## MATHS

## THE FOXTON CURRICULUM

## At Foxton Primary School, we are mathematicians.



## Our Maths Curriculum

We follow a mastery approach to teaching mathematics and have adopted the White Rose Mixed Age Schemes of Work which are aligned to the National Curriculum (see Appendix 1). In every lesson, children develop mathematical fluency before moving onto reasoning and problem solving. Throughout each year, children will cover and build on their understanding in place value, the four operations, fractions, the properties of shape, describing position, direction and movement, measures, statistics and algebra.

We understand the importance of making connections across these areas of maths, which are revisited regularly, in order to solve problems. We also believe it is important for children to be able not only to find the answers to problems but also to be able to explain the reasoning behind their lines of enquiry using accurate mathematical vocabulary which we have mapped the progression of over each year group (see Appendix 2).

## EYFS Overview

|  | Week <br> 1 | Week <br> 2 | Week <br> 3 | Week <br> 4 | Week <br> 5 | Week <br> 6 | Week <br> 7 | Week <br> 8 | Week 9 | Week <br> 10 | Week <br> 11 | Week <br> 12 |
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| $\begin{aligned} & \frac{ᄃ}{\varepsilon} \\ & \frac{\partial}{\frac{D}{z}} \end{aligned}$ | Baseline |  | Match, sort and compare |  | Talk about measure and patterns |  | It's me 1, 2, 3 <br> Circles and triangles |  |  | $1,2,3,4,5$ <br> Shapes with 4 sides |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { O} \\ & \text { 등 } \end{aligned}$ | Alive in 5 |  |  | Growing 6, 7, <br> 8 |  | Length, height and time |  | Building 9 and 10 |  |  | Explore 3Dshapes |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \bar{\oplus} \\ & \stackrel{y}{\xi} \\ & \stackrel{3}{6} \end{aligned}$ | To 20 and beyond |  | How <br> many <br> now? | Manipulate, compose and decompose |  | Sharing and grouping |  | Visualise, build and map |  |  | 0 <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> 0 |  |

Year 1/2 Overview


Year 3/4 Overview


Year 5/6 Overview


The White Rose Mixed Age Progression document allows teachers to see exactly where the National Curriculum objectives are placed within our scheme of work. This helps teachers understand the knowledge that has been taught previously and how their lessons build upon this. Systematic retrieval practice at the start of every lesson also helps children revisit and remember key content over time.

|  | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
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|  | - count to and across 100, forwards and backwards, beginning with 0 or 1 , or from any given number <br> - Count numbers to 100 in numerals; count in multiples of twos, fives and tens <br> Y1/2-Autumn 1 Y1/2-Autumn 3 Y1/2-Spring 2 Y1/2- Summer 3 | - count in steps of 2,3 , and 5 from 0 , and in tens from any number, forward and backward <br> Y1/2-Autumn 3 Y2/3-Autumn 3 | - count from 0 in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100 ; find 10 or 100 more or less than a given number <br> Y2/3- Autumn 1 Y2/3- Autumn 3 Y2/3- Summer 2 Y3/4-Autumn 1 Y3/4- Autumn 3 | - count in multiples of $6,7,9,25$ and 1000 <br> - count backwards through zero to include negative numbers <br> Y3/4-Autumn 1 Y3/4-Autumn 3 Y4/5-Autumn 1 Y4/5-Autumn 3 | - count forwards or backwards in steps of powers of 10 for any given number up to 1 000000 <br> - count forwards and backwards with positive and negative whole numbers, including through zero |  |
|  | - identify and represent numbers using objects and pictorial representations <br> - read and write numbers to 100 in numerals <br> - read and write numbers from 1 to 20 in numerals and words. <br> Y1/2-Autumn 1 Y1/2-Autumn 3 Y1/2-Spring 2 Y1/2- Summer 3 | - read and write numbers to at least 100 in numerals and in words <br> - identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations, including the number line | - identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations <br> - read and write numbers up to 1000 in numerals and in words | - identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations <br> - read Roman numerals to 100 (I to C) and know that over time, the numeral system changed to include the concept of zero and place value | - read, write, (order and compare) numbers to at least 1000000 and determine the value of each digit <br> - read Roman numerals to 1000 $(\mathrm{M})$ and recognise years written in Roman numerals. | - read, write, (order and compare) numbers up to 10000000 and determine the value of each digit <br> Y5/6-Autumn 1 |

