

Parkwood Primary's Calculation Policy (Subtraction)

























	Subtract with up to four-digit numbers using a formal written methods using
	column subtraction (three-digit number subtract a two-digit number with one
	exchange)
	From Year 3 onwards, children should be actively encouraged to make an estimate
	before calculating.
	Estimate Calculate Check
	2453 - 542 =
	Estimate: 2400 = 500= 1900
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	Any gaps should be filled with a place holder (0)
	Children should be exposed to a variety of questions that involve numbers made up of
	a different number of digits (up to 4 digits) and it should be reinforced that subtraction
	As children's confidence increases, more exchanges should be added in.
	6332 - 4634=
	= 6332-4634
	7532-353=
	= /532 - 353
	4353 - 64 =
	= 4353 - 64



Subtract numbers with more than four digits, including using formal written methods

From Year 3 onwards, children should be actively encouraged to make an estimate before calculating.

Estimate

Calculate

Check

*Estimates should be more accurate from Year 5 onwards as the children should be confidently using their rounding skills.

343, 402 - 83,532 = 258, 870 Estimate: 340,000 - 80,000 = 260,000





Solve problems involving numbers with up to three decimal places

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EstimateCalculateCheck*Estimates should be more accurate from Year 5 onwards as the children should be confidently using their rounding skills.



An emphasis needs to be placed on lining to decimal points up. This will help to get the digits in the correct place value columns. Also, the decimal point should sit on the line and not be given a column of its own.

When the children can confidently explain the process of exchanging, the visual representation can be removed.

Foundation Stage:

Mathematics

Number ELG

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.

<u>Year 1</u>



Statutory requirements

Pupils should be taught to:

- read, write and interpret mathematical statements involving addition (+), subtraction
 (-) and equals (=) signs
- represent and use number bonds and related subtraction facts within 20
- 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.

Year 2

Statutory requirements

Pupils should be taught to:

- solve problems with addition and subtraction:
 - using concrete objects and pictorial representations, including those involving numbers, quantities and measures
 - 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
- recognise and use the inverse relationship between addition and subtraction and use this to check calculations and solve missing number problems.

<u>Year 3:</u>



Statutory requirements

Pupils should be taught to:

- add and subtract numbers mentally, including:
 - a three-digit number and ones
 - a three-digit number and tens
 - a three-digit number and hundreds
- add and subtract numbers with up to three digits, using formal written methods of columnar addition and subtraction
- estimate the answer to a calculation and use inverse operations to check answers
- solve problems, including missing number problems, using number facts, place value, and more complex addition and subtraction.

Year 4:

Statutory requirements

Pupils should be taught to:

- add and subtract numbers with up to 4 digits using the formal written methods of columnar addition and subtraction where appropriate
- estimate and use inverse operations to check answers to a calculation
- solve addition and subtraction two-step problems in contexts, deciding which operations and methods to use and why.

<u>Year 5:</u>

Statutory requirements

Pupils should be taught to:

- add and subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits, including using formal written methods (columnar addition and subtraction)
- add and subtract numbers mentally with increasingly large numbers
- use rounding to check answers to calculations and determine, in the context of a problem, levels of accuracy
- solve addition and subtraction multi-step problems in contexts, deciding which operations and methods to use and why.
- solve problems involving number up to three decimal places

<u>Year 6</u>



Statutory requirements

Pupils should be taught to:

- multiply multi-digit numbers up to 4 digits by a two-digit whole number using the formal written method of long multiplication
- divide numbers up to 4 digits by a two-digit whole number using the formal written method of long division, and interpret remainders as whole number remainders, fractions, or by rounding, as appropriate for the context
- divide numbers up to 4 digits by a two-digit number using the formal written method of short division where appropriate, interpreting remainders according to the context
- perform mental calculations, including with mixed operations and large numbers
- identify common factors, common multiples and prime numbers
- use their knowledge of the order of operations to carry out calculations involving the four operations
- solve addition and subtraction multi-step problems in contexts, deciding which operations and methods to use and why