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Unit 1: Whole Numbers (1)

| Week | Learning Objectives | Thinking Skills |
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| 1 | (1) Numbers to 100000 <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - recognise that 10 thousands $=1$ ten thousand <br> - translate 5 -digit numbers from: <br> (i) numerals and words to place value models <br> (ii) numerals to words <br> (iii) words to numerals <br> - recognise that 10 ten thousands = 1 hundred thousand <br> - state the place and value of each digit in a 5-digit number <br> - write a number as the sum of the values of each digit in the number | - Comparing <br> - Sequencing <br> - Identifying relationships |
| 1-2 | (2) Comparing numbers within 100000 <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - compare and order numbers up to 100000 <br> - state how much more or less one number is than another <br> - find the pattern in a number sequence | - Comparing <br> - Sequencing <br> - Identifying relationships |
| 2 | Let's Explore! <br> The Let's Explore! task enables pupils to explore the patterns in sequences of numbers given in a table. <br> Maths Journal <br> This Maths Journal enables pupils to: <br> - express their understanding of how numbers are ordered <br> - explain the process of comparing two numbers <br> - recognise that a sequence of numbers can have more than one pattern <br> - express their understanding of numbers by describing the number in terms of its digits | - Comparing |
| 2 | Put On Your Thinking Caps! <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - write the number by looking at the patterns provided and applying place value concepts <br> - mark numbers on a number line between: <br> (i) 10000 and 20000 <br> (ii) 16500 and 16600 | - Spatial visualisation <br> - Comparing |

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Unit 2: Whole Numbers (2)

| Week | Learning Objectives | Thinking Skills |
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| 2 | (1) Rounding numbers to the nearest ten <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - use the number line representation to round numbers to the nearest ten <br> - use the symbol $\approx$ to show a number has been approximated or rounded to the nearest ten <br> - make a list of whole numbers that can round to a number | - Comparing <br> - Applying ordering skills and place value concepts |
| 2 | (2) Rounding numbers to the nearest hundred <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - use the number line representation to round numbers to the nearest hundred <br> - use the symbol $\approx$ to show a number has been approximated or rounded to the nearest hundred <br> - make a list of numbers that can round to a number | - Comparing <br> - Applying ordering skills and place value concepts |
| 2-3 | (3) Estimation <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - use the 'rounding' strategy to estimate the answers in calculations involving addition, subtraction, multiplication and division <br> - estimate to check the reasonableness of their answers by rounding the numbers in calculations involving addition, subtraction, multiplication and division | - Comparing <br> - Applying rounding skills <br> - Mental calculation |

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| 3 | (4) Factors <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - state that if $a \div b=c$, where $a, b$ and $c$ are whole numbers, then $b$ is a factor of $a$ <br> - determine if a 1 -digit whole number is a factor of another whole number by division <br> - recognise that if $c=a \times b$, then $a$ and $b$ are factors of $c$, where $a, b$ and $c$ are whole numbers <br> - list the factors of a whole number (up to 100) <br> - identify the common factors of two whole numbers <br> - determine if a 1-digit number is a common factor of two numbers <br> Let's Explore! <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - discover that even numbers are divisible by 2 <br> - discover that numbers with 0 or 5 in the ones place are divisible by 5 <br> Maths Journal <br> Pupils will be able to show their understanding of the concept of factors by explaining how to find the common factors of two numbers. | - Identifying relationships <br> - Applying multiplication and division facts |
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| 3-4 | (5) Multiples <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - state that a multiple of a whole number is a product of this whole number and another whole number <br> - determine if a whole number is a multiple of another 1 -digit whole number by division <br> - list the first 12 multiples of a given 1-digit whole number <br> - identify the common multiples of two or three 1-digit whole numbers <br> - relate the concepts of 'factors' and 'multiples' | - Identifying relationships <br> - Applying multiplication and division facts |
| 4 | Put On Your Thinking Caps! <br> Pupils will be able to use the strategies for eliminating options and make a list/table to solve these problems. | Heuristics for problem solving: <br> - Eliminating options <br> - Making a systematic list |
|  | Review 1 |  |

