

Curriculum 2014 Progression chart Addition and subtraction	
<i>Problem solving in bold</i>	
Y1	<p><i>Pupils should be taught to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 $7 = \square - 9$.
Y2	<p><i>Pupils should be taught to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • solve problems with addition and subtraction: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 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 missing number problems.
Y3	<p><i>Pupils should be taught to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • add and subtract numbers mentally, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 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.
Y4	<p><i>Pupils should be taught to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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.
Y5	<p><i>Pupils should be taught to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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.
	<p style="background-color: yellow;">NB Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division</p> <p><i>Pupils should be taught to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 • 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 • solve problems involving addition, subtraction, multiplication and division • use estimation to check answers to calculations and determine, in the context of a problem, levels of accuracy.