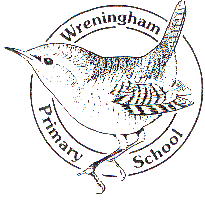
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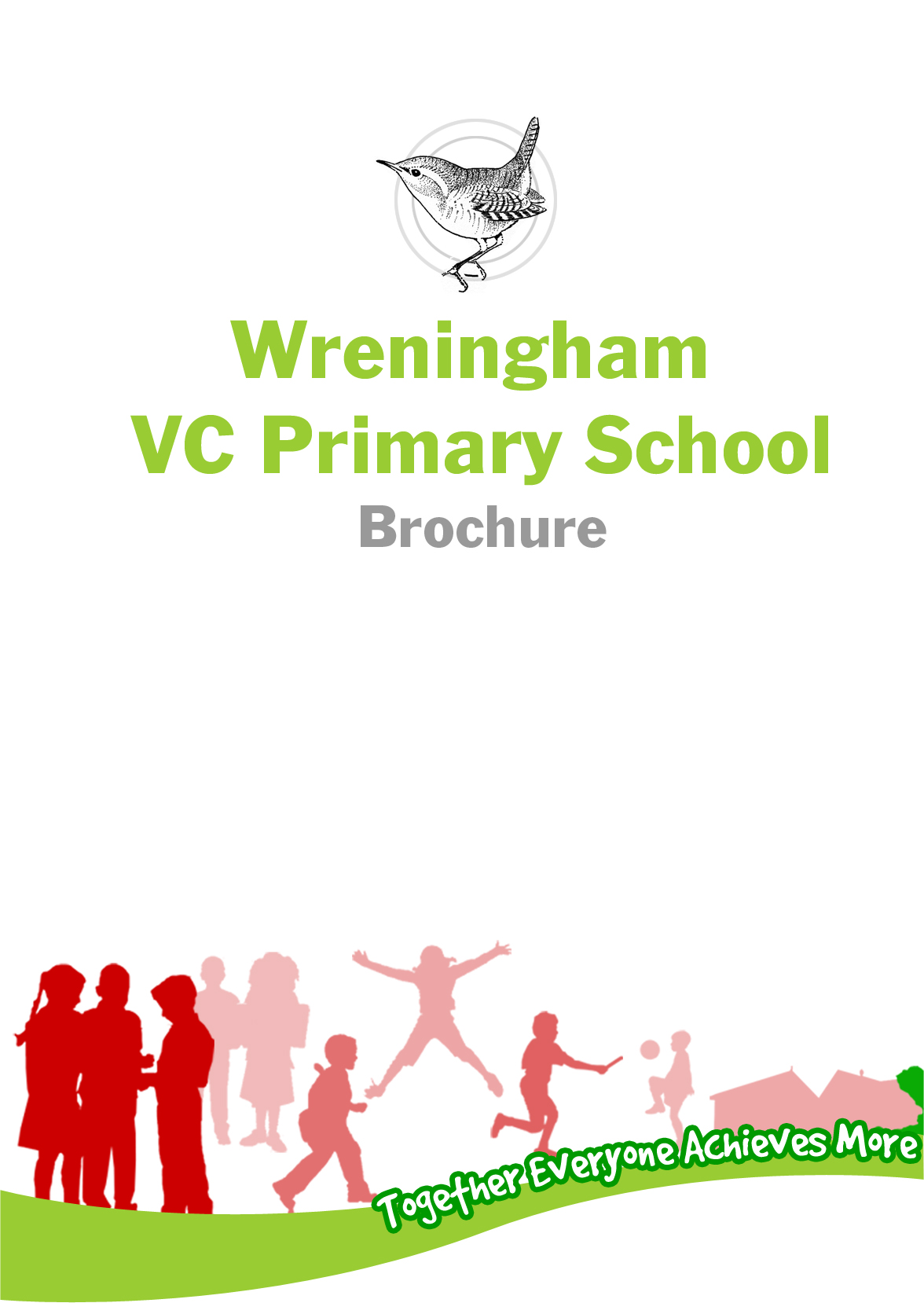
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**Calculation Policy 2014**



This policy contains the key pencil and paper procedures that we will teach in school across Key Stages 1 and 2. It has been written to ensure consistency and progression throughout the school and to follow the statutory requirements from the National Curriculum 2014. **As children progress at different rates, some may need to use the strategies from previous or future year groups.**

Although the focus of this policy is on written recording, it is important to recognise that the ability to calculate mentally lies at the heart of written calculations. During Key Stage One, emphasis is placed upon developing the skills of mental calculation. However mental calculation is not at the exclusion of written recording; it is complementary to it. In every written method there is an element of mental processing. All pupils will be given regular opportunities to record and explain their mathematical thinking.

