiling and/or intertwined elements,	
	metric and common imperial units such as	identifying and naming common geometric shapes.	
	inches, pounds and pints	They can draw symmetrical reflections of forms on	
•	recognise and use language relating to dates,	the horizontal, vertical and/or diagonal axes, and	
•	including days of the week, weeks, months and	use simple positional, directional and geometrical	
	years	language to describe their work. Children can use	
•	know the number of seconds in a minute and	appropriate tools to measure lengths, heights,	
•	the number of days in each month, year and	weights and capacities of differing scales, using a	
	leap year	range of non-standard and standard measures,	
•	compare durations of events [for example, to	understanding the history and conventions of the	
•	calculate the time taken by particular events or	metric measuring system in the UK. They can use	
	tasks]	their mathematical knowledge and understanding	
•	tell the time to the hour and half past the hour	to solve problems of measurement with all four	
•	and draw the hands on a clock face to show	operations. Children can use coins and notes to	
	these times	make totals and give change. They can tell the time	
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•	tell and write the time to five minutes, including	to 5 minutes on an analogue clock.	
	quarter past/to the hour and draw the hands on	Developing Data Handling	
	a clock face to show these times	Children can add data in numbers, words and	
•	tell and write the time from an analogue clock,	pictures to tables and charts.	
	including using Roman numerals from I to XII,		
	and 12-hour and 24-hour clocks		
•	solve word problems using lengths (m/cm/mm);		
	mass (kg/g); volume/capacity (l/ml)		
•	solve word problems using amounts of money		
	to give change, using both £ and p in practical		
ĺ	contexts, including different combinations of		
	coins that equal the same amounts of money.		
Ge	ometry - properties of shapes (form drawing)		

