

Mathematics Calculation Policy

This policy supports the White Rose Maths scheme used throughout the school. Progression within each area of calculation is in line with the 2014 National Curriculum Programme of Study.

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Intent Statement

The Maths curriculum at Raglan Primary School has been designed to be accessible to all and to ensure the maximum development of every child's ability and academic achievement, in line with the national outcomes. We deliver lessons that are creative and engaging, using a range of stimuli such as books, Number Blocks and real-life problems, to hook the children and allow them to make links between their learning and everyday situations. Our curriculum aims to help children develop a love for Maths through growing confidence in their ability and enjoyment of what they are learning. We want children to make connections, develop their fluency, reason mathematically and solve problems with increasing sophistication. We understand that the way pupils speak and write about mathematics transforms their learning, so we plan in carefully sequenced and structured vocabulary to ensure that the children not only know what the answer is, but can confidently articulate their reasoning behind their understanding. Our intention is for our pupils to be able to apply their mathematical knowledge, understanding and skills in other subject areas to maximise their enjoyment and curiosity about the subject.

Implementation

Maths is a core aspect of our curriculum and is taught daily in every year group. We are aware of the importance of the children being fluent in the fundamentals of Mathematics as well as developing their problem solving and reasoning skills. At Raglan, we ensure learning is cumulative and progressive by following 'White Rose- small steps of learning'. This ensures our children are confident and secure in their understanding of each small concept, which enables all children to embed the learning and make progress. Our staff use a carefully adapted 'whole school overview' to ensure there is progression in knowledge and skills throughout the school. Using this, lessons are planned carefully to ensure links between Maths concepts are made when appropriate. Learning is taught through the Concrete, Pictorial and Abstract (CPA) ways of learning and mathematical vocabulary is taught explicitly and the children have regular opportunities to talk about maths and explain their thinking. We have adapted a mastery approach to the way that we deliver our Mathematics curriculum. One way we achieve this is through our split-input approach. During each lesson, children will receive teaching that is pitched and modelled appropriately, which focuses on their level of understanding. Our split-input starter activities support the children to:

- Recap skills that will support them in their new learning in the lesson
- Develop core skills such as number bonds, partitioning, rounding and times tables
- Reinforce and recap 'sticky knowledge' that has been previously taught in other topics of learning
- Independently solve open ended problems/ challenges

During our daily Mathematics lessons, the children will work alongside the teachers and support staff to recap prior knowledge and are taught new learning, while receiving in lesson marking/ verbal feedback

to ensure all children make progress and master each concept. Teachers use 'flexible grouping' to seat the children in order of understanding, to ensure the learning in each lesson is pitched appropriately. This means that extra support can be given to children that struggled the previous day and challenging questions given to children that are excelling. Marking, targeted questioning and children's own selfassessment are used to ensure children are grouped appropriately. Children have a variety of strategies to support them during a lesson. An example of this is when they get stuck, they can use manipulatives to support them, look at the Maths modelling on the working wall, talk to a buddy on their table or re-read the question and use an alternative method. If a pupil has demonstrated that they have not mastered a concept, they will receive additional support to secure their understanding either later that day (same day intervention); during early morning work the next day or whole lessons may need to be re-taught. This ensures staff intervene quickly to tackle any key misconceptions, so that children keep up and don't have to catch- up.

At Raglan, we encourage our children to become confident problems solvers. We offer a range of opportunities to apply their mathematical knowledge, to show their ability to be systematic, logical, to find all possibilities and to find the rules and patterns that support their conjectures. It is also important that the children at Raglan are able to reason mathematically. We provide regular opportunities for the children to apply and explain their mathematical understanding and model this, in turn, so they can demonstrate real rigor and depth of knowledge. Teachers will challenge children who grasp concepts quickly by providing sophisticated problems, rather than accelerating them through new content from other year groups.