The policy concentrates on the introduction of standard symbols, the use of the empty number line as a jotting to aid mental calculation and on the introduction of more formal pencil and paper methods. It is important that children do not abandon jottings and mental methods once pencil and paper procedures are introduced. Children will always be encouraged to look at a calculation/problem and decide the best method to use; pictures, mental calculation with or without jottings or formal written procedures.

The long-term aim is for children to be able to select an **efficient** method of their choice whether this be mental or written. They will do this by always asking themselves:

**‘Can I do this in my head?’**

**‘Can I do this in my head using drawings or jottings?’**

**‘Do I need to use a pencil and paper procedure?’**



ADDITION

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| **Reception and Year 1 Add with numbers up to 20**  Use number tracks, practical methods and numbered number lines to add by counting on in ones, and using the addition (+) and equals (=) signs  3+2=5  +  Encourage to start with the larger number and count on.  **Examples:** 8 + 3 =  15 + 4 =  5 + 3 + 1 =   +  = 6. | **Key vocabulary**: *add, more, plus, and, make, altogether, total, equal to, equals, double, most, count on, number line*  **Key number skills needed at Y1:**  Read and write numbers to 100 in numerals, incl. 1—20 in words.  Recall bonds to 10 and 20, and addition facts within 20.  Count to and across 100.  Count in multiples of 1 2, 5 and 10. |
| **Year 2 Add with 2-digit numbers**  **Leading towards Formal Written methods**  Use a blank number line to 2 digit numbers and 10s, progressing onto pairs of 2 digit numbers (add tens then units, starting with the largest number):    **Progress onto using deines ready for Year 4** | **Key vocabulary**: As before, & *sum, tens, ones, partition, addition, column ,tens boundary*  **Key number skills needed at Y2:**  **Add a 2-digit number and ones (e.g. 27 + 6)**  **Add a 2-digit number and tens (e.g. 23 + 40)**  **Add pairs of 2-digit numbers (e.g. 35 + 47)**  **Add three one-digit numbers (e.g. 5 + 9 + 7)**  **Show that adding can be done in any order.**  **Recall bonds to 20 and bonds of tens to 100 (30 + 70 etc.)**  Understand the place value of 2-digit numbers (tens and units)  Compare and order numbers to 100 using < > and = signs.  Read and write numbers to at least 100 in numerals and words. |
| **Year 3 Add with numbers up to 3-digits**  47+25 | **Key vocabulary**: As before, *& hundreds boundary, increase, vertical, ‘carry’, expanded, compact*  **Key number skills needed at Y3:**  Read and write numbers to 1000 in numerals and words.  Add 2-digit numbers mentally, incl. those exceeding 100.  **Add a three-digit number and ones mentally (175 + 8)**  **Add a three-digit number and tens mentally (249 + 50)**  **Add a three-digit number and hundreds mentally (381 + 400)**  Estimate answers to calculations, using inverse to check answers.  Recognise place value of digits in 3-digit numbers (hundreds, tens, units) |
| **Year 4 Add numbers with up to 4 digits**  Using the compact column method, **adding units first**, and ‘carrying’ numbers **underneath** the calculation. Pupils should also add money and measures.  **e.g. 3517 + 396 = 3913** | **Key vocabulary**: As before & *thousands, hundreds, digits, inverse*  **Key number skills needed at Y4:**  Select most appropriate method: mental, jottings or written and explain why.  Recognise the place value of each digit in a four-digit number. Round any number to the nearest 10, 100 or 1000.  Estimate and use inverse operations to check answers.  Find 1000 more or less than a given number. |
| **Year 5 Add numbers with more than 4 digits** including money, measures and decimals with different numbers of decimal places. | **Key vocabulary**: As before & *decimal places, decimal point, tenths, hundredths, thousandths*  **Key number skills needed at Y5:**  Add numbers mentally with increasingly large numbers  Use rounding to check answers and accuracy.  Read, write, order and compare numbers to at least 1 million and determine the value of each digit.  Round any number up to 1 000 000 to the nearest 10, 100,  1000, 10 000 and 100 000. |
| **Year 6 Add several numbers of increasing complexity**    Add ‘zeros’ where needed to show the place value of decimals  . | **Key vocabulary**: As before.  **Key number skills needed at Y6:**  Perform mental calculations, including with mixed operations and large numbers.  Use estimation to check answers to calculations and determine, in the context of a problem, levels of accuracy.  Read, write, order and compare numbers up to 10 million and determine the value of each digit.  Round any whole number to a required degree of accuracy. |