Draw increasingly accurate freehand geometric forms such as circle, square, rectangle as preparation for building layout cometry - position and direction Draw mirrored forms on diagonal axis Draw forms with four-fold symmetry	ch as circle, square, rectangle as on for building layout position and direction rored forms on diagonal axis
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Maths Age-related Learning Opportunities for C4	Relevant Learning Descriptors	
Children should have the opportunity:	Progressing Number	
Number - number and place value	Children can identify and extend number patterns	
• find 1000 more or less than a given number	which use one of the four operations. They count	
 count backwards through zero to introduce 	forwards and backwards from any number in 1s,	
negative numbers	10s, 100s and 1000s to beyond 100 000, reading,	
• recognise the place value of each digit in a four-	writing and ordering any numbers and describing	
digit number (thousands, hundreds, tens, and	the value of any digit in terms of 1s, 10s, 100s and	
ones)	1000s. Children know number bonds of 100, and	
 order and compare numbers beyond 1000 	can fluently count in and add and subtract 100s and	
• identify, represent and estimate numbers using	50s. They know their multiplication tables and	
different representations	corresponding division facts to 12 x 12 both in and	
 round any number to the nearest 10, 100 or 	out of sequence, can find the factors of a given	
1000	number, and identify common multipliers and	
Number - addition and subtraction	factors for numbers. Children can use formal	
 add and subtract whole numbers with more 	written methods to carry out calculations for all	
than 4 digits, including using formal written	four operations with larger numbers. Children can	
methods (columnar addition and subtraction)	read, write, order and manipulate simple fractions,	
 add and subtract numbers mentally with 	adding and subtracting where the denominator is	
increasingly large numbers	the same. They can identify equivalent fractions,	
Number - multiplication and division	simplify fractions and convert simple improper	
 multiply two-digit and three-digit numbers by a 	fractions to mixed numbers. Children can solve	
one-digit number using formal written layout		
 divide numbers up to 4 digits by a one-digit 	the essential mathematical information, and the	
number using the formal written method of steps needed, and explaining the calculation in		
short division and interpret remainders	own words.	
appropriately for the context	Progressing Shape, Space and Measure	
• use rounding to check answers to calculations	Children can draw complex forms involving	
and determine, in the context of a problem,	intertwining and plaiting. They draw regular shapes	
levels of accuracy	freehand, and can divide them into a given number	
 solve addition and subtraction multi-step 	of equal parts with relative accuracy. Children can	
problems in contexts, deciding which operations		
and methods to use and why, including weights	weight and capacity with relative accuracy, and	
and measures. record their measurements appropriately. The		
 identify multiples and factors, including finding 	read and write the time using minutes past and	
all factor pairs of a number, and common	minutes to and an analogue clock, and can record	
factors of two numbers	amounts of money using appropriate symbols,	
 establish whether a number up to 100 is prime and recall prime numbers up to 19 	including a decimal point. Children can solve	
and recall prime numbers up to 19know and use the vocabulary of prime numbers,	mathematical problems using units of measurement	
 know and use the vocabulary of prime numbers, prime factors and composite (non-prime) 	with all four operations. Progressing Data Handling	
numbers	Children can record data with relative accuracy in a	
	table, bar chart and pie chart.	
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•	solve number and practical problems that involve all of the above and with increasingly	
Nu	large positive numbers mber – fractions	
•	recognise, find, name and write fractions $\frac{1}{3}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{2}{4}$	
	and $\frac{3}{4}$ of a length, shape, set of objects or	
	quantity	
•	write simple fractions e.g. $\frac{1}{2}$ of 6 = 3 and	
	recognise the equivalence of $\frac{2}{4}$ and $\frac{1}{2}$.	
•	count up and down in tenths; 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 write fractions of a discrete	
	set of objects: unit fractions and non-unit	
	fractions with small denominators	
•	recognise and use fractions as numbers: unit	
	fractions and non-unit fractions with small	
•	denominators recognise and show, using diagrams, equivalent	
•	fractions with small denominators	
•	add and subtract fractions with the same	
	denominator within one whole [e.g. $5/7 + 1/7 = 6/7$]	
•	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. $^{2}/_{5} + ^{4}/_{5} = ^{6}/_{5} = 1^{1}/_{5}$)	
•	add and subtract fractions with the same	
-	denominator and denominators that are	
	multiples of the same number	
•	multiply proper fractions and mixed numbers by	
	whole numbers, supported by materials and	
	diagrams.	
• •	solve problems that involve all of the above. asurement	
•	solve problems involving measurement learnt in	
•	class 3	
Ge	ometry - properties of shapes (form drawing)	
Cel	tic Knots	
•	Produce freehand geometry with reasonable	
_	accuracy	
	ometry - position and direction	
•	use mathematical vocabulary to describe	
	position, direction, and movement, including movement in a straight line and distinguishing	
	between rotation as a turn and in terms of right	
	angles for quarter, half and three-quarter turns	
	(clockwise and anti-clockwise)	

••••••	Competent Number
	Children can find and express the rule governing the
• read, write, order and compare numbers to at	creation of a pattern. They can generate a pattern
least 1 000 000 and determine the value of each	using a rule of their choosing. Children can count
digit	forwards and backwards from any number in
• count forwards or backwards in steps of powers	tenths, hundredths and thousandths, reading,
of 10 for any given number up to 1 000 000	writing and ordering any numbers and describing
• use place value, known and derived facts to	the value of any digit. They know the number bonds
multiply and divide mentally, including	of 1 within tenths and hundredths. Children know
multiplying by 0 and 1; dividing by 1; multiplying	their multiplication tables and corresponding
together three numbers	division facts to 12 x 12 both in and out of
Number - addition and subtraction	sequence, can solve these equations quickly and
• solve addition and subtraction multi-step	confidently, including missing number problems,
	can find all the factors of a given number, and
	identify common multipliers and factors for
	numbers. They can round numbers to the nearest
-	ten, hundred, tenth and hundredth. Children
	confidently, fluently and accurately use formal
	written methods to carry out calculations for all
-	four operations with large numbers, and across the
_	decimal point. They can find a fraction or a decimal
-	of a whole number, translating between decimals
	and fractions. Children can perform all four
-	operations with fractions, mixed numbers and
•	improper fractions. They can apply all of their
	arithmetic skills to multi-step word problems,
	abstracting the key information and breaking the
	problem down into logical, solvable steps, and
	explaining the calculation in their own words.
	Competent Shape, Space and Measure
	Children can use a pair of compasses to draw accurate circles and divide them into a given
	number of parts. They can use perpendicular and
	angle bisection to construct a range of geometrical
	shapes, and also draw these freehand. Children can
	describe geometric shapes using accurate
-	vocabulary, including for different types of triangle
	and angle. They can calculate the perimeter and
	area of a given shape, and draw freehand nets of 3D
	shapes. Children can demonstrate their
	understanding of Pythagoras' theorem in practical
	ways, using manipulatives and/or pictures. Children
	can first estimate, then weigh and measure
	accurately to decimal places, converting between
	units (e.g. cm to m; g to kg). They can read and
	write the time in both analogue and digital formats,
	and using both 12 and 24 hour conventions.
	Children can solve multi-step word problems in