In a typical maths lesson, learning is supporting by the use of concrete and pictorial resources before children move onto abstract representations. This is exemplified in our Calculation Policy (see Appendix 3). The maths subject leader and several teachers have worked alongside the NCETM and East Midlands South Maths Hub to develop our approach to teaching maths, which is underpinned by the NCETM's 5 big ideas in teaching for mastery:

## 1. Coherence

Lessons are broken down into small connected steps that gradually unfold the concept, providing access for all children and leading to a generalisation of the concept and the ability to apply the concept to a range of contexts.

## 2. Representation and Structure

Representations used in lessons expose the mathematical structure being taught, the aim being that students can do the maths without recourse to the representation. See calculation policy.

## 3. Mathematical Thinking

If taught ideas are to be understood deeply, they must not merely be passively received but must be worked on by the student: thought about, reasoned with and discussed with others.

## 4. Fluency

Quick and efficient recall of facts and procedures and the flexibility to move between different contexts and representations of mathematics.

## 5. Variation

Variation is twofold. It is firstly about how the teacher represents the concept being taught, often in more than one way, to draw attention to critical aspects, and to develop deep and holistic understanding. It is also about the sequencing of the episodes, activities and exercises used within a lesson and follow up practice, paying attention to what is kept the same and what changes, to connect the mathematics and draw attention to mathematical relationships and structure.

In line with our mastery approach, the expectation is that the majority of pupils will move through the programmes of study at broadly the same pace. However, decisions about when to progress are based on the security of pupils' understanding and their readiness to progress to the next stage. Pupils who grasp concepts rapidly are challenged through being offered rich
mastery and sophisticated problems, such as low-threshold high-ceiling tasks from NRICH, before any acceleration through new content. Those who are not sufficiently fluent with earlier material are given time to consolidate their understanding, including through additional practice, before moving on.

## Knowing more and remembering more

Every maths lesson starts with retrieval practice which takes into account interleaving in order to combat the forgetfulness curve. Through responsive teaching, staff continuously monitor pupils' progress against expected attainment for their age, making formative assessment notes where appropriate and using these to inform teaching and intervention.

To further develop mathematical fluency, our children in Fox Cubs and Rabbit class have a Mastering Number session most afternoons. Further up the school, this time is used for learning times tables and arithmetic practice.

Summative assessments are completed at the end of each unit. Our subsequent question level analysis informs the teachers next steps. Headstart Assessments are used termly to help teachers verify their teacher assessments. The standardised scores these generate can be reliably compared against national averages. Additionally, year-on-year progress can be judged.

## A Global Curriculum

Integral to our comprehensive Global Curriculum at Foxton, mathematics plays a pivotal role in nurturing both analytical acumen and informed global citizenship. Mathematical fluency serves as a cornerstone for conducting inquiry-based projects, such as evaluating trends in poverty, computing personal water footprints, and engaging in our bioblitz initiative. These endeavours resonate with several United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), reinforcing the significance of mathematical proficiency.

The ability to comprehend and analyse statistics is crucial for understanding and interpreting data related to the Global Goals. As students delve into mathematical concepts, they gain the skills necessary to critically engage with information, aligning with Goal 4: Quality Education and Goal 17: Partnerships for the Goals.

Furthermore, our commitment to developing competent mathematicians aligns closely with Goals 8 and 9: Decent Work and Economic Growth, and Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure. Equipping students with strong mathematical foundations ensures that they are well-prepared for the evolving job landscape, fostering adaptability and innovation in an everchanging world.

Through our primary maths curriculum, we empower students not only with mathematical fluency but also with a broader perspective on their role as global citizens. By nurturing their ability to make informed decisions and
engage critically with data, our curriculum fosters a generation of individuals who are poised to contribute positively to the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead.