SUBTRACTION

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| **Reception and Year 1 Take away using real objects. Subtract from numbers up to 20**  **Count back** in ones on a numbered number line to take away:  **Find the ‘difference between’ —including ‘how many more’ and ‘how many less’ is** introduced practically by counting on.  Begin to write number sentences with - and = signs. | **Key vocabulary**: *equal to, take, take away, less, minus, subtract, leaves, difference between, how many more, how many fewer / less than, most, least, count back , how many left, how much less is\_?*  **Note:** children will begin by taking away from a group of pictures or apparatus, e.g. bead string, objects, cubes.  **Key number skills needed at Y1:**  Given any number, say one more or one less.  Count to and over 100, forward and back, from any number.  Represent and use subtraction facts to 20 and within 20 .  Subtract with one-digit and two-digit numbers to 20, including 0. |
| **Year 2 Subtract with 2-digit numbers**  Subtract by counting back on a blank number line, gradually using more efficient jumps.  **47 – 23**    Use counting on as a mental strategy for subtraction where **numbers are close together** e.g. 42-38: | **Key vocabulary**: As before, & *difference, count on, strategy, partition, tens, units*  **Key number skills needed at Y2:**  Recognise the place value of each digit in a two-digit number.  Recall and use subtraction facts to 20 fluently, and derive and use related facts up to 100  Subtract using concrete objects, pictorial representations, 100 squares and mentally, including: a two-digit number and ones, a two-digit number and tens, and two two-digit numbers.  Show that subtraction cannot be done in any order.  Recognise and use inverse relationship between addition and subtraction, to check calculations and missing number problems. |
| **Year 3 Subtract with 2 and 3 digit numbers**  Use partitioned column subtraction method (using Dienes initially):    **75 – 42**  70 + 5  **-** 40 + 2  30 + 3  Money: partition as £1 + 30p + 4p | **Key vocabulary**: As before, *& exchange, decrease, hundreds, value, digit*  **Key number skills needed at Y3:**  Subtract mentally: A **3-digit number and ones**;  a **3-digit number and tens**;  a **3-digit number and hundreds** .  Estimate answers and use inverse operations to check.  Solve problems, including missing number problems.  Find 10 or 100 more or less than a given number.  Recognise the place value of each digit in a 3-digit number . |
| **Year 4 Subtract with up to 4 –digit numbers**  Short columnar method with exchanging. | **Key vocabulary**: As before, & inverse  **Key number skills needed at Y4:**  Subtract by counting on where numbers are close together or are near to multiples of 10, 100 etc. (87-79, 202-197)  Estimate and use inverse operations to check answers.  Solve addition and subtraction 2-step problems in contexts, choosing which operations and methods to use and why.  Find 1000 more or less than a given number.  Count backwards through zero to include negative numbers.  Recognise the place value of each digit in a four-digit number.  Round any number to the nearest 10, 100 or 1000. |
| **Year 5 Subtract with at least 4-digit numbers**  and money, measures, decimals | **Key vocabulary**: As before, & *tenths, hundredths, decimal point, decimal*  **Key number skills needed at Y5:**  Subtract numbers mentally with increasingly large numbers.  Use rounding and estimation to check answers to calculations.  Solve addition and subtraction multi-step problems in context, deciding which operations and best methods to use and why.  Read, write, order and compare numbers to at **least 1 million** and determine the value of each digit.  Count forwards or backwards in steps of 10, 100, 1000, 10,000...  Interpret negative numbers in context, counting forwards and backwards with positive and negative integers through 0. |
| **Year 6 Subtract with increasingly large and more complex numbers and decimal values** | **Key vocabulary**: As before.  **Key number skills needed at Y6:**  Solve addition and subtraction multi-step problems in context, deciding which operations and methods to use and why.  Read, write, order and compare numbers up to **10 million** and determine the value of each digit.  Round any whole number to a required degree of accuracy.  Use negative numbers in context, calculating intervals across zero. |