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• solve problems involving increasingly harder	measurement of time, length, weight, capacity and
fractions to calculate quantities, and fractions to	volume using all four operations.
divide quantities, including non-unit fractions	Competent Data Handling
where the answer is a whole number	Children can use simple coordinates to plot points
 add and subtract fractions with the same 	on a grid and extract data from a grid. They can find
denominator.	information from a table or chart and use this
 recognise and write decimal equivalents of any 	information to solve a given problem, for example
number of tenths or hundredths	solving a word problem using a timetable.
 recognise and write decimal equivalents to ¼, ½, ¾ 	
• 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	
 add and subtract fractions with different 	
denominators and mixed numbers, using the	
concept of equivalent fractions	
Measurement	
• read, write and convert time between analogue	
and digital 12- and 24-hour clocks	
• solve problems involving converting from hours	
to minutes; minutes to seconds;	
 measure and calculate the perimeter of a 	
rectilinear figure (including squares) in	
centimetres and metres	
• find the area of rectilinear shapes by counting	
squares	
Geometry - properties of shapes (form drawing)	
Use ruler and compass accurately	
Draw, recognise and name different common	
geometrical shapes	
• Draw polygons using freehand, or approximate	
divisions of the circle	
• measure the perimeter of simple 2-D shapes	

Maths Age-related Learning Opportunities for C6	Relevant Learning Descriptors
Children should have the opportunity:	Secure Number
Number - number and place value	Pupils have a sound understanding of the number
• read, write, order and compare numbers up to	system, including indices/powers and place value.
10 000 000 and determine the value of each	They can order any whole numbers and decimals to
digit	four places as well as common fractions, and
• Rounds any whole number to a required degree	compare decimals, fractions and percentages, using
of accuracy	the appropriate mathematical symbols to denote
• Uses negative numbers in context and calculates	relationships (= ≠ < > ≤ ≥). Pupils can also express
intervals across zero	the relationship of two numbers with ratio notation,
• Count forwards and backwards in steps of	reducing to the simplest form. Pupils can use a
powers of 10 for any number up to 10,000,000	range of strategies to perform both mental and
• Multiply and divide any number by 10,100 and	written calculations with integers, decimals, proper
1000.	and improper fractions and mixed numbers, using
Number - addition and subtraction	all four operations. This is supported by a fluent

