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Mathematics - EYFS Development Matters (DM), Birth to 5 Matters (B25), NCETM Early Years Typical Progression and NC objectives for KS1.

Key Skills

To become fluent in the fundamentals of mathematics.

To be able to solve problems using a range of strategies.

To reason mathematically, following a line of enquiry.

Use mathematical language.



	Ladybirds Nursery:	Dragonflies Nursery:	Reception	Year 1: NC - POS	Year 2: NC - POS
	Birth to 3 years	3-4 Years			
Number			DM		Count in steps of 2, 3, and 5 from 0, and
(Number and	Take part in finger rhymes with numbers.	Develop fast recognition of up to 3 objects, without having to count them	Count objects, actions and sounds.	backwards, beginning with 0 or 1, or from any given number.	in tens from any number, forward and backward.
Place value)		individually ('subitising').	Subitise.	ang given namber.	backwara.
	making sounds, pointing or saying some	litatividually (subitishing).	Subitise.	Count, read and write numbers to 100 in	Recognise the place value of each digit is
		Recite numbers past 5.	Link the number symbol (numeral) with its		two-digit number (tens, ones).
	rumbers in sequence.	Recite Humbers past 5.	cardinal number value.	10s.	ewo aigit ramber (teris, ones).
	Count in everyday contexts, sometimes	Say one number for each item in order:	carattat tamber value.	1	l Identify, represent and estimate numbers
		1,2,3,4,5.	Count beyond ten.	Given a number, identify one more and one	
	I = 0 0 :	,,2,0,,,0.	Courte begona tert.		the number line.
	B25 - Range 3	Know that the last number reached when	Compare numbers		
	Comparison	counting a small set of objects tells you	Compare rumbers.	Identify and represent numbers using	Compare and order numbers from 0 up
			B25 – Range 6	objects and pictorial representations	100; use and = signs.
		principle').	Comparison	including the number line, and use the	,
	Counting		Uses number names and symbols when	language of: equal to, more than, less than	Read and write numbers to at least 100
		Show 'finger numbers' up to 5.	comparing numbers, showing interest in	3 3 3 7	numerals and in words.
	· May engage in counting-like behaviour,		large numbers.		
	making sounds and pointing or saying	Link numerals and amounts: for example,	La. ge manisers.	Read and write numbers from 1 to 20 in	Use place value and number facts to sol
		showing the right number of objects to	Estimates of numbers of things, showing	numerals and words.	problems.
		match the numeral, up to 5.	understanding of relative size.		
	Cardinality	·			
		Experiment with their own symbols and	Counting		
	and sometimes responds accurately when	marks as well as numerals.	Enjoys reciting numbers from 0 to 10		
	asked to give one or two things.		(and beyond) and back from 10 to 0.		
		B25 – Range 5			
	B25 - Range 4	Comparison	Increasingly confident at putting numerals		
	Counting	 Compares two small groups of up to 	in order 0 to 10 (ordinality).		
	· Begins to say numbers in order, some of				
		same number of objects in each group,	Cardinality		
		e.g. You've got two, I've got two. Same!	Engages in subitising numbers to four and		
	Cardinality (How many?)		maybe five.		
		Counting			
	two or three objects from a group.		Counts out up to 10 objects from a larger		

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		• May enjoy counting verbally as far as	group.		
	• Beginning to notice numerals (number	they can go.	Ĭ .		
	symbols).	· Points or touches (tags) each item,	· Matches the numeral with a group of		
		saying one number for each item, using	items to show how many there are (up to		
	Beginning to count on their fingers.	the stable order of 1,2,3,4,5.	10).		
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		· Uses some number names and number			
, [language within play, and may show	NCETM: Early Years Typical		
.]		fascination with large numbers.	Progression		
		Begin to recognise numerals 0 to 10.	Counting		
		Degit to recognise numerus o to 10.	Subitising.		
		Cardinality	Subtristing.		
		• Subitises one, two and three objects	Numaral magnings		
		(without counting).	Numeral meanings.		
		(without counting).	C		
		Counts up to five items recognising	Comparison		
		• Counts up to five items, recognising that the last number said represents the	More than/less than.		
		total counted so far (cardinal principle).	The said of the same of the sa		
		total counted so jar (carainal principle).	Identifying groups with the same number		
		Links numerals with amounts up to 5	of things.		
		and maybe beyond.	Comparing numbers and reasoning.		
		Fundamental and a state of the con-			
		• Explores using a range of their own			
		marks and signs to which they ascribe			
		mathematical meanings.			
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		NCETM: Early Years Typical			
		Progression			
		Counting			
		Saying number names in sequence.			
		L			
		Tagging each object with one number			
		word.			
		Subitising.			
		Knowing the last number counted gives			
		the total so far.			
Number	DM	DM		Read, write and interpret mathematical	Solve problems with addition and
(Addition and		f Solve real world mathematical problems		statements involving addition (+),	subtraction:
subtraction)	up to three items.	with numbers up to 5.	than' relationship between consecutive	subtraction (–) and equals (=) signs.	
			numbers.		Using concrete objects and pictorial
	Compare amounts, saying 'lots', 'more' or			Represent and use number bonds and	representations, including those involving
	'same'.	'more than', 'fewer than'.	Explore the composition of numbers to 10.	related subtraction facts within 20.	numbers, quantities and measures.