MULTIPLICATION

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| **Reception and Year 1 Multiply with real objects, arrays and pictorial representations.** | **Key vocabulary**: *groups of, lots of, times, array, altogether, multiply, total, count up in...*  **Key skills for multiplication at Y1:**  Count in 2s, 5s and 10s.  Solve 1-step problems involving multiplication, by calculating the answer using concrete objects, pictorial representations and arrays with the support of the teacher.  Make connections between arrays, number patterns, and counting in twos, fives and tens.  Begin to understand doubling using concrete objects and pictorial representations. |
| **Year 2 Multiply using arrays and repeated addition.**  **Repeated addition to multiply:**  **Arrays also demonstrate commutative law:** | **Key vocabulary**: As before, *& multiplied by, column, row, repeated addition, commutative, sets of, equal groups, \_ times as big as, once, twice, three times etc.*  **Key skills for multiplication at Y2:**  Count in steps of 2, 3 and 5 from 0, and in 10s from any number.  Recall and use multiplication facts from the 2, 5 and 10 multiplication tables, incl. recognising odds and evens.  Write and calculate number statements **using the x and = signs**.  Show that multiplication can be done in any order (commutative).  Solve a range of problems involving multiplication, using materials, arrays, repeated addition, mental methods, and multiplication facts. |
| **Year 3 Multiply 2-digits by a single digit number (Grid method)**   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **x** | **3** | | **10** | **\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\***  **\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\***  **\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*** | | **6** | **\*\*\*\*\*\***  **\*\*\*\*\*\***  **\*\*\*\*\*\*** |   Children will approximate first and use visual images of the grid with arrays and Dienes to deepen understanding.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **x** | **3**  **TU**  30  +18  40 (30 + 10)  \_8 (0 + 8)  48 | | **10** | 30 | | **6** | 18 | | **Key vocabulary:** As before, & *partition, grid method, multiple, product, tens, units, value*  **Key skills for multiplication at Y3:** Recall and use multiplication facts for the 2, 3, 4, 5, 8 and 10 multiplication tables, and multiply multiples of ten. Write and calculate number statements using the multiplication tables they know, incl. 2-digit x single-digit, drawing upon mental methods, and progressing to reliable written methods. Solve multiplication problems, including missing number problems. Develop mental strategies using commutativity (e.g. 4 x 12 x 5 = 4 x 5 x 12 = 20 x 12 = 240) |
| |  |  | | --- | --- | | **x** | **6** | | **100** | 600 | | **30** | 180 | | **6** | 36 |   **Year 4 Multiply 2 and 3 digit by a single digit (Grid method)**  If children are confident with the short method for addition they can add directly under the grid (digits must be in lined up correct columns) they can add directly from the grid.  If not produce a separate addition sum as Year 3.  + 816  1 | **Key vocabulary:** As before, & *square, factor, integer, decimal, short / long multiplication, ‘carry’*  **Key skills for multiplication at Y4:** Count in multiples of 6, 7, 9, 25 and 1000 Recall multiplication facts for multiplication tables up to 12x12. Recognise place value of digits in up to 4-digit numbers Use place value, known facts and derived facts to multiply mentally, e.g. multiply by 1, 10, 100, by 0, or multiply 3 numbers. Use commutativity and other strategies in mental calculations 3 x 6 = 6 x 3 , 2 x 6 x 5 = 10 x 6 , 39x7 = 30 x 7 + 9 x 7. |
| **Year 5 Multiply 4-digit numbers by 1 or 2 digits.**  720 + 210 = 930  1    **TU**  600  180  120  + 30  930  1   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | **x** | **20** | **6** | | **30** | 600 | 180 | | **5** | 120 | 30 |     **or add all numbers in one sum** | **Key vocabulary** As before, & *cubed, integer, square, factor, integer, decimal, short/long multiplication, ‘carry’*  **Key skills for multiplication at Y5:** Identify multiples and factors, using knowledge of multiplication tables to 12x12. Solve problems where larger numbers are decomposed into their factors . Multiply and divide integers and decimals by 10, 100, 1000. Recognise and use square and cube numbers and their notation. |
| **Year 6 Use short multiplication and multiply decimals with a single digit number.**  Start with the unit digit first. | **Key vocabulary:** As before, & *tenths, hundredths*  **Key skills for multiplication at Y6:** Multiply multi-digit numbers, up to 4-digit x 2-digit using long multiplication. Perform mental calculations with mixed operations and large numbers. Estimate answers using round and approximation and determine levels of accuracy. Round any integer to a required degree of accuracy. |