•	Solves addition and subtraction multi-step problems in contexts, deciding which operations and methods to use and why perform mental calculations, including with mixed operations and large numbers Uses estimation to check answers to calculations and determines, in the context of a problem, an appropriate degree of accuracy mber - multiplication and division Multiplies multi-digit numbers up to four digits by a two-digit whole number using the formal written method of long multiplication Divides numbers up to four digits by a two-digit number using the formal written method of short division where appropriate, interpreting remainders according to the context. identify common factors, common multiples, and prime numbers mber – fractions (including decimals) use common factors to simplify fractions; use common multiples to express fractions in the same denomination compare and order fractions, including fractions > 1 add and subtract fractions with different denominators and mixed numbers, using the concept of equivalent fractions multiply simple pairs of proper fractions, writing the answer in its simplest form divide proper fractions by whole numbers Uses written division methods in cases where the answer has up to two decimal places Solves problems which require answers to be rounded to specified degrees of accuracy Recalls and uses equivalences between simple fractions, decimals, and percentages, including in different contexts multiply one-digit numbers with up to two decimal places by whole numbers	knowledge of number facts and times tables. Pupils can apply all of their arithmetic skills to multi-step word problems, including those involving time, length, weight, capacity and volume, abstracting the key information and breaking the problem down into logical, solvable steps, and explaining the calculation in their own words. Pupils can use their arithmetic knowledge and understanding in relation to simple business maths, calculating simple and compound interest, applying formulae such as VAT, price rises/decreases and discounts, and calculating profit and loss. Secure Shape, Space and Measure Pupils can construct shapes and forms with clean lines, using precise measurements and accurate angles. They can describe angles using appropriate terminology (obtuse, acute, reflex, right-angle, perpendicular, parallel, similar, complementary, supplementary etc). Pupils can use their understanding of formulae such as the sum of the angles of a triangle or the principal cases for the congruency of triangles to solve problems such as finding a missing angle and prove their answer. They can plot points and shapes onto coordinate axes, accurately rotating, translating and reflecting triangles and quadrilaterals. Pupils can find the perimeter and area of more complex shapes, and the volume of cuboids. Secure Data Handling Pupils can ask questions to generate data, and record answers in tables or charts. They can represent and display data using block graphs, line graphs or pictograms. Pupils can read, interpret and draw line graphs, extracting information to solve problems or draw conclusions. They can find the three types of average and the range of a set of integers. Pupils can identify and talk about relationships and patterns within sets of data, using tables, graphs and/or diagrams.
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•	Solves problems which require answers to be	graphs or pictograms. Pupils can read, interpret and
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•	use written division methods in cases where the	
	answer has up to two decimal places	
	easurement	
•	Measurement Uses, reads, writes, and converts 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	
Ge	ometry	
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 Compares and classifies geometric shapes based on their properties and sizes and finds unknown

	ngles in any triangles, quadrilaterals and
	egular polygons
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	ecognise angles where they meet at a point,
	re on a straight line, or are vertically opposite,
	nd find missing angles.
	ecognise when it is possible to use formulae for
	rea and volume of shapes
	alculate the area of parallelograms and
	riangles
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	verage interpret and construct pie charts and
	ne graphs and use these to solve problems.
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	- Solve a simple algebraic formula.
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	uch as 15 per cent of 360, and the use of
	ercentages for comparison
	olves problems involving unequal sharing and
-	rouping using knowledge of fractions and
n	nultiples

Maths Age-related Learning Opportunities for C7	Relevant Learning Descriptors
 Children should have the opportunity: Number - number and place value Order, sort and interpret any number (including decimals and negatives). Use and apply BIDMAS to the number system, 	Proficient Number Pupils have a sound understanding of the number system, including place value. They can order any whole numbers, decimals and fractions, convert between decimals, fractions and percentages,
ensuring the calculations are carried out in order. Number - addition and subtraction	express the relationship between two numbers as a ratio, identify prime numbers, calculate the square and estimate the square root of a number. Pupils
• Explore and understand rules for adding and subtracting positive and negative integers.	can use a range of strategies to perform both mental and written calculations with integers,
 Number - multiplication and division Understand and apply the concept of multiples, factors and primes individual, pairs or groups of numbers. For example, finding the Lowest Common Multiples of a pair of numbers. 	decimals, proper and improper fractions and mixed numbers, using all four operations and applying the rules for the correct order of operations. They can round numbers, including recurring decimals, to a given number of decimal places or significant
 Use place value to multiply and divide any number by powers of 10. Multiply and divide negative numbers. Number – fractions (including decimals) 	figures. Pupils can calculate with negative numbers, and can describe numbers using mathematical vocabulary. They can apply all of their arithmetic skills to multi-step word problems, including