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B25 - Range 4

Comparison

 Beginning to compare and recognise changes in numbers of things, using words like more, lots or 'same'.

B25 - Range 5

Composition

 Through play and exploration, beginning to learn that numbers are made up (composed) of smaller numbers.

- Beginning to use understanding of number to solve practical problems in play and meaningful activities.
- Beginning to recognise that each counting number is one more than the one before.
- Separates a group of three or four objects in different ways, beginning to recognise that the total is still the same.

NCETM Early Years Typical Progression

Conservation — knowing that the number strategies of their own choice, including does not change if they are rearranged. (when appropriate) standard numerals,

Explore the composition of numbers to 10.

Automatically recall number bonds for numbers 0–5 and some to 10.

B25 – Range 6

Composition

- Shows awareness that numbers are made up (composed) of smaller numbers, exploring partitioning in different ways with a wide range of objects.
- Begins to conceptually subitise larger numbers by subitising smaller groups within the number, e.g. sees six raisins on a plate as three and three.
- In practical activities, adds one and subtracts one with numbers to 10.
- Begins to explore and work out mathematical problems, using signs and strategies of their own choice, including (when appropriate) standard numerals, tallies and "+" or "-".

NCETM Early Years Typical Progression

Comparison

Knowing the 'one more/one less than' relationship between counting numbers.

Composition

Part-whole — identifying smaller numbers within a number (conceptual subitising).

Inverse operations.

A number can be partitioned into different pairs of numbers.

A number can be partitioned into more than two numbers.

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.

Recognise that adding is the inverse of subtraction.

Applying their increasing knowledge of mental and written methods.

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-digit number and tens,
Two two-digit numbers,
Adding three one-digit numbers.

Show that addition of two numbers can be done in any order (commutative) and subtraction of one number from another cannot.

If ready: Confidently use column addition to add and subtract.

Estimate the answers to calculations. Know that adding is the inverse of subtraction.

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			Number bonds — knowing which pairs make a given number.		
Number (Multiplication and division)	N/A	N/A		Confidently count in 2,5 and 10 times tables. Solve one-step problems involving multiplication and division, by calculating the answer using concrete objects, pictorial representations and arrays with the support of the teacher.	Recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 2, 5 and 10 multiplication tables, including recognising odd and even numbers. Calculate mathematical statements for multiplication and division within the multiplication tables and write them using the multiplication (x), 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.
Number (Fractions and decimals)	N/A	N/A		Recognise, find and name a half as one of two equal parts of an object, shape or quantity.	Recognise, find, name and write fractions 1/3, 1/4, 2/4 and 3/4 of a length, shape, set of objects or quantity.
				Recognise, find and name a quarter as one of four equal parts of an object, shape or quantity.	6 = 3 and recognise the equivalence of 2/4 and 1/2 .
Measurement/	DM		DM	Compare, describe and solve practical	Choose and use appropriate standard units
Geometry	Combine objects like stacking blocks and cups. Put objects inside others and take them out again.	shapes (for example, circles, rectangles, triangles and cuboids) using informal and mathematical language: 'sides', 'corners';	Compose and decompose shapes so that	problems for: - Lengths and heights [for example, long/short, longer/shorter, tall/short,	to estimate and measure length/height in any direction (m/cm); mass (kg/g); temperature (°C); capacity (litres/ml) to the nearest appropriate unit, using rulers,
	Climb and squeeze themselves into different types of spaces.		children recognise a shape can have other shapes within it, just as numbers can.	double/half] - Mass/weight [for example,	scales, thermometers and measuring vessels.
	Build with a range of resources.	Understand position through words alone		heavy/light, heavier than, lighter	Compare and order lengths, mass,
	Complete inset puzzles.		patterns.	- Capacity and volume [for	volume/capacity and record the results using G, q and =.
	Compare sizes, weights etc. using gesture and language - 'bigger/little/smaller',	Describe a familiar route.	Compare length, weight and capacity.	example, full/empty, more than, less than, half, half full, quarter]	• '

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'high/low', 'tall', 'heavy'.