DIVISION

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| **Year 1 Group and share small quantities**  Using objects, diagrams and pictorial representations to solve prob- lems about both grouping and sharing. | **Key vocabulary:** *share, share equally, one each, two each…, group, groups of, lots of, array*  **Key number skills needed at Y1:** Solve one-step problems, calculating answers using concrete objects, pictorial representations, arrays with support. Through grouping and sharing small quantities, begin to understand division, and find simple fractions of objects, numbers / quantities. Make connections between arrays, number patterns, and counting in 2s, 5s and 10s. |
| **Year 2 Group and share, using the ÷ sign**  Use objects, arrays, diagrams and pictorial representations, and repeated addition on a number line. | **Key vocabulary:** As before, & *divide, divided by, divided into, division, grouping, number line, left, left over*  **Key number skills needed at Y2:**  \*Count in 2s, 3s and 5s from 0.  \*Recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 2, 5 and 10 multiplication tables, recognising odds and evens.  \*Calculate statements for multiplication and division within the multiplication tables, writing them using x, ÷ and = signs. \*Show that division cannot be done in any order.  \*Solve problems in context using materials, arrays, repeated addition, mental methods, multiplication and division facts. |
| **Year 3 Divide 2-digit numbers by a single digit (no remainders in the final answer)**  SHORT DIVISION:  Remainders carried within the calculation once confident with the method: 1) 2) | **Key vocabulary:** As before & *inverse, short division, ‘carry’, remainder, multiple*  **Key number skills needed at Y3:**  \*Recall and use multiplication/ division facts for 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 10 multiplication tables (through doubling, connect the 2, 4 and 8s). \*Write and calculate number statements for multiplication and division using multiplication tables that they know, including for 2-digit numbers times 1-digit numbers.  \*Solve problems, in contexts, and including missing number problems, involving multiplication and division.  \*Develop efficient mental methods, e.g. using multiplication and division facts (e.g. using 3 × 2 = 6, 6 ÷ 3 = 2 and 2 = 6 ÷ 3) to derive related facts (30 × 2 = 60, so 60 ÷ 3 = 20 and 20 = 60 ÷ 3). |
| **Year 4 Divide up to 3-digit numbers by a single digit (without remainders)**  **SHORT DIVISION:** | **Key vocabulary:** As before & *divisible by, factor*  **Key number skills needed at Y4:**  \*Recall all multiplication and division facts up to 12 x 12.  \*Use place value, known and derived facts to multiply and divide mentally, incl. multiplying and dividing by 10 and 100 and  \*Use short division with exact answers.  \*Extend mental methods to 3-digit numbers, deriving facts, for example 200 × 3 = 600 so 600 ÷ 3 = 200  \*Solve 2-step problems in contexts, choosing the appropriate operation, working with increasingly harder numbers. This should include correspondence questions such as three cakes shared equally between 10 children. |
| **Year 5 Divide up to 4 digits by a single digit, including those with remainder answers.**  **SHORT DIVISION:** | **Key vocabulary**: As before & *quotient, prime number, prime factors, composite number (non - prime)*  **Key number skills needed at Y5:**  \*Recall multiplication / division facts for all numbers up to 12 x 12. \*Identify multiples and factors of any number.  \*Multiply and divide whole numbers and those involving decimals by 10, 100 and 1000.  \*Work out if numbers to 100 are prime, recalling primes to 19. \*Use multiplication and division as inverses.  \*Express remainder answers as fractions, decimals or rounded numbers, as appropriate to the context of the problem. |
| **Year 6 Divide at least 4-digit numbers by 1 or 2 digits (incl. decimal numbers / quantities)**  **Short division: Long Division** | **Key vocabulary:** As before, & *common factor*  **Key number skills needed at Y6:**  \*Use multiplication and division facts for all numbers to 12 x 12 for more complex calculations.  \*Identify common factors, common multiples and prime numbers \*Solve problems which require answers to be rounded to specified degrees of accuracy, and remainders to be expressed as rounded numbers, fractions or decimals.  \*Use estimation to check answers to calculations. |