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## Unit 3: Whole Numbers (3)

| Week | Learning Objectives | Thinking Skills |
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| 4 | (1) Multiplication by a 1-digit number <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - use the procedures in multiplication to multiply whole numbers (up to 4 digits) by a 1-digit number with or without regrouping <br> - use an alternative method to multiply whole numbers (up to 4 digits) by a 1-digit number <br> - estimate the product of a 4-digit whole number and a 1-digit whole number to determine whether the answer is reasonable <br> Let's Explore! <br> Pupils will be able to show their understanding of multiplication through the discussion of mistakes in the calculations shown. | - Applying multiplication facts, place value concepts and rounding skills |
| 5 | (2) Multiplication by a 2-digit number <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - use the procedures in multiplication to multiply a whole number (up to 3 digits) by 10 or tens using two different methods with or without regrouping <br> - multiply a whole number (2 or 3 digits) by another 2-digit whole number with or without regrouping <br> - estimate the product of a 2- or 3-digit whole number and a 2-digit whole number to determine whether the answer is reasonable <br> Let's Explore! <br> Pupils will be able to show their understanding of multiplication through the discussion of mistakes in the calculations shown. <br> Maths Journal <br> Pupils will be able to show their understanding of the multiplication procedure by listing the steps to follow. | - Applying multiplication facts, place value concepts and rounding skills |

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| 5 | (3) Division by a 1-digit number <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - use the procedures in division to divide a whole number (up to 4 digits) by a 1-digit number with or without <br> regrouping and without remainder <br> use the procedures in division to divide a whole number (up to 4 digits) by a 1-digit number with or without <br> regrouping and with remainder <br> estimate the quotient when a whole number (up to 4 digits) is divided by a 1-digit whole number to determine <br> whether the answer is reasonable <br> Let's Explore! <br> Pupils will be able to see how estimation can be used to determine whether their answers are reasonable. | • Applying division facts, place <br> value concepts and rounding <br> skills |
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| 6 | (4) Word problems <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - solve up to three-step whole number word problems involving the four operations <br> - use model drawing and the unitary method to solve word problems <br> use part-whole, comparison, adding on or taking away model drawings to solve word problems <br> Let's Explore! <br> Pupils will be able to look for a pattern to solve the problem and to predict future outcomes based on the pattern. | Translating verbal statements to <br> models |
| 6 | Put On Your Thinking Caps! <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> apply estimation skills <br> - use the strategy of drawing a model/diagram to solve the problems | Heuristic for problem solving: <br> - Looking for a pattern |

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## Unit 4: Tables and Line Graphs

| Week | Learning Objectives | Thinking Skills |
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| 6 | (1) Presenting and interpreting data in a table <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - collect data and enter the data into a table <br> - use tallies to collect data using a table <br> - read and interpret simple data presented in a table involving terms such as 'more than', 'less than', 'the most' and 'the least', etc. <br> - transfer data from a graph to a table | - Interpreting <br> - Comparing <br> - Translating a graph into a table |
| 7 | (2) More tables <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - read and interpret more complex data presented in a table <br> - complete a table and interpret the data <br> - collect data and present the data in a table | - Interpreting <br> - Comparing |
| 7-8 | (3) Line graphs <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - use the strategy to read and interpret line graphs <br> - transfer data from a table to a line graph <br> - read and interpret line graphs with different scales <br> - read the values on the $y$-axis and $x$-axis given a point on the graph <br> - complete a table by reading the graph <br> - recognise the relationship between two values <br> Maths Journal <br> Pupils will be able to demonstrate their understanding of or difficulty with the concepts, skills and processes they have learnt in this topic. | - Identifying relationships <br> - Comparing |
| 8 | Put on Your Thinking Caps! <br> Pupils will be able to read and compare two different tables simultaneously. | - Comparing <br> - Identifying relationships |
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Unit 5: Fractions

