## Shotton Hall Primary School

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## RRSA Links

Article 28 - Every child has the right to an education.
Article 29 - Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full. It must encourage the child's respect for human rights, as well as respect for their parents, their own and other cultures and the environment.

The following strategies are used in the teaching of multiplication in Maths. They are also supported by additional strategies which are suggested in the White Rose Teaching for Mastery documents.

## PROGRESSION THROUGH CALCULATIONS FOR MULTIPLICATION

## MENTAL CALCULATIONS

(ongoing)
These are a selection of mental calculation strategies:
Doubling and halving
Applying the knowledge of doubles and halves to known facts.
e.g. $8 \times 4$ is double $4 \times 4$

Using multiplication facts
Tables should be taught everyday from Y2 onwards, either as part of the mental oral starter or other times as appropriate within the day.
Year 22 times table
5 times table 10 times table

Year 32 times table
3 times table
4 times table
5 times table
6 times table
10 times table
Year 4 Derive and recall all multiplication facts up to $12 \times 12$
Years 5 \& 6 Derive and recall quickly all multiplication facts up to $12 \times 12$.

## Using and applying division facts

Children should be able to utilise their tables knowledge to derive other facts.
e.g. If I know $3 \times 7=21$, what else do $I$ know?
$30 \times 7=210,300 \times 7=2100,3000 \times 7=21000,0.3 \times 7=2.1$ etc

## Use closely related facts already known <br> $13 \times 11=(13 \times 10)+(13 \times 1)$ <br> $=130+13$ <br> $=143$

Multiplying by 10 or 100
Knowing that the effect of multiplying by 10 is a shift in the digits one place to the left. Knowing that the effect of multiplying by 100 is a shift in the digits two places to the left.

## Partitioning

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\begin{aligned}
23 \times 4 & =(20 \times 4)+(3 \times 4) \\
& =80+12 \\
& =102
\end{aligned}
$$

## Use of factors

$8 \times 12=8 \times 4 \times 3$
many mental calculation strategies will continue to be used. They ARE NOT REPLACED BY WRITTEN METHODS.

THE FOLLOWING ARE STANDARDS THAT WE EXPECT THE MAJORITY OF CHILDREN TO ACHIEVE.

## EARLY STAGES (EYFS)

Children will engage in a wide variety of songs and rhymes, games and activities.
In practical activities and through discussion they will begin to solve problems involving doubling.

'Three apples for you and three apples for me. How many apples altogether?'

## Statutory requirements

Pupils should be taught to:
solve one-step problems involving multiplication, by calculating the answer using concrete objects, pictorial representations and arrays with the support of the teacher.

- Pictorial recording as children develop understanding of repeated addition, e.g. counting in sets of two, e.g. sets of two pence coins, five, e.g. tally bundles, tens, e.g. sets of 10 pennies.

- Use of arrays to illustrate repeated addition.
$\qquad$ 0000
$4+4+4=12$
0000
0000
$\uparrow$

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3+3+3+3=12
$$

- Record repeated addition on a number line
e.g. for the array above,

$4+4+4=12$ leading to four, three times or $4 \times 3$
$\begin{array}{llllllll}3+ & 4 \times 3+3 \\ 0 & 4 & 3 \times & 6 & 3 & 9 & 12\end{array}$

Using such models will help develop children's understanding of the commutativity of multiplication,
e.g. $6 \times 2=2 \times 6$

## Statutory requirements

Pupils should be taught to:

- recall and use multiplication facts for the 2,5 and 10 multiplication tables, including recognising odd and even numbers
calculate mathematical statements for multiplication within the multiplication tables and write them using the multiplication ( $x$ ) and equals $(=$ ) signs
show that multiplication of two numbers can be done in any order (commutative)

Children will develop their understanding of multiplication and use jottings to support calculation

## $\checkmark$ Repeated addition

3 times 5 is $5+5+5=15$ or 3 lots of 5 or $5 \times 3$
Repeated addition can be shown easily on a number line:
$5 \times 3=5+5+5$


## $\checkmark$ Commutativity

Children should know that $3 \times 5$ has the same answer as $5 \times 3$. This can also be shown on the number line.