Notice patterns and arrange things in patterns.

B25 - Range 3

Spatial Awareness

- Enjoys filling and emptying containers.
- Investigates fitting themselves inside and moving through spaces.

Shape

- Pushes objects through different shaped holes, and attempts to fit shapes into spaces on inset boards or puzzles.
- Beginning to select a shape for a specific space.
- Enjoys using blocks to create their own simple structures and arrangements.

- Becoming familiar with patterns in daily repeating pattern.
- Joins in with and predicts what comes next in a story or rhyme.
- Beginning to arrange items in their own patterns, e.g. lining up toys.

B25 - Ranae 4

Spatial Awareness

- Moves their bodies and toys around objects and explores fitting into spaces.
- Begins to remember their way around amiliar environments.
- Responds to some spatial and positional Chooses items based on their shape language.

Discuss routes and locations, using words like 'in front of' and 'behind'.

Make comparisons between objects relating to size, length, weight and capacity.

Select shapes appropriately: flat surfaces for building, a triangular prism for a roof, etc.

Combine shapes to make new ones – an will look (spatial reasoning). arch, a bigger triangle, etc.

Talk about and identify the patterns around them. For example: stripes on clothes, designs on rugs and wallpaper. Use informal language like 'pointy', 'spotty', 'blobs', etc.

Extend and create ABAB patterns – stick, leaf, stick, leaf.

Notice and correct an error in a

Begin to describe a sequence of events, real or fictional, using words such as 'first', 'then...'

B25 - Range 5

Spatial Awareness

- Responds to and uses language of position and direction.
- Predicts, moves and rotates objects to fit the space or create the shape they would like.

Shape

which are appropriate for the child's

B25 - Range 6

Spatial Awareness

- Uses spatial language, including following Measure and begin to record the following and giving directions, using relative terms and describing what they see from different viewpoints.
- Investigates turning and flipping objects in order to make shapes fit and create models; predicting and visualising how they Recognise and know the value of different
- May enjoy making simple maps of familiar and imaginative environments, with landmarks.

- · Uses informal language and analogies, (e.g. heart-shaped and hand-shaped leaves), as well as mathematical terms to describe shapes.
- Enjoys composing and decomposing shapes, learning which shapes combine to make other shapes.
- Uses own ideas to make models of increasing complexity, selecting blocks needed, solving problems and visualisina what they will build.

Pattern

- Spots patterns in the environment, beginning to identify the pattern "rule".
- Chooses familiar objects to create and recreate repeating patterns beyond AB patterns and begins to identify the unit of repeat.

Measures

Time [for example, quicker, slower, earlier, later].

- Lengths and heights
- Mass/weight
- Capacity and volume
- Time (hours, minutes, seconds).

denominations of coins and notes.

Seguence events in chronological order using language [for example, before and after, next, first, today, yesterday, tomorrow, morning, afternoon and evening].

Recognise and use language relating to dates, including days of the week, weeks, months and years.

Tell the time to the hour and half past the hour and draw the hands on a clock face to show these times.

Recognise and name common 2-D and 3-D shapes, including:

- 2-D shapes [for example, rectangles (including squares), circles and triangles]
- 3-D shapes [for example, cuboids (including cubes), pyramids and spheres].

Describe position, direction and movement, including whole, half, guarter and three auarter turns.

Recognise and use symbols for pounds (£) and pence (p); combine amounts to make a particular value.

Find different combinations of coins that equal the same amounts of money.

Solve simple problems in a practical context involving addition and subtraction of money of the same unit, including giving

Compare and sequence intervals of time.

Tell and write the time to five minutes, including guarter past/to the hour and draw the hands on a clock face to show these times.

Know the number of minutes in an hour and the number of hours in a day

Identify and describe the properties of 2-D shapes, including the number of sides and line symmetry in a vertical line.

Identify and describe the properties of 3-D shapes, including the number of edges, vertices and faces.