Strong roots in Maths start early in our EYFS and Year 1 classrooms. In Reception and Year 1, the children learn through continuous provision. The children have access to a range of visuals and manipulatives to support them in consolidating learning, practising core skills, deepening their understanding through problem solving and reasoning challenges, as well as their love for Maths. The children have regular small, adult-led focus groups, in which adults model and support the children to develop their oral fluency, automaticity and understanding. Children receive immediate, individual feedback to support them to secure their understanding and skills in each small concept of learning. Within Year 1, the children have a daily 'Maths Meeting' to recap learning and go over any misconceptions. The Maths provision area is used to further consolidate learning through adult directed enhancements and questioning as well as using the wider provision to develop and apply their understanding through meaningful experiences. In Reception, the children have one adult-led focus group a week. In the Autumn term of Year 1, the children will begin with two adult-led focus groups a week. During the Spring term this will increase so that in the Summer term of Year 1, the children learn through whole-class split input teaching, ready for the transition to Year 2. Throughout KS2, teachers continue to use the 'split input' and 'fluid grouping' strategies to build on prior learning and introduce new concepts, in-line with the national curriculum. Teachers plan using the school overview and use a range high-quality resources (such as manipulatives) to provide clear and carefully structured progression. Pupils are encouraged to explain their mathematical reasoning, engage in discussions, and solve problems collaboratively and develop a love of mathematical learning that extends beyond the primary setting.

At Raglan, we use Mathletics to support the children's love of Maths at home. Children are set learning on Mathletics to secure and master concepts taught, as well as to keep core skills on the boil. In addition to this, throughout the year we hold 'Maths Breakfasts', where children and their parents have the opportunity to come into school to practise core skills, solve mathematical problems and apply these skills to answer reasoning questions. Throughout the school, children use a range of manipulatives to support their understanding in Maths lessons, such as Numicon, dienes, bead strings, counters, 100 squares and multi-link, as well as different stimuli such as books, Number Blocks and real-life problems to ensure Maths is purposeful and enjoyable.

Impact

As a result of our Maths teaching at Raglan Primary School children are:

• Enriched - they make good progress during their time with us

• **Excited** - they can recognise and use a wide range of different representations of mathematical concepts

- Engaged they are all challenged appropriately
- Experienced they can use a variety of resources to support (and explain) their Maths learning

• **Equipped** - they can articulate their Maths learning and the links between mathematical concepts and how these will be used in their lives beyond the education setting

Maths Mastery

"Pupils are taught through whole-class interactive teaching, where the focus is on all pupils working together on the same lesson content at the same time. This ensures that all can master concepts before moving to the next part of the curriculum sequence, allowing no pupil to be left behind. The structure and connections within mathematics are emphasised, so that pupils develop deep learning that can be sustained. Key facts such as multiplication tables and addition facts within 10 are learnt to automaticity to avoid cognitive overload in the working memory and enable pupils to focus on new concepts." – The Mastery Approach, NCETM 2016

At the centre of the mastery approach is the belief that all children have the potential to succeed. They should have access to the same curriculum content and, rather than being extended with new learning, they should deepen their conceptual understanding by tackling challenging and varied problems (Problem Solving tasks). Scaffolding, pre-teaching, collaborative work, effective exposition and the implementation of other Quality First Teaching strategies should be used to assist learners who may struggle to access the content being taught. With calculation strategies, children must not simply 'rote learn' procedures but demonstrate their understanding of these procedures using concrete materials and pictorial representations.

1. Concrete representation	The pupils are introduced to an idea or skill by acting it out with real objects. This is intended to be a 'hands on' experience and lays the foundation for conceptual understanding.
2. Pictorial representation	Once the pupils have understood the 'hands on' experience, they begin to relate them to representations such as diagrams or pictures of the problem.
3. Abstract representation	The pupils become capable of representing problems using mathematical notation

Manipulatives (objects), pictorial representations, words, numbers and symbols are everywhere. The mastery approach incorporates all of these to help children explore and demonstrate mathematical ideas, enrich their learning experience and deepen understanding. Together, these elements help cement knowledge so pupils truly understand what they've learnt.

Concrete resources that may be found in classrooms will include:



These resources will vary depending on year group and individual needs. At home, pupils very well may not have access to these school resources; however, they are just a vehicle to support a pupil's understanding of a topic. Any objects can be used at home to replace counters, cubes etc.

