## PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## Progression in Calculation

 Reception-Year 6We are now able to provide an electronic copy of our calculation booklet. Each family can download their own copy to work from at home. A paper copy can be requested from the office. All four operations are included with examples of the methods used throughout the school.
The booklet shows a progression throughout the whole school with a strong emphasis on mental and written methods. To support their learning at home, your child should develop the strategy that they use in their classroom. It is important that they feel happy and confident in the methods they use.
This booklet can be used to support maths homework or any additional learning you may choose to focus on.
If you would like example calculations, specific to your child's needs, their class teacher would be happy to help. We hope that these booklets give guidance and support to all ages!
Have fun using them.

Yours sincerely
The Maths Team

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| Mental Calculations- Addition |  |  | Subtraction |  |  |
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| Question | Name of Strategy | Example | Question | Name of Strategy | Example |
| $46+53$ | Partitioning | $\begin{aligned} & 40+50=90 \\ & 6+3=9 \\ & =99 \end{aligned}$ | 72-47 | Counting On | How many do you count on from 47 to 72? $\mid=25$ |
| $7+16+3$ | Looking for bonds | $\begin{aligned} & 7+3=10 \\ & 10+16 \\ & =\mathbf{2 6} \end{aligned}$ | 72-68 | Counting Back | How many do you count back from $72 \text { to } 68 ?$ $=4$ |
| $65+67$ | Near Doubles | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Double } 65=130 \\ & 130+2 \\ & =132 \end{aligned}$ | 97-54 | Partitioning | $\begin{aligned} & 90-50=40 \\ & 7-4=3 \\ & =43 \end{aligned}$ |
| $59+25$ | Adjusting | $\begin{aligned} & 59+25=60+24 \\ & \text { or } \\ & 60+25(-1) \\ & =84 \end{aligned}$ | 64-26 | Partition smaller number | $\begin{aligned} & 64-20=44 \\ & 44-6 \\ & =38 \end{aligned}$ |
| Multiplication |  |  | Division |  |  |
| Question | Name of Strategy | Example | Question | Name of Strategy | Example |
| $15 \times 12$ | Partitioning | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \times 10=150 \\ & 15 \times 2=30 \\ & =\mathbf{1 8 0} \end{aligned}$ | $85 \div 5$ | Partitioning | How many 5's are in 80? 16 How many 5's are in 5? 1 $=17$ |
| $24 \times 6$ | Adjusting both parts | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Halve } 24=12 \\ & \text { Double } 6=12 \\ & 12 \times 12 \\ & =\mathbf{1 4 4} \end{aligned}$ | $162 \div 6$ | Grouping | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \times 6=60, \\ & \text { so, } 20 \times 6=120, \\ & \text { so, } 25 \times 6=150, \end{aligned}$ |
| $49 \times 6$ | Adjusting single part | $\begin{aligned} & =50 \times 6=300 \\ & =-6 \\ & =294 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { so, } 27 \times 6=162 \\ & =27 \end{aligned}$ |
| $23 \times 4$ | Double doubling $(x 2, x 2=x 4)$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \times 2=46 \\ & 46 \times 2=94 \\ & =94 \end{aligned}$ | $88 \div 4$ | Halve and halve again $(\div 2, \div 2=\div 4)$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88 \div 2=44 \\ & 44 \div 2=22 \\ & =\mathbf{2 2} \end{aligned}$ |

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Calculation Strategies - ADDITION



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Start with 3 digits.
234-198
$18 \quad 12\}$

- 198

36
Then move on to 4 digits.
8146-4729


Encourage children to spot questions that can be done mentally.

For example:
$652-348=? ? ?$
$654-350=304$ 2008-1999 =

Include examples of decomposition with more than one zero.

4910
500
$-362$
138


## Moving on to

Subtraction with decimals to 1 d.p.


Then
Subtraction with decimals to 2 d.p.

| 3 | 4 | 7 | $\cdot$ | 6 | 6 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| - | 1 | 8 | 9 | $\cdot$ | 5 |
| 1 | 5 | 7 | $\cdot$ | 6 | 8 |

# Gig Mill Primary School Calculation Strategies - MULTIPLICATION 