•	Round any number to any specified degree of	those involving time, length, weight, capacity and
	accuracy, including decimals and measures.	volume, abstracting the key information and
•	Understand the concept of percentages and use	breaking the problem down into logical, solvable
	this to find percentages of a quantity.	steps, and explaining the calculation in their own
•	Compare the result of two percentage	words.They can apply their knowledge and
	calculations. For example, 15% of 40 and 10% of	understanding of negative numbers to a simple
	50.	balance sheet.
•	Understand the interrelated nature of fractions,	Proficient Algebra
	decimals, and percentages, converting between	Pupils can use and interpret algebraic notation,
	them and ordering with increasing fluency.	simplifying and manipulating algebraic expressions
•	Add, subtract, and multiply fractions fluently.	to maintain equivalence, and solving simple and
•	Use formal methods for addition, subtraction,	linear equations.
	multiplication, and division fluently including	Proficient Shape, Space and Measure
	increasingly complex decimals.	Pupils can calculate the perimeter and area of any
Ge	ometry	shape. They can plot points and shapes onto
•	Use the properties and vocabulary of 3D shapes	coordinate axes, accurately rotating, translating and
1	and their nets to solve problems.	reflecting given figures. Pupils can use Pythagoras'
•	Calculate the area and perimeter of a variety of	theorem to solve problems involving right-angled
	2D and compound shapes, including triangles	triangles, and use known results to obtain simple
	using a formula.	proofs. They understand that a tangent forms a
•	Represent 3D shapes in 2D.	right angle with the radius at the point of
•	Work with shapes on a 4-quadrant grid to	intersection. Pupils can use the principles of
	translate, reflect and rotate in any direction or	perspective drawing to realistically depict three-
	plane.	dimensional objects in a two-dimensional plane.
•	Use a ruler and a protractor to draw accurately.	Proficient Data Handling
•	Recognise, describe, and name all common 2D	Pupils can design useful questions and effective
	shapes and apply angle facts to solve a variety of	collection methods to generate, gather and record
	problems.	both qualitative and quantitative data. They can
Me	asurement	represent and display collected information in a
•	Understand and use place value when using	range of appropriate ways, demonstrating their
	different measures of length, mass, time and	understanding of the conventions of tables, graphs
	volume changing freely between different units	and diagrams, e.g. axis, row and column labels,
	of metric measures.	legends etc. Pupils can read, interpret and draw line
Sta	tistics	graphs, extracting information to solve problems or
•	Create, use and interpret a variety of different	draw conclusions. They can find the mean, median
	tables and graphs to observe and analyse	and mode of a set of numbers. Pupils can identify
	statistical information including; stem and leaf	and talk about relationships and patterns within
	diagrams, vertical line charts and pie charts.	sets of data, using tables, graphs and/or diagrams.
•	Use the mode, median, mean and range fluently	
	to compare, describe and analyse groups of	
	data.	
Alg	jebra	
•	Use and interpret algebraic notation including	
	ab (a x b) 3y (3 x y), substituting numerical	
	values into formula to find the value of an	
	equation.	
•	Combine variables within an equation or	
	expression and simplify by collecting like terms.	
•	Recognise and use the relationships between	
	operations and use inverse to change the	
	subject of a formula	

subject of a formula.

 Use and interpret bracket notation with algebraic equations, multiplying out a single bracket. 	
 Plot a linear function on a graph from an equation and interpret mathematically. Understand linear sequences and finding a formula to solve the next and nth terms. 	

