EYFS Maths Workshop 22.2.18





What is expected and when?

Development Matters

Mathematics: Numbers					
	A Unique Child: observing what a child is learning	Positive Relationships: what adults could do	Enabling Environments: what adults could provide		
30-50 months	 Uses some number names and number language spontaneously. Uses some number names accurately in play. Recites numbers in order to 10. Knows that numbers identify how many objects are in a set. Beginning to represent numbers using fingers, marks on paper or pictures. Sometimes matches numeral and quantity correctly. Shows curiosity about numbers by offering comments or asking questions. Compares two groups of objects, saying when they have the same number. Shows an interest in number problems. Separates a group of three or four objects in different ways, beginning to recognise that the total is still the same. Shows an interest in numerals in the environment. Shows an interest in representing numbers. Realises not only objects, but anything can be counted, including steps, claps or jumps. 	 Use number language, e.g. 'one', 'two', 'three', 'lots', 'fewer', 'hundreds', 'how many?' and 'count' in a variety of situations. Support children's developing understanding of abstraction by counting things that are not objects, such as hops, jumps, clicks or claps. Model counting of objects in a random layout, showing the result is always the same as long as each object is only counted once. Model and encourage use of mathematical language e.g. asking questions such as 'How many saucepans will fit on the shelf?' Help children to understand that one thing can be shared by number of pieces, e.g. a pizza. As you read number stories or rhymes, ask e.g. 'When one more frog jumps in, how many will there be in the pool altogether?' Use pictures and objects to illustrate counting songs, rhymes and number stories. Encourage children to use mark-making to support their thinking about numbers and simple problems. Talk with children about the strategies they are using, e.g. to work out a solution to a simple problem by using fingers or counting aloud. 	 Give children a reason to count, e.g. by asking them to select enough wrist bands for three friends to play with the puppets. Enable children to note the 'missing set', e.g. 'There are none left' when sharing things out. Provide number labels for children to use, e.g. by putting a number label on each bike and a corresponding number on each parking space. Include counting money and change in role-play games. Create opportunities for children to separate objects into unequal groups as well as equal groups. Provide story props that children can use in their play, e.g. varieties of fruit and several baskets like Handa's in the story Handa's Surprise by Eileen Browne. 		
40-60+ months	 Recognises some numerals of personal significance. Recognises numerals 1 to 5. Counts up to three or four objects by saying one number name for each item. Counts actions or objects which cannot be moved. Counts objects to 10, and beginning to count beyond 10. Counts out up to six objects from a larger group. 	 Encourage estimation, e.g. estimate how many sandwiches to make for the picnic. Encourage use of mathematical language, e.g. number names to ten: 'Have you got enough to give me three?' Ensure that children are involved in making displays, e.g. making their own pictograms of lunch choices. Develop this as a 3D representation using bricks and discuss the most popular choices. Add numerals to all areas of learning and development, e.g. to a display of a favourite story, such as 'The Three Billy Goats Gruff'. 	 Provide collections of interesting things for children to sort, order, count and label in their play. Display numerals in purposeful contexts, e.g. a sign showing how many children can play on a number track. Use tactile numeral cards made from sandpaper, velvet or string. Create opportunities for children to experiment with a number of objects, the written numeral and the written number word. Develop this through matching activities with a range of numbers, numerals and a selection of objects. 		

Numbers

- Recite number names
- Count using one number for one thing (object, action)
- Recognise numerals
- Find one more or one less
- Begin addition
- Begin subtraction
- Begin doubling
- Begin halving



Ways to support counting



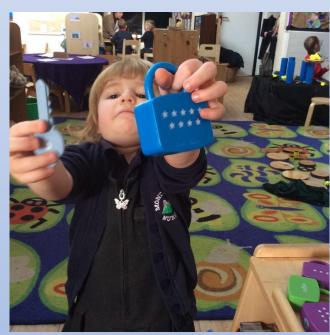




Ways to support numeral recognition







Ways to support addition

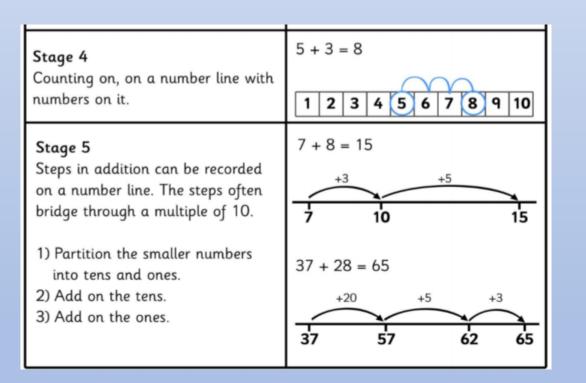








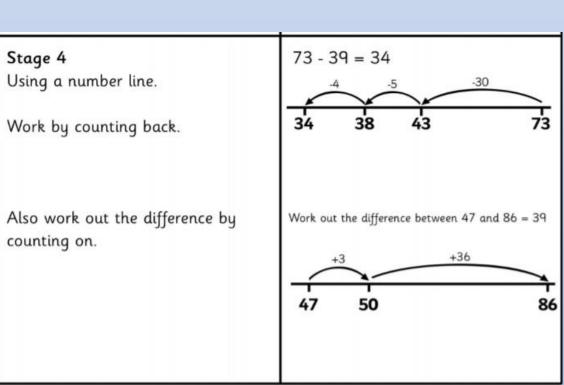
The different stages	Examples	
Stage 1 Counting sets of objects		
Stage 2 Combining two sets of objects into one group and counting practically.	For 5 + 3 the children may get 5 objects, and then 3 more and count how many altogether.	
Stage 3 Drawing dots - informal jottings. Then counting how many altogether.	3 + 5 = 8 ••• + ••••	



Ways to support subtraction



The different stages	Examples	
Stage 1 Practically get a group of objects together and then take some away.		
Stage 2 Jottings - draw a set of marks, and then cross some out.	12 - 5 = 7	
Stage 3 Count back on a number line with numbers already on it.	12 - 3 = 9	



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