This policy outlines the different calculation strategies that should be taught, and used from Reception to Year 6 in line with the requirements of the 2014 Primary National Curriculum.

















Addition and subtraction of one-digit and two-digit numbers to 20 including 0.	, 6006066660)	6+3=9 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Start at the larger number on the number line and count on in ones.	5 + 12 = 17 17= 12 + 5
Start at the bigger number and counting on	Start with the larger number on the bead string and then count of to the smaller number 1 by 1 to find the answer.	12 + 5 = 17 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 Start at the larger number on the number line and count on in ones or in one jump to find the answer.	Place the larger number in your head and count on the smaller number to find your answer.
Regrouping to make 10 (The 'Make 10' strategy)	6+5=11	Use pictures or a number line. Regroup or Partition the smaller number using the part part whole model to make 10. $9 + 5 = \boxed{14}_{1} + 4_{1}$	7+4= 11 If I am at seven, how many more do I need to make <u>10.</u> How many more do I add on now?



Year 2

Adding two 2-digit numbers (No re-grouping)	24 + 15= Add together the ones first then add the tens. Use the Base 10 blocks first before moving onto place value counters.	After practically using the base 10 blocks and place value counters, children can draw the counters to help them to solve additions.	Partitioning:
			25 + 47 20 + 40 + 7 20 + 40 = 60
	(Some children may not be ready for place value	+20 +5 Or +20 +3 +2	5+ 7 =12 60 + 12 = 72
	counters in Y2) Numicon may also be used	47 67 72 47 67 70 72	Recording addition in columns supports
		Use number line and bridge ten using part whole if necessary. Base 10 may be used above the number line.	written methods with larger numbers. Toward the end of the year, children move to more formal recording using
		The calculation will be shown alongside the	40 + 7
		number line to see the connection Model Calculatio n n	$\frac{30 + 5}{70 + 12}$
		The Bar Model (Singapore <u>maths</u>) will be used to support problem solving moving onto the <u>generalisation</u> that <u>b+c</u> =a. Children will focus on using the abstract representation with the pictorial to support where necessary.	



Objective a	nd Strategy	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
add numbers w di <u>c</u>	ith more than 4 jits.	See Year 4	See Year 4	Children should have abstract supported by a pictorial or concrete if needed.
add several increasing d including ad measure and different numl poin	numbers of complexity, Iding money, decimals with pers of decimal nts.	See Year 4	See Year 4	$ \begin{array}{r} 8 & 1, 05 & 9 \\ 3, 66 & 8 \\ 15, 30 & 1 \\ + & 20, 55 \\ 1 & 20, 57 \\ 1 & 20, 57 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \end{array} $ 2 3 · 3 6 1 9 · 0 8 0 5 9 · 7 70 + 1 · 300 $9 & 3 \cdot 5 \\ 1 & 300 \\ 7 & 3 \cdot 5 \\ \end{array} $ Insert zeros for place holders.
Column method with regrouping	Consolidate understa	anding using numbers with more th	an 4 digits and extend by adding	numbers with up to 3 decimal places.