Maths Age-related Learning Opportunities for C8	Relevant Learning Descriptors
Children should have the opportunity:	Mature, Independent Number
Number - number and place value	Pupils have a sound understanding of the number
• Order, sort and interpret any number (including	system, including place value. They can order any
decimals and negatives).	whole numbers, decimals and fractions, convert
• Understand the interrelated nature of fractions,	between decimals, fractions and percentages,
decimals, and percentages, converting between	express the relationship between two numbers as a
them and ordering with increasing fluency.	ratio, identify prime numbers, calculate the square
Number - addition and subtraction	and estimate the square root of a number. Pupils
• Explore and understand rules for calculating	can use a range of strategies to perform both
with negative numbers.	mental and written calculations with integers,
Number - multiplication and division	decimals, negative numbers, proper and improper
• Understand and apply the concept of multiples,	fractions and mixed numbers, using all four
factors and primes individual, pairs, or groups of	operations. They can round any number to a given
numbers.	number of decimal places or significant figures.
 Use and apply BIDMAS to the number system, 	Pupils can use mathematical vocabulary
ensuring the calculations are carried out in	appropriately. They can apply all of their arithmetic
order including using powers and roots.	skills to multi-step word problems, including those
Number – fractions (including decimals)	involving time, length, weight, capacity and volume,
 Round any number to any specified degree of 	abstracting the key information and breaking the
accuracy, including decimals and measures.	problem down into logical, solvable steps, and
• Understand how to round to any given number	explaining the calculation in their own words. Pupils
of significant figures and use approximation to	can complete a simple balance sheet and solve
check and verify answers.	problems involving the calculation of interest on
 Work with percentages below and above 100% 	mortgages.
solving problems that involve percentage	Mature, Independent Algebra
increase, percentage change over time and	Pupils can use and interpret algebraic notation,
reverse percentages. For example 120% = 40	simplifying and manipulating algebraic expressions
what was 100%?	to maintain equivalence, and solving linear
 Add, subtract, and multiply fractions fluently 	equations. Pupils can draw the graph of a linear
including working with mixed and improper	equation. They can calculate the gradient and work
fractions	out the y-intercept of a line from a graph and use
• Divide fractions by multiplying by the reciprocal	these to build the equation of the line.
with proper and improper fractions.	Mature, Independent Shape, Space and Measure
Measurement and Geometry	Pupils can calculate the volume and surface area of
• Derive Pythagoras theorem by modelling it and	a range of shapes, and compare their densities.
use the formula to work out the length of a side	They can construct different types of conic section
in a simple right angled triangle.	and plot the loci of lines and planes. Pupils can use
Know and apply corresponding, alternate and	coordinate axes to enlarge given figures. They can
allied rules for angles and use them to problem	identify and apply circle definitions and properties,
solve.	including centre, radius, diameter, circumference,

tangent, arc, sector and segment, and can construct

• Use a ruler, protractor and compass to draw	orthogonal curves. Pupils can use Pythagoras'
accurately including constructing triangles,	theorem to solve problems, including finding the
perpendicular bisectors and scale drawings.	altitude of a given triangle. They can find the
• Use the properties and vocabulary of 3D shapes	internal and external angles of polygons. Pupils can
and their nets to solve problems.	use the principles of perspective drawing to
• Calculate the area of a parallelogram and	realistically depict three-dimensional objects in a
trapezium using a formula.	two-dimensional plane.
Represent 3D shapes in 2D	Mature, Independent Data Handling
• Use a formula to calculate the volume of a prism	Pupils can find the mean, median, mode and range
(derived from the area of a surface multiplied by	of a set of numbers. They can record, describe and
the length).	analyse the frequency of outcomes of simple
 Work with shapes on a 4 quadrant grid to 	probability experiments, enumerating these using
translate, reflect and rotate in any direction or	tables, grids and/or Venn diagrams. Pupils can
plane.	identify and describe simple mathematical
 Enlarge a shape by a given scale factor and 	relationships between two variables in
identify congruent shapes	observational and experimental contexts,
 Work with and apply circle geometry to find the 	illustrating this using, for example, a scatter graph.
circumference and area of a circle using Pi.	indecidents this doing, for example, a seatter graph.
Statistics	
 Create, use and interpret a variety of different 	
tables and graphs to observe and analyse	
statistical information including stem and leaf	
diagrams, vertical line charts, pie charts and	
scatter graphs; including information that has	
been grouped.	
 Use the mode, median, mean and range fluently 	
to compare, describe and analyse groups of	
data.	
 Use and interpret grouped frequency tables. 	
Algebra	
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 Understand a relationship between two quantities and use this information to solve 	
problems involving direct and inverse	
proportion; including algebraic representations.	
Work with, rearrange and solve increasing complex algebraic equations involving brackets	
complex algebraic equations involving brackets	
and variables and constants and both sides of	
the equals sign.	
Use and interpret bracket notation with	
algebraic equations, multiplying out double	
brackets and factorising a single bracket.	
• Plot a linear function on a graph from an	
equation and interpret mathematically in	
relation to the equation of a straight line y = mx	
+ C.	
Understand linear sequences and finding a	
formula to solve the next and nth terms.	