Identify 2-D shapes on the surface of 3-D shapes, [for example, a circle on a cylinder and a triangle on a pyramid].

Compare and sort common 2-D and 3-D shapes and everyday objects.

order and arrange combinations of mathematical objects in patterns and sequences.

Use mathematical vocabulary to describe position, direction and movement, including movement in a straight line and

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, , , ,	Explores how things look from different		Enjoys tackling problems involving	distinguishing between rotation as a turn
	viewpoints including things that are near	· Responds to both informal language	prediction and discussion of comparisons of	and in terms of right angles for quarter,
	or far away.	and common shape names.	length, weight or capacity, paying	half and three-quarter turns (clockwise and
			attention to fairness and accuracy.	anticlockwise).
	Shape	 Shows awareness of shape similarities 	-	
·	Chooses puzzle pieces and tries to fit	and differences between objects.	Becomes familiar with measuring tools in	
t	them in.		everyday experiences and play.	
		 Enjoys partitioning and combining 		
†	Recognises that two objects have the		Is increasingly able to order and sequence	
S	same shape.	3D shapes.	events using everyday language related to	
			time.	
1	Makes simple constructions.	• Attempts to create arches and		
		enclosures when building, using trial and		
	Pattern	improvement to select blocks.	with timers and calendars.	
	Joins in and anticipates repeated sound			
	and action patterns.	Pattern		
	* · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	• Creates their own spatial patterns	L	
		showing some organisation or regularity.		
ļ t	the pattern of everyday routines.		Progression	
	M		Measures	
	Measures	patterns of two or three repeating items,		
[Explores differences in size, length,	e.g. stick, leaf (AB) or stick, leaf, stone (ABC).	quantities.	
	weight and capacity. Beginning to understand some talk			
	about immediate past and future.	Joins in with simple patterns in sounds,	Showing awareness of comparison in	
1		objects, games and stories dance and	estimating and predicting.	
	Beginning to anticipate times of the day		Campanina indinastly	
	such as mealtimes or home time.	movement, predicting what comes next.	Comparing indirectly.	
	such as meatures of nome time.	Measures	Recognising the relationship between size	
		• In meaningful contexts, finds the longer	and the number of units	
		or shorter, heavier or lighter and	und the number of units.	
			Beginning to use units to compare things.	
			beginning to use units to compare minigs.	
		• Recalls a sequence of events in	Beginning to experience specific time	
		everyday life and stories.	durations.	
			Shape and Space	
			Identifying similarities between shapes.	
		NCETM Early Years Typical		
		Progression	Describing properties of shape.	
		<u>Measures</u>		
		Recognising attributes.	Representing spatial relationships.	

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		Beginning to use time to sequence	Developing an awareness of relationships		
		events.	between shapes.		
			·		
		Shape and Space	<u>Pattern</u>		
		Developing spatial awareness:	Continuing an ABC pattern.		
		experiencing different viewpoints.	'		
		, , , , , , ,	Make their own AAB, ABBA patterns.		
		Developing spatial vocabulary.			
			Making a pattern which repeats around a		
		Shape awareness: developing shape	circle.		
		awareness through construction.			
			Making a pattern around a border with a		
		Showing awareness of properties of	fixed number of spaces.		
		shape.			
		'	Continuing a pattern which ends mid-unit.		
		Pattern	Spotting an error in an ABB pattern.		
		Continuing an AB pattern.			
		3 1	Symbolising the unit structure.		
		Copying an AB pattern.			
		13 3 1	Generalising structures to another context		
		Make their own AB pattern.	or mode.		
		·			
		Identifying the unit of repeat.	Making a pattern which repeats around a		
		33 3 1	circle.		
		Spotting patterns around us.			
		Spotting an error in an AB pattern.	Making a pattern around a border with a		
			fixed number of spaces.		
Statistics	N/A	N/A	Link the number symbol (numeral) with its	N/A	Interpret and construct simple pictograms,
				STMI	tally charts, block diagrams and simple
			different ways children might record	Begin to: Answer simple questions by	tables.
				counting the number of objects in each	
			such as tallies. STMI – compare results.	quantity, e.g of a Tally chart made by the	Ask and answer simple questions by
				teacher of class votes.	counting the number of objects in each
			STMI: Begin to: compare votes using cubes		category and sorting the categories by
			in two towers using language of more and		quantity.
				totaling data collated by the teacher.	, ,
			_		Ask and answer questions about totaling
					and comparing categorical data.
					Ask and answer questions about totaling

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EYFS end of Reception ELGs (Statutory from September 2021):

Statutory ELG: Number

Children at the expected level of development will:

- Have a deep understanding of number to 10, including the composition of each number; Subitise (recognise quantities without counting) up to 5;
- Automatically recall (without reference to rhymes, counting or other aids) number bonds up to 5 (including subtraction facts) and some number bonds to 10, including double facts.