Calculation Guidance- Subtraction



	Objective and	Strategy	Concrete		Pictorial		Abstract	
	Subtract one- two-digit numi 20, including 0 Taking away o	digit and bers to). ones	Use physical objects, counters, c to show how objects can be take 6-4	ubes etc n away. = 2	Cross out drawn objects to show what has been taken a A A A AA A A AA A A $A15 - 3 = 12$	way. 7-	4 = 3 69 = 7	
	Counting bac	ĸ	4-2=2 Wake the larger number in your subtraction. Move the your bead string as you count backwards in ones. 13-4 Use counters and move them away from the group as y away counting backwards as you go.	beads along	Count back on a number line or track Start at the bigger number showing the jump the number line.	back s on	ut 13 in your head, count back 4. What umber are you at? (Use your fingers to help you)	
Year 1	Find the difference		Compare objects and amounts	than four" Ir than my	+6 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 Comparison 1 Draw bars to find the difference between 2 numbers. 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Count on to find the difference.	Hannah has12 sweets and her sister has 5. How many more does Hannah have than her sister?	
	bonds an subtraction fac	d felated ts within 20 e model	Link to addition. Use PPW model to model the inverse. If 10 is the whole and 6 is one of the arts, what <u>s</u> the other part? 10-6=4		Use a pictorial representation of obje show the part-part whole model		5 10 Move to using numbers within the part whole model.	
	Make 10		14 – 9 =	to make 10 and You are left with	13 - 7 = 6 -4 -3 -4 -3 -4 -3 -4 -3 -4 -3 -4 -3 -4 -3 -4 -3 -4 -3 -4 -3 -4 -3 -4 -3 -4 -3 -4 -5 -4 -5 -4 -5 -4 -5 -5 -5 -5 -5 -5 -5 -5 -5 -5	15 16 17 18 19 vay the remaining ached your	16 == How many do we take off to reach the next 10? How many do we have left to take off?	
	Taking away ones	Use physica to show how 4 – 2 = 2	I objects, counters, cubes etc. w objects can be taken away.	Cross out has been 4 – 2 = 2	drawn objects to show what taken away.	4 - 2 = 2	2	











Year 1

	Objective	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
	Counting in multiples of 2, 3, 4, 5, 10 from 0 (repeated addition)	Count the groups as children are skip counting, children may use their fin- gers as they are skip counting. Use bar models. 5+5+5+5+5+5+5=40	Number lines, counting sticks and bar models should be used to show repre- sentation of counting in multiples.	Count in multiples of a number aloud. Write sequences with multiples of numbers. 0, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 0, 3, 6, 9, 12, 15 0, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30 4 × 3 =
Tear 2	Multiplicatio n is commutative	Pupils should understand that an array can represent different equations and that, as multiplication does not affect the answer.	2 Use representations of arrays to show different calculations and explore commutativity.	12 = 3 × 4 12 = 4 × 3 Use an array to write multiplication sentences and reinforce repeated addition. $\bigcirc \bigcirc $
	Using the Inverse This should be taught alongside division, so pupils learn how they work alongside <u>each</u> other.		$\begin{vmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ \hline 4 & 2 \\ \hline \times \\ \hline \times \\ \hline \\ \times \\ \hline \\ \div \\ \hline \\ \div \\ \hline \\ \div \\ \hline \\ \div \\ = \\ \hline \end{vmatrix}$	2 x 4 = 8 4 x 2 = 8 8 + 2 = 4 8 + 4 = 2 8 = 2 x 4 8 = 4 x 2 2 = 8 + 4 4 = 8 + 2 Show all 8 related fact family sentences.









	Calculation Guidance- Division				
	Objectives Solve problems in clu ding halving and sharing. Halving a whole, halving a quantity of objects. Sharing a quantity of objects.	Concrete	Pictorial Pictorial Pictorial Pictorial Pictures and icons that encourage children to see concept of halving in relation to sublitising addition and	Abstract	
EYFS		Counting and oth er maths resources for children to share into two equal groups. Use visual supports such as halving mats and part part whole, with the physical objects and resources that can be manipulated. Counting and oth er maths resources for children to explore sharing between 3 or more.	subtraction knowledge. j.e. Knowing 4 is made of 2 groups of 2, so half of 4 is 2. Bar model with pictures or icons to support understanding of finding 2 equal parts of a number, to further understand how two halves make a whole. Pictures for children to create and visualise 3 or more equal groups.		

	Objective	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract	
Year 1	Division as sharing (sharing objects into groups)	Image: A standard	Children use pictures or shapes to share quantities. $\begin{array}{c} & & & & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & &$	Share 9 buns between three people. 9 + 3 = 3	
Year 2	Oþjective Division as grouping	Concrete Divide quantities into equal groups. Use cubes, counters, objects or place value counters to aid understanding. 96 + 3 = 32 96 + 3 = 32	Pictorial Use a number line to show jumps in groups. The number of jumps equals the number of groups. 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 1 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	Abstract 28 ÷ 7 = 4 Divide 28 into 7 groups. How many are in each group?	