## Appendix 1

National Curriculum
You can access the full Mathematics Programme of Study here.

## Appendix 2

## Progression of Maths Vocabulary

| Year 1 Maths Vocabulary |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Number and place value | Ten more/less, digit, numeral, figure(s), compare, (in) order/a different order, size, value, between, halfway between, above, below, tens, ones |
| Addition and subtraction | Number bonds, number line, add, more, plus, make, sum, total, altogether, inverse, double, near double, equals, is the same as (including equals sign), difference between, subtract, take away, minus <br> How many more to make ...? <br> How many more is ... than ... ? <br> How much more is ... ? <br> How many fewer is ... than... ? <br> How much less is ... ? |
| Multiplication and division | Once, twice, three, five times, multiple of times <br> Multiply, multiply by, repeated addition, array, row, column, double, halve, share, share equally, group in pairs, threes, etc., equal groups of, divide, divided by, left over |
| Measure | Time, days of the week, seasons, day, week, month, year, weekend, birthday, holiday, morning, afternoon, evening, night, midnight, bedtime, dinnertime, playtime, today, yesterday, tomorrow <br> Before, after, next, last, now, soon, early, late, quick, quicker, quickest, quickly, fast, faster, fastest, slow, slower, slowest, slowly, old, older, oldest, new, newer, newest <br> Takes longer, takes less time, hour, o'clock, half past, clock, watch, hands, how long ago?, How long will it be to ... ?, How long will it take to ... ?, How often?, always, never, often, sometimes, usually, once, twice, first, second, third, etc., estimate, close to, about the same as, just over, just under, too many, too few, not enough, enough <br> Length, width, height, depth, long, longer, longest, short, shorter shortest, tall, taller, tallest, high, higher, highest, Low, wide, narrow, deep, shallow, thick, thin, far, near, close, metre, ruler, metre stick <br> How much?, How many?, money, coin, penny, pence, pound, price, cost, buy, sell, spend, spent, pay, change, dear(er), costs more, costs less, cheaper, costs the same as, total |
| Geometry (position and direction) | Before, after, beside, next to, opposite, apart, between, middle, edge, centre, corner, direction, journey, left, right, up, down, forwards, backwards, sideways, across, close, far, near, along, through, to, from, towards, away from, movement, slide, roll, turn, whole turn, half turn, stretch, bend |
| Geometry (properties of shape) | Corner (point, pointed), face, side, edge, make, build, draw |
| Fractions | Whole, equal parts, four equal parts, one half, two halves, a quarter, two quarters |
| Problem solving | Change, change over, split, separate, carry on, continue, repeat, what comes next?, find, choose, collect, use, make, build <br> Tell me, describe, pick out, talk about, explain, show me, read, write, record, trace, copy, complete, finish, end, fill in, shade, colour, tick, cross, draw, draw a line between, join (up), ring, arrow <br> Cost, count, work out, answer, check same number(s)/different number(s)/missing number(s) |



Number facts, number line, number track, number square, number cards, abacus, counters, cubes, blocks, rods, die, dice, dominoes, pegs, peg board

Same way, different way, best way, another way, in order, in a different order, not all, every, each

| Number and place value | Year 2 Maths Vocabulary |
| :--- | :--- |
| Measure | Quarter past/to, metres, kilometres, grams, kilograms, millimetres, liters, <br> temperature, degrees |
| Geometry (position and <br> direction) <br> Geometry (properties of <br> shape) | Rotation, clockwise, anticlockwise, straight line, ninety degree turn, <br> right angle |
| Fractions | Size, bigger, larger, smaller, symmetrical, line of symmetry, fold, <br> match, mirror line, reflection, pattern, repeating pattern |
| Data/statistics | Three quarters, one third, a third, equivalence, equivalent |
| Problem solving | Count, tally, sort, vote, graph, block graph, pictogram, represent, <br> group, set, list, table, label, title, most popular, most common, least <br> popular, least common |
| Number and place value | Predict, describe the pattern, describe the rule, find, find all, find <br> different, investigate |