| Week | Learning Objectives | Thinking Skills |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | (1) Mixed numbers <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - express the sum of a whole number and a proper fraction as a mixed number <br> - interpret region models of mixed numbers <br> - read and interpret mixed numbers on a number line <br> - draw region models of mixed numbers <br> - mark mixed numbers on a number line <br> - reduce the fractional part of a mixed number to its simplest form | - Translating pictorial representations of mixed numbers to symbolic representations and vice versa |
| 1 | (2) Improper fractions <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - interpret an improper fraction as an extension of a proper fraction <br> - express region models of a mixed number as an improper fraction <br> - read and interpret improper fractions on a number line <br> - draw region models of improper fractions <br> - mark improper fractions on a number line <br> - reduce improper fractions to their simplest form | - Translating pictorial representations of improper fractions to symbolic representations and vice versa |
| 1-2 | (3) Conversion of fractions <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - convert an improper fraction to a mixed number by separating it into a whole and part of a whole <br> - convert an improper fraction to a mixed number by division <br> - convert a mixed number to an improper fraction by multiplication | - Relating improper fractions to mixed numbers |
| 2 | (4) Adding and subtracting fractions <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - add two or three related fractions <br> - subtract two related fractions <br> - subtract a fraction from a whole number <br> - find equivalent fractions of a given fraction | - Translating verbal statements to models and fraction operations |

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## Unit 6: Angles

| Week | Learning Objectives | Thinking Skills |
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| 4 | (1) Understanding angles <br> Naming angles <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - state that an angle is made when two straight lines meet at a point (or vertex) <br> - use three ways of naming an angle as $\angle \mathrm{ABC}, \angle \mathrm{CBA}$ or $\angle x$ <br> Measuring angles <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - state that an angle is measured in degrees $\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ <br> - measure angles (up to $180^{\circ}$ ) with a protractor <br> - use the outer scale and the inner scale of the protractor discriminately <br> - compare angles and state whether an angle is greater or smaller than a right angle <br> - estimate the size of an angle <br> - estimate if an angle is a right angle, smaller than a right angle or greater than a right angle | - Comparing <br> - Spatial visualisation |
| 4 | (2) Drawing angles to $180^{\circ}$ <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - draw an angle (up to $180^{\circ}$ ) using a protractor and ruler <br> - draw an angle at a point on a line in two ways using a protractor and ruler | - Spatial visualisation |
| 4 | (3) Turns and right angles <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - associate a $1 / 4$ turn with $90^{\circ}$ or 1 right angle <br> - associate a $1 / 2$ turn with $180^{\circ}$ or 2 right angles <br> - associate a $3 / 4$ turn with $270^{\circ}$ or 3 right angles <br> - associate a complete turn with $360^{\circ}$ or 4 right angles | - Spatial visualisation <br> - Comparing <br> - Identifying relationships |
| 5 | (4) 8-point compass <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - name these 8 directions on the compass: north (N), south (S), east (E), west (W), north-east (NE), north-west (NW), south-east (SE), south-west (SW) <br> - state that the angle between any two adjacent directions above is $45^{\circ}$ <br> - recognise the direction of a turn as clockwise or anticlockwise <br> - state the direction of a place, person or object with respect to a given north <br> - state the direction faced after turning through an angle from a given direction <br> - locate or name the direction of a place in relationship to a person or object | - Spatial visualisation <br> - Comparing <br> - Identifying relationships |

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|  | - locate a point or name the position of the point on a square grid in relationship to another point |  |
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| 5 | Put On Your Thinking Caps! <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> • interpret the result of two turns made one after another <br> - work backwards by reversing the directions of the steps taken to solve the problemReview 3 | - Comparial visualisation <br> - Induction <br> Heuristic for problem solving: <br> - Work backwards |