Step 1 – a remainder in the offes	
h t o	
0 4 1 R1	
4) 165	
4 does not go into 1 (hundred). So combine the 1 hundred with the 6 tens	; (160).
4 goes into 16 four times.	
4 goes into 5 once, leaving a remainder of 1.	
th h t o	
0400R7	
8) <mark>32</mark> 07	
8 does not go into 3 of the thousands. So combine the 3 thousands with t	he 2 hundreds (3,200).
8 goes into 32 four times (3,200 + 8 = 400) 8 goes into 0 zero times (tens).	
8 goes into 7 zero times, and leaves a remainder of 7.	1
h t o	
4 247	
4) 247	
3	
When dividing the ones, 4 goes into 7 one time. Multiply $1 \times 4 = 4$, write that four us the remainder of 3.	r under the 7, and subract. This finds
Check: 4 × 61 + 3 = 247	
th h t o	
0402	
4) 1609	
<u>- 8</u>	

When dividing the ones, 4 goes into 9 two times. Multiply $2 \times 4 = 8$, write that eight under the 9, and subract. This finds us the remainder of 1.

Check: 4 × 402 + 1 = 1,609

Step 2 - a remainder in the tens

1. Divide.	2. Multiply & subtract.	3. Drop down the next digit.
to	to	t o
2)58	2 2)58 <u>-4</u> 1	29 2)58 -41 18
Two goes into 5 two times, or 5 tens + 2 = 2 whole tens but there is a remainder!	To find it, multiply $2 \times 2 = 4$, write that 4 under the five, and subtract to find the remainder of 1 ten.	Next, drop down the 8 of the ones next to the leftover 1 ten. You combine the remainder ten with 8 ones, and get 18.

1. Divide.	2. Multiply & subtract.	3. Drop down the next digit.			
t o	t o	t o			
29	2 2 9 2) 5 8	2)58			
- 4	-4	$\frac{-4}{18}$			
10	-18	<u>- 18</u>			
Divide 2 into 18. Place 9 into the quotient.	Multiply 9 × 2 = 18, write that 18 under the 18, and subtract.	The division is over since there are no more digits in the dividend. The quotient is 29.			

Step 3 - a remainder in any of the place values

1. Divide.	2. Multiply & subtract.	3. Drop down the next digit.		
1 2)278	h t o 1 2)278 -2 0	18 2)278 -21 07		
Two goes into 2 one time, or 2 nundreds + 2 = 1 hundred.	Multiply 1 × 2 = 2, write that 2 under the two, and subtract to find the remainder of zero.	Next, drop down the 7 of the tens next to the zero.		
Divide.	Multiply & subtract.	Drop down the next digit.		
b t o 1 3 2) 2 7 8 -2 0 7 Divide 2 into 7. Place 3 into the quotient.	h t o 13 2)278 -2 07 -6 1 Multiply $3 \times 2 = 6$, write that 6 under the 7, and subtract to find the remainder of 1 ten.	h t o 13 $2\overline{)278}$ -2 07 -6 18 Next, drop down the 8 of the ones next to the 1 leftover ten.		
1. Divide.	2. Multiply & subtract.	3. Drop down the next digit.		
$ \begin{array}{r} h t \circ \\ 1 3 9 \\ 2) 2 7 8 \\ -2 \\ -2 \\ $	$ \begin{array}{r} h t \circ \\ 1 39 \\ 2) 2 7 8 \\ -2 \\ -2 \\ $	$ \begin{array}{r} $		
Divide 2 into 18. Place 9 into the quotient.	Multiply 9 × 2 = 18, write that 18 under the 18, and subtract to find the remainder of zero.	There are no more digits to drop down. The quotient is 139.		

White Rose- Long Division (Support)

Video	1:	<u>Aut6.5.5</u>	-	Long	<u>division</u>	(1)	on	<u>Vimeo</u>
Video	2:	Aut6.6.1	_	Long	division	(2)	on	Vimeo
Video	3:	Aut6.6.2	_	Long	division	(3)	on	Vimeo
Video	4:	Aut6.6.3	_	Long	division	(4)	on	Vimeo