Statutory ELG: Numerical Patterns

Children at the expected level of development will:

- Verbally count beyond 20, recognising the pattern of the counting system;
- Compare quantities up to 10 in different contexts, recognising when one quantity is greater than, less than or the same as the other quantity;
- Explore and represent patterns within numbers up to 10, including evens and odds, double facts and how quantities can be distributed equally.

Statutory Educational Programme: Mathematics

In addition, it is important that the curriculum includes rich opportunities for children to develop their spatial reasoning skills across all areas of mathematics including shape, space and measures. It is important that children develop positive attitudes and interests in mathematics, look for patterns and relationships, spot connections, 'have a go', talk to adults and peers about what they notice and not be afraid to make mistakes.

End of KS1: Teacher Assessment

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Working towards the expected standard

The pupil can:

- · read and write numbers in numerals up to 100
- partition a two-digit number into tens and ones to demonstrate an understanding of place value, though they may use structured resources' to support them
- add and subtract two-digit numbers and ones, and two-digit numbers and tens, where no regrouping is required, explaining their method verbally, in pictures or using apparatus (e.g. 23 + 5; 46 + 20; 16 - 5; 88 - 30)
- recall at least four of the six³ number bonds for 10 and reason about associated facts (e.g. 6 + 4 = 10, therefore 4 + 6 = 10 and 10 - 6 = 4)
- . count in twos, fives and tens from 0 and use this to solve problems
- · know the value of different coins
- name some common 2-D and 3-D shapes from a group of shapes or from pictures of the shapes and describe some of their properties (e.g. triangles, rectangles, squares, circles, cuboids, cubes, pyramids and spheres).



¹ For example, base 10 apparatus.

² Key number bonds to 10 are: 0+10, 1+9, 2+8, 3+7, 4+6, 5+5.

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Working at the expected standard

The pupil can:

- read scales* in divisions of ones, twos, fives and tens
- partition any two-digit number into different combinations of tens and ones, explaining their thinking verbally, in pictures or using apparatus
- add and subtract any 2 two-digit numbers using an efficient strategy, explaining their method verbally, in pictures or using apparatus (e.g. 48 + 35; 72 – 17)
- recall all number bonds to and within 10 and use these to reason with and calculate bonds to and within 20, recognising other associated additive relationships (e.g. If 7 + 3 = 10 then 17 + 3 = 20; if 7 3 = 4 then 17 3 = 14; leading to if 14 + 3 = 17, then 3 + 14 = 17, 17 14 = 3 and 17 3 = 14)
- recall multiplication and division facts for 2, 5 and 10 and use them to solve simple problems, demonstrating an understanding of commutativity as necessary
- identify 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, of a number or shape, and know that all parts must be equal parts of the
 whole
- · use different coins to make the same amount
- read the time on a clock to the nearest 15 minutes
- name and describe properties of 2-D and 3-D shapes, including number of sides, vertices, edges, faces and lines of symmetry.
- * The scale can be in the form of a number line or a practical measuring situation.

Working at greater depth

The pupil can:

- read scales* where not all numbers on the scale are given and estimate points in between
- recall and use multiplication and division facts for 2, 5 and 10 and make deductions outside known multiplication facts
- use reasoning about numbers and relationships to solve more complex problems and explain their thinking (e.g. 29 + 17 = 15 + 4 +

 ; 'together Jack and Sam have £14. Jack has £2 more than Sam. How much money does Sam have?' etc)
- solve unfamiliar word problems that involve more than one step (e.g. 'which has the most biscuits, 4 packets of biscuits with 5 in each packet or 3 packets of biscuits with 10 in each packet?')
- read the time on a clock to the nearest 5 minutes
- describe similarities and differences of 2-D and 3-D shapes, using their properties (e.g. that two different 2-D shapes both have only one line of symmetry; that a cube and a cuboid have the same number of edges, faces and vertices, but different dimensions).



^{*} The scale can be in the form of a number line or a practical measuring situation.