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Unit 7: Perpendicular and Parallel Lines

| Week | Learning Objectives | Thinking Skills |
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| 5 | (1) Drawing perpendicular lines <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - draw perpendicular lines using a ruler and a set-square <br> - draw a perpendicular line that passes through a given point outside the line using a ruler and a set-square <br> - draw lines perpendicular to a given line on grid lines without using a set-square | - Spatial visualisation <br> - Identifying relationships |
| 6 | (2) Drawing parallel lines <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - draw parallel lines using a set-square and a ruler <br> - draw a parallel line that passes through a given point outside the line using a ruler and a set-square | - Spatial visualisation <br> - Identifying relationships |
| 6 | (3) Horizontal and vertical lines <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - identify horizontal and vertical lines <br> - state that a vertical line is perpendicular to a horizontal line it meets | - Spatial visualisation <br> - Identifying relationships |
| 6 | Put On Your Thinking Caps! <br> Pupils will be able to relate the drawing of perpendicular lines to the properties of a rectangle. | - Spatial visualisation <br> Heuristic for problem solving: <br> - Act it out |

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## Unit 8: Squares and Rectangles

| Week | Learning Objectives | Thinking Skills |
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| 7 | (1) Squares and rectangles <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - state that a square has four equal sides and four right angles <br> - state that the opposite sides of a square are parallel <br> - state that the opposite sides of a rectangle are equal and parallel <br> - state that a rectangle has four right angles <br> - differentiate a square from a rectangle and vice versa <br> - solve simple geometrical problems using properties of squares and rectangles <br> Let's Explore! <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - apply their knowledge of the properties of squares and rectangles to construct all possible squares and rectangles using straws of given lengths <br> - create different composite shapes with a square and a rectangle | - Identifying relationships <br> - Spatial visualisation |
| 7 | (2) More on squares and rectangles <br> Pupils will be able to find unknown angles and sides of squares and rectangles. | - Identifying relationships <br> - Spatial visualisation |
| 7 | Put On Your Thinking Caps! <br> These questions enable pupils to use the strategies for acting out and drawing a diagram to solve the questions. | - Identifying relationships <br> Heuristics for problem solving: <br> - Act it out <br> - Draw a diagram |
|  | Review 4 Revision 1 |  |

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Unit 9: Decimals (1)

| Week | Learning Objectives | Thinking Skills |
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| 1 | (1) Understanding tenths <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - read and write tenths as decimals (1 decimal place) <br> - represent and interpret tenths in region, number line and place value models <br> - recognise that 10 tenths $=1$ one <br> - write a fraction with denominator 10 as a decimal | - Translating decimal representation to models and vice versa <br> - Translating fraction statements and verbal statements to decimals <br> - Relating number line representation to decimals <br> - Applying place value concepts |
| 1 | (2) Understanding hundredths <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - read and write hundredths as decimals (2 decimal places) <br> - represent and interpret hundredths in region, number line and place value models <br> - recognise that 10 hundredths $=1$ tenth <br> - write a fraction with denominator 100 as a decimal | - Translating decimal representation to models and vice versa <br> - Translating fraction statements and verbal statements to decimals <br> - Relating number line representation to decimals <br> - Applying place value concepts |
| 1-2 | (3) Understanding thousandths <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - read and write thousandths as decimals (3 decimal places) <br> - represent and interpret thousandths in region, number line and place value models <br> - recognise that 10 thousandths $=1$ hundredth <br> - write a fraction with denominator 1000 as a decimal | - Translating decimal representation to models and vice versa <br> - Translating fraction statements and verbal statements to decimals <br> - Relating number line representation to decimals <br> - Applying place value concepts |
| 2 | (4) Comparing decimals <br> Pupils will be able to compare and order decimals. <br> Let's Explore! <br> This activity enables pupils to explore how inserting a zero in a decimal affects its value. | - Comparing <br> - Applying place value concepts |