|  | Year 3 Maths Vocabulary |
| :--- | :--- |
| Number and place value | Numbers to one thousand |
| Addition and subtraction | Column addition and subtraction |
| Multiplication and division | Product, multiples of four, eight, fifty and one hundred, scale up |
| Measure | Leap year, twelve-hour/twenty-four-hour clock, Roman numerals I to <br> XllI |
| Geometry (position and <br> direction) | Greater/less than ninety degrees, orientation (same orientation, <br> different orientation) |
| Geometry (properties of <br> shape) | Horizontal, perpendicular and parallel lines |
| Fractions | Numerator, denominator, unit fraction, non-unit fraction, compare <br> and order, tenths |
| Data/statistics | Chart, bar chart, frequency table, Carroll diagram, Venn diagram, <br> axis, axe |


| Number and place value | Year 4 Maths Vocabulary |
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| Tenths, hundredths, decimal (places), round (to nearest), thousand <br> more/less than, negative integers, count through zero, Roman <br> numerals I to C |  |
| Multiplication and division | Multiplication facts (up to 12x12), division facts, inverse, derive |
| Measure <br> Geometry (position and <br> direction) | Convert |
| Geometry (properties of <br> shape) | Quadrilaterals, triangles, right, acute and obtuse angles |
| Fractions and decimals | Equivalent decimals and fractions |
| Data/statistics |  |


| Year 5 Maths Vocabulary |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Number and place value | Powers of 10 |
| Addition and subtraction | Efficient written method |
| Multiplication and division | Factor pairs, composite numbers, prime number, prime factors, <br> square number, cubed number, formal written method |
| Measure <br> Geometry (position and <br> direction) | Volume, imperial units, metric units |
| Geometry (properties of angle, dimensions <br> shape) | Regular and irregular polygons |


| Fractions and decimals | Proper fractions, improper fractions, mixed numbers, percentage, <br> half, quarter, fifth, two fifths, four fifths, ratio, proportion |
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| Year 6 Maths Vocabulary |  |
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| Addition and place value | Numbers to ten million |
| Multiplication and division <br> Geometry (position and <br> direction) | Order of operations |
| Geometry (properties of <br> shape) | Common factors and common multiples |
| Fractions and decimals | Vertically opposite (angles), circumference, radius, diameter |
| Algebra | Degree of accuracy, simplify |
| Data/statistics | Linear number sequence, substitute, variables, symbol, known values |

## Appendix 3

## Progression in Calculations

Addition

|  | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
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| Addition | Combining two parts to <br> make a whole: part <br> whole model. | Adding three single <br> digits. <br> Column method- <br> no regrouping. | Column method- <br> regrouping. <br> (up to 3 digits) | Column method- <br> regrouping. <br> (up to 4 digits) | Column method- <br> regrouping. <br> (with more than 4 <br> digits) <br> (Decimals- with the <br> number and counting <br> on. | Column method- <br> regrouping. <br> (Decimals-with <br> different amounts <br> of decimal places) |
| Regrouping to make 10. |  |  |  |  |  |  |$\quad$| decimal places) |
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| Objective and Strategies | Concrete | Pictorial | Abstract |
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| Combining two parts to make a whole: partwhole model | Use cubes to add two numbers together as a group or in a bar. |  |  |
| Starting at the bigger number and counting on | Start with the larger number on the bead string and then count on to the smaller number 1 by 1 to find the answer. | $12+5=17$ <br> Start at the larger number on the number line and count on in ones or in one jump to find the answer. | $5+12=17$ <br> Place the larger number in your head and count on the smaller number to find your answer. |



| Objective and Strategies | Concrete | Pictorial | Abstract |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Adding three single digits | $4+7+6=17$ <br> Put 4 and 6 together to make 10 . Add on 7 . <br> Following on from making 10, make 10 with 2 of the digits (if possible) then add on the third digit. |  | $\begin{aligned} (4)+7+6 & =10+7 \\ & =17 \end{aligned}$ <br> Combine the two numbers that make 10 and then add on the remainder. |