## $\checkmark$ Arrays

Children should be able to model a multiplication calculation using an array. This knowledge will support with the development of the grid method.


Children will also develop an understanding of

## $\checkmark$ Using symbols to stand for unknown numbers to complete equations using inverse operations

$\square \times 5=20$
$3 \times \Delta=18$
$x \circ=32$

## Remember:

## Year 3 to Year 6

Before the introduction of formal written methods for multiplication, children should be able to:

- recall multiplication facts for the tables used;
- partition numbers into multiples of one hundred, ten and one;
- work out products such as $70 \times 5,70 \times 50,700 \times 5$ or $700 \times 50$ using the related fact $7 \times 5$ and their knowledge of place value;
- add two or more single-digit numbers mentally;
- add multiples of 10 (such as $60+70$ ) or of 100 (such as $600+700$ ) using the related addition fact, $6+7$, and their knowledge of place value;
- add combinations of whole numbers using the column method.


## Y3

Statutory requirements
Pupils should be taught to:
recall and use multiplication facts for the 3, 4 and 8 multiplication tables
write and calculate mathematical statements for multiplication using the multiplication tables
that they know, including for two-digit numbers times one-digit numbers, using mental and progressing to formal written methods

Children will continue to develop an understanding of
$\checkmark$ Using symbols to stand for unknown numbers to complete equations using inverse operations$x 5=20$
$3 \times \Delta=18$$x \circ=32$

Children will continue to use arrays where appropriate leading into the grid method of multiplication.

## Grid method

$T U \times U$
(Short multiplication - multiplication by a single digit)
$23 \times 8$
Children will approximate first
$23 \times 8$ is approximately $25 \times 8=200$


Children will then be introduced to the compact method, at first with no 'carrying', then with 'carrying' onto the 'doorstep'.

| 23 | 23 |
| ---: | ---: |
| $\times \quad 3$ | $\times 28$ |
| 69 | 184 |

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## Statutory requirements

Pupils should be taught to:

- multiply two-digit and three-digit numbers by a one-digit number using formal written layout

Grid method may continue to be used at the beginning of the year, however, move children to short method of multiplication as soon as possible.
$24 \times 6$ becomes


Answer: 144
$342 \times 7$ becomes


Answer: 2394
*Examples taken from National Curriculum. Please note that carrying figures are to be placed on the doorstep.

## Y5

## Statutory requirements

Pupils should be taught to:

- multiply numbers up to 4 digits by a one- or two-digit number using a formal written method, including long multiplication for two-digit numbers
- multiply whole numbers and those involving decimals by 10, 100 and 1000

Compact method will now be secure as form of recording multiplication. Long multiplication will be introduced when appropriate (TU $\times T U$ ).

| $24 \times 6$ becomes | $342 \times 7$ becomes | $2741 \times 6$ becomes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 24 | 342 | $\begin{array}{llll}2 & 7 & 4 & 1\end{array}$ |
| $\times 6$ | $\times 7$ | 6 |
| 144 | $\begin{array}{llll}2 & 3 & 9 & 4\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{lllll}1 & 6 & 4 & 4 & 6\end{array}$ |
| 2 | 21 | 42 |
| Answer: 144 | Answer: 2394 | Answer: 16446 |

## *Examples taken from National Curriculum. Please note that carrying figures are to be placed on the doorstep.

| 27 |
| ---: |
| $\times \quad 34$ |
| 108 |
| +810 |
| 918 |

## 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

Compact method of multiplication will continue to be used (short and long).

| $124 \times 26$ becomes |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | 2 |  |
|  | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| $\times$ |  | 2 | 6 |
|  | 7 | 4 | 4 |
| 2 | 4 | 8 | 0 |
| 3 | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| 1 | 1 |  |  |

Answer: 3224

## *Examples taken from National Curriculum. Please note that carrying figures are to be placed on the doorstep.

By the end of year 6, children will have a range of calculation methods, mental and written. Selection will depend upon the numbers involved.
Children should not be made to go onto the next stage if:

1) they are not ready.
2) they are not confident.

Children should be encouraged to approximate their answers before calculating.
Children should be encouraged to consider if a mental calculation would be appropriate before using written methods.