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| 2 | (5) Rounding decimals <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - round decimals to the nearest whole number <br> - round decimals to the nearest tenth or 1 decimal place <br> - round decimals to the nearest hundredth or 2 decimal places <br> Let's Explore! <br> These tasks enable pupils to do the reverse of rounding. They need to reverse their thinking process to find the possible numbers which can be rounded to a given value. | - Applying ordering skills and place value concepts <br> - Applying rounding skills to practical problems |
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| 2-3 | (6) Fractions and decimals <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - express a fraction (whose denominator is a factor of 10 or 100 ) as a decimal by changing the denominator to 10 or 100 <br> - express a decimal as a fraction in its simplest form <br> Maths Journal <br> This Maths Journal enables pupils to explain why the procedure Peter and Miya use in comparing decimals is incorrect. | - Applying concept of equivalent fractions <br> - Translating fractions to decimals and vice versa <br> - Comparing <br> - Inductive reasoning |
| 3 | Put On Your Thinking Caps! <br> Pupils will be able to use tenths and hundredths for estimating lengths. | - Analysing parts and wholes <br> - Comparing |

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Unit 10: Decimals (2)

| Week | Learning Objectives | Thinking Skills |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3 | (1) Addition <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - regroup decimals <br> - add decimals up to 2 decimal places | - Recalling addition facts <br> - Applying place value relationships |
| 3 | (2) Subtraction <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - regroup decimals <br> - subtract decimals up to 2 decimal places <br> - subtract a decimal up to 2 decimal places from a whole number | - Recalling subtraction facts <br> - Applying place value relationships |
| 4 | (3) Word problems <br> Pupils will be able to solve up to two-step word problems involving addition and subtraction of decimals. | - Applying concepts of addition and subtraction <br> - Translating verbal statements to models and/or number sentences |
| 4 | (4) Multiplication <br> Pupils will be able to multiply decimals up to 2 decimal places by a 1 -digit whole number. | - Recalling multiplication facts <br> - Applying place value concepts |
| 4 | (5) Division <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - divide decimals up to 2 decimal places by a 1 -digit whole number <br> - round quotients to 1 or 2 decimal places | - Recalling division facts <br> - Applying place value concepts <br> - Applying rounding skills |
| 5 | (6) Estimation of decimals <br> Pupils will be able to estimate the answers in calculations involving addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. | - Applying rounding skills <br> - Mental calculation |
| 5 | (7) Word problems <br> Pupils will be able to solve up to two-step word problems involving multiplication and division of decimals. | - Applying concepts of multiplication and division <br> - Translating verbal statements to models and/or number sentences <br> - Identifying relationships |

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| 5 | Let's Explore! <br> Let's Explore! enables pupils to find the possible combinations of 5p and 20p coins which add up to £1•15. <br> Maths Journal <br> Maths Journal enables pupils to use their creativity to write a word problem from given information. |  |
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| 5 | Put On Your Thinking Caps! <br> Pupils will be able to use the strategy of 'guess and check' to solve these questions. | Heuristic for problem solving: <br> - Guess and check |
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## Unit 11: Time

| Week | $\quad$ Learning Objectives | Thinking Skills |
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| 6 | (1) Seconds <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> ( state that 60 seconds $=1$ minute <br> - use seconds to measure duration <br> - estimate duration in seconds |  |
| 6 | (2) 24-hour clock <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - write the time using the 24-hour clock <br> ( convert time from the 12-hour clock to the 24-hour clock and vice versa <br> - find the duration between two given times using the 24-hour clock <br> find the starting/ending time given the duration and the ending/starting time <br> Maths Journal <br> - Maths Journal enables pupils to make practical use of the 24-hour clock to record their daily activities. <br> - Maths Journal enables pupils to express their understanding of or difficulty with the concepts, skills and <br> processes they have learnt in this topic. | - Identifying relationships |
| 6 | Put On Your Thinking Caps! <br> This Put On Your Thinking Caps! question enables pupils to apply the strategy of using a diagram (a time line) to <br> solve the problem. | - Identifying relationships <br> - Sequencistic for problem solving: |