## Progression in Calculations

Subtraction

|  | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
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| Subtraction | Taking away ones <br> Counting back <br> Find the difference <br> Part whole model <br> Make 10 | Counting back <br> Find the difference <br> Part whole model <br> Make 10 <br> Column method- <br> no regrouping | Column method <br> with regrouping. <br> (up to 3 digits) | Column method <br> with regrouping. <br> (up to 4 digits) | Column method <br> with regrouping. <br> (with more than 4 <br> digits) <br> (Decimals- with the <br> same amount of <br> decimal places) | Column method <br> with regrouping. <br> (Decimals- with <br> different amounts <br> of decimal places) |


| Objective and Strategies | Concrete | Pictorial | Abstract |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Taking away ones | Use physical objects, counters, cubes etc to show how objects can be taken away. $6-2=4$ | Cross out drawn objects to show what has been taken away. $15-3=12$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18-3=15 \\ & 8-2=6 \end{aligned}$ |
| Counting back | Make the larger number in your subtraction. Move the beads along your bead string as you count backwards in ones. <br> Use counters and move them away from the group as you take them away counting backwards as you go. | Count back on a number line or number track <br> Start at the bigger number and count back the smaller number showing the jumps on the number line. <br> This can progress all the way to counting back using two 2 digit numbers. | Put 13 in your head, count back 4 . What number are you at? Use your fingers to help. |



| Objective and Strategies | Concrete | Pictorial | Abstract |
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| Part Part Whole Model | Link to addition- use the part whole model to help explain the inverse between addition and subtraction. <br> If 10 is the whole and 6 is one of the parts. What is the other part? $10-6=$ | Úse a pictorial representation of objects to show the part part whole model. | Move to using numbers within the part whole model. |
| Make 10 | $14-5=$ <br> Make 14 on the ten frame. Take away the four first to make 10 and then takeaway one more so you have taken away 5. You are left with the answer of 9. | Start at 13. Take away 3 to reach 10 . Then take away the remaining 4 so you have taken away 7 altogether. You have reached your answer. | $16-8=$ <br> How many do we take off to reach the next 10? <br> How many do we have left to take off? |
| Column method without regrouping |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 47-24=23 \\ -\frac{40+7}{20+4} \\ \hline 20+3 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ <br> This will lead to a clear written column subtraction. $\begin{array}{r} 32 \\ -12 \\ \hline 20 \end{array}$ |


| Objective and Strategies | Concrete | Pictorial | Abstract |
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| Column method with regrouping | Use Base 10 to start with before moving on to place value counters. Start with one exchange before moving onto subtractions with 2 exchanges. <br> Make the larger number with the place value counters <br> Start with the ones, can I take away 8 from 4 easily? I need to exchange one of my tens for ten ones. | Draw the counters onto a place value grid and show what you have taken away by crossing the counters out as well as clearly showing the exchanges you make. <br> When confident, children can find their own way to record the exchange/regrouping. <br> Just writing the numbers as shown here shows that the child understands the method and knows when to exchange/regroup. | Children can start their formal written method by partitioning the number into clear place value columns. <br> Moving forward the children use a more compact method. |
|  | Now I can subtract my ones. <br> Now look at the tens, can I take away 8 tens easily? I need to exchange one hundred for ten tens. <br> Now I can take away eight tens and complete my subtraction <br> Show children how the concrete method links to the written method alongside your working. Cross out the numbers when exchanging and show where we write our new amount. |  | This will lead to an understanding of subtracting any number including decimals. |


|  | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
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| Multiplication | Doubling <br> Counting in multiples <br> Arrays (with support) | Doubling <br> Counting in <br> multiples <br> Repeated addition <br> Arrays- showing <br> commutative <br> multiplication | Counting in <br> multiples <br> Repeated addition <br> Arrays- showing <br> commutative <br> multiplication <br> Grid method | Column <br> multiplication | Column <br> multiplication <br> multiplied by 1 <br> digit) | Column <br> multiplication |
|  |  | (up to 4 digit <br> numbers multiplied <br> by 1 or 2 digits) | (multi digit up to 4 <br> digits by a 2 digit <br> number) |  |  |  |