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## Unit 12: Area and Perimeter

| Week | Learning Objectives | Thinking Skills |
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| 1 | (1) Rectangles and squares <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - recall the formulas to find the perimeter and area of a square and a rectangle <br> - use the formula that the sum of the length and width of a rectangle is half of its perimeter <br> - find the length or width of a rectangle given its perimeter and the width or length respectively <br> - find the side of a square given its perimeter <br> - find the length or width of a rectangle given its area and the width or length respectively <br> - find the side of a square given its area | - Applying concepts of perimeter and area <br> - Relating addition to subtraction and multiplication to division <br> - Identifying relationships <br> - Spatial visualisation |
| 1 | Let's Explore! <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - investigate whether there is any relationship between the area and the perimeter of a rectangle <br> - determine how the area of a rectangle changes when the length or width is changed |  |
| 1-2 | (2) Composite shapes <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - find the perimeter of a composite shape made up of squares and/or rectangles <br> - find the area of a composite shape made up of squares and/or rectangles <br> - visualise that a composite shape can be dissected into two or more shapes | - Comparing <br> - Spatial visualisation <br> - Applying concepts of perimeter and area to composite shapes |

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| 2 | (3) Solving word problems <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - solve word problems involving composite shapes <br> - apply the strategy 'whole - parts = parts' when solving problems <br> - visualise new and old shapes when a shape has been folded <br> Let's Explore! <br> Pupils will be able to visualise that some parts (length or width) do not change when a rectangular piece of paper is folded in a certain way. <br> Maths Journal <br> In Maths Journal, pupils will be able to recall the skills that they have learnt in this topic. | - Translating verbal statements to diagrammatic representation <br> - Visualising 'part-whole' relationships |
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| 2 | Put On Your Thinking Caps! <br> In Put On Your Thinking Caps! pupils will be able to use the strategies of making a list/table for problems a and d, and drawing a diagram for problem $\mathbf{b}$. | - Spatial visualisation <br> - Comparing <br> Heuristics for problem solving: <br> - Make a systematic list <br> - Draw a diagram <br> - Simplify the problem <br> - Act it out |
|  | Review 6 |  |

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## Unit 13: Symmetry

| Week | Learning Objectives | Thinking Skills |
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| 2-3 | (1) Identifying symmetrical shapes <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - recognise symmetrical shapes <br> - demonstrate whether a shape is symmetrical by folding paper | - Spatial visualisation <br> - Comparing |
| 3 | (2) Identifying lines of symmetry <br> Pupils will be able to determine whether a straight line is a line of symmetry of a shape. | - Spatial visualisation <br> - Comparing |
| 3 | (3) Making symmetrical shapes and patterns <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - cut out a symmetrical shape from a folded piece of paper <br> - use a symmetrical shape to make a pattern <br> - complete a symmetrical shape or pattern using a given line of symmetry <br> Let's Explore! <br> This task enables pupils to explore how symmetrical patterns can be created on square grid paper using a given line of symmetry. | - Comparing |
| 3 | Put On Your Thinking Caps! <br> These questions enable pupils to make use of the strategies of looking for patterns and acting it out to solve them. | - Spatial visualisation <br> Heuristics for problem solving: <br> - Look for a pattern <br> - Act it out |

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## Unit 14: Tessellations

| Week | Learning Objectives | Thinking Skills |
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| 4 | (1) Identifying tessellations <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - recognise a tessellation <br> - identify the unit shape used in a tessellation <br> Let's Explore! <br> Let's Explore! enables pupils to find out whether all triangles can tessellate. | • Spatial visualisation |
| $4-5$ | (2) More tessellations <br> Pupils will be able to: <br> - tessellate a given unit shape in different ways <br> - create a new tessellating shape from a given shape which tessellates | • Spatial visualisation |
| 5 | Put On Your Thinking Caps! <br> Put On Your Thinking Caps! enables pupils to discover that all four-sided <br> shapes can tessellate. <br> Maths Journal <br> Maths Journal enables pupils to express whether they have mastered the <br> concepts, skills and processes of this topic. | Heuristic for problem solving: <br> •Act it out |
|  | Review <br> Revision 2 |  |