| Objective and Strategies | Concrete | Pictorial | Abstract |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Doubling | Use practical activities to show how to double a number. | Draw pictures to show how to double a number. <br> Double 4 is 8 $\square$ $\square$ $\square$ $\square$ $\square$ $\square$ $\square$ $\square$ |  <br> Partition a number and then double each part before recombining it back together. |
| Counting in multiples | Count in multiples supported by concrete objects in equal groups. | Use a number line or pictures to continue support in counting in multiples. | Count in multiples of a number aloud. <br> Write sequences with multiples of numbers. $2,4,6,8,10$ $5,10,15,20,25,30$ |


| Repeated addition |  | There are 3 plotes. Each plate has 2 star bisoits on. How many bisouts are there? <br> 2 add 2 add 2 equals 6 $5+5+5=15$ | Write addition sentences to describe objects and pictures. |
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| Arrays- <br> showing commutative multiplication | Create arrays using counters/ cubes to show multiplication sentences. | Draw arrays in different rotations to find commutative multiplication sentences. <br> Link arrays to area of rectangles. | Use an array to write multiplication sentences and reinforce repeated addition. $\begin{aligned} & 5+5+5=15 \\ & 3+3+3+3+3=15 \\ & 5 \times 3=15 \\ & 3 \times 5=15 \end{aligned}$ |



|  | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
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| Division | Sharing objects into <br> groups <br> Division as grouping | Division as <br> grouping <br> Division within <br> arrays | Division within <br> arrays <br> Division with a <br> remainder <br> Short division (2 <br> digits by 1 digit- <br> concrete and <br> pictorial) | Division within <br> arrays <br> Division with a <br> remainder <br> Short division (up <br> to 3 digits by 1 <br> digit- concrete and <br> pictorial) | Short division <br> (up to 4 digits by a <br> 1 digit number <br> interpret <br> remainders <br> appropriately for <br> the context) | Short division <br> Long division <br> (up to 4 digits by a <br> 2 digit number- <br> interpret <br> remainders as <br> whole numbers, <br> fractions or round) |


| Objective and Strategies | Concrete | Pictorial | Abstract |
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| Sharing objects into groups | I have 10 cubes, can you share them equally in 2 groups? | Children use pictures or shapes to share quantities. | Share 9 buns between three people. $9 \div 3=3$ |
| Division as grouping | Divide quantities into equal groups. Use cubes, counters, objects or place value counters to aid understanding. $96+3=32$ | Use a number line to show jumps in groups. The number of jumps equals the number of groups. <br> Think of the bar as a whole. Split it into the number of groups you are dividing by and work out how many would be within each group. $\square$ $\begin{aligned} & 20 \div 5=? \\ & 5 \times ?=20 \end{aligned}$ | $28 \div 7=4$ <br> Divide 28 into 7 groups. How many are in each group? |



| Division with a remainder | $14 \div 3=$ <br> Divide objects between groups and see how much is left over | Jump forward in equal jumps on a number line then see how many more you need to jump to find a remainder. <br> Draw dots and group them to divide an amount and clearly show a remainder. | Complete written divisions and show the remainder using $r$. |
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| Short division |  Tens Units <br> 3 ${ }^{2}$  <br> 3 $\odot \odot \odot$ $\ominus$ <br> $\odot \odot \odot$ $\ominus$ <br> $\odot \odot$ $\ominus$  <br> Use place value counters to divide using the bus stop method alongside <br> $42 \div 3=$ <br> Start with the biggest place value, we are sharing 40 into three groups. We can put 1 ten in each group and we have 1 ten left over. <br> We exchange this ten for ten ones and then share the ones equally among the groups. <br> We look how much in 1 group so the answer is 14 . | Students can continue to use drawn diagrams with dots or circles to help them divide numbers into equal groups. <br> Encourage them to move towards counting in multiples to divide more efficiently. | Begin with divisions that divide equally with no remainder. <br> Move onto divisions with a remainder. <br> Finally move into decimal places to divide the total accurately. <br>  |


| Long division |  | Instead of using physical counters, students can draw the counters and circle the groups on a whiteboard or in their books. <br> Use this method to explain what is happening and as soon as they have understood what move on to the abstract method as this can be a time consuming process. |  |
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