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Our Lady's Calculation Policy

**Power Maths** calculation policy, LOWER KS2

#### **KEY STAGE 2**

In Years 3 and 4, children develop the basis of written methods by building their skills alongside a deep understanding of place value. They should use known addition/subtraction and multiplication/division facts to calculate efficiently and accurately, rather than relying on counting. Children use place value equipment to support their understanding, but not as a substitute for thinking.

Key language: partition, place value, tens, hundreds, thousands, column method, whole, part, equal groups, sharing, grouping, bar model

Addition and subtraction: In Year 3 especially, the column methods are built up gradually. Children will develop their understanding of how each stage of the calculation, including any exchanges, relates to place value. The example calculations chosen to introduce the stages of each method may often be more suited to a mental method. However, the examples and the progression of the steps have been chosen to help children develop their fluency in the process, alongside a deep understanding of the concepts and the numbers involved, so that they can apply these skills accurately and efficiently to later calculations. The class should be encouraged to compare mental and written methods for specific calculations, and children should be encouraged at every stage to make choices about which methods to apply.

In Year 4, the steps are shown without such fine detail, although children should continue to build their understanding with a secure basis in place value. In subtraction, children will need to develop their understanding of exchange as they may need to exchange across one or two columns.

By the end of Year 4, children should have developed fluency in column methods alongside a deep understanding, which will allow them to progress confidently in upper Key Stage 2.

**Multiplication and division:** Children build a solid grounding in times-tables, understanding the multiplication and division facts in tandem. As such, they should be as confident knowing that 35 divided by 7 is 5 as knowing that 5 times 7 is 35.

Children develop key skills to support multiplication methods: unitising, commutativity, and how to use partitioning effectively.

Unitising allows children to use known facts to multiply and divide multiples of 10 and 100 efficiently. Commutativity gives children flexibility in applying known facts to calculations and problem solving. An understanding of partitioning allows children to extend their skills to multiplying and dividing 2- and 3-digit numbers by a single digit.

Children develop column methods to support multiplications in these cases.

For successful division, children will need to make choices about how to partition. For example, to divide 423 by 3, it is effective to partition 423 into 300, 120 and 3, as these can be divided by 3 using known facts.

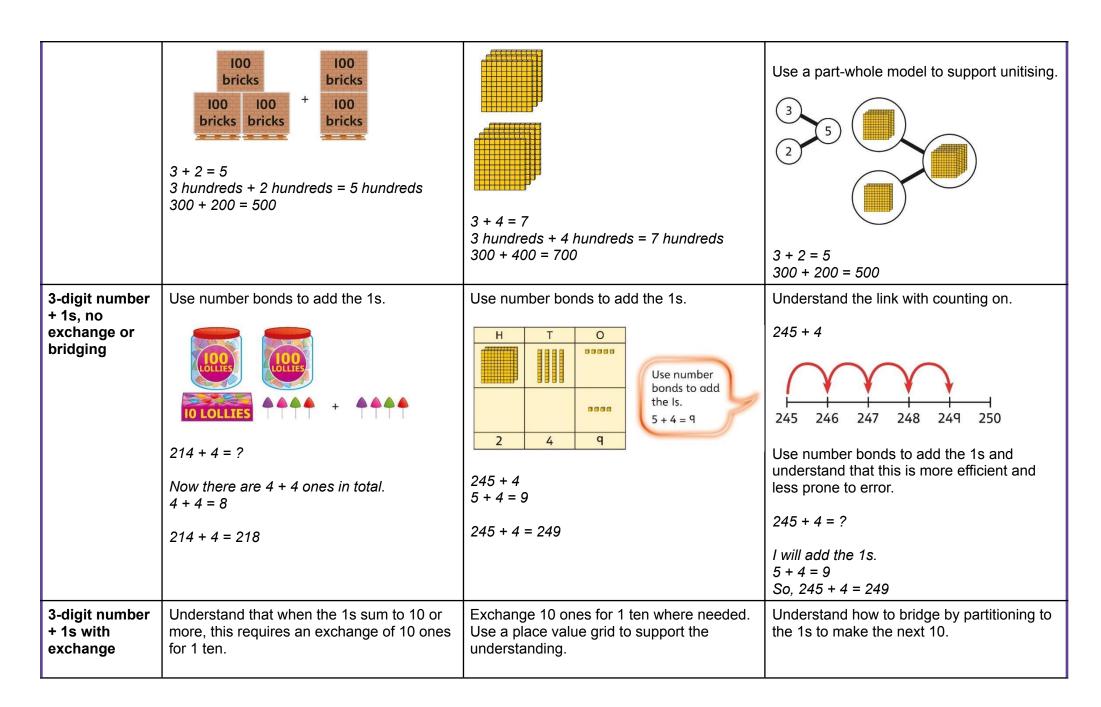
Children will also need to understand the concept of remainder, in terms of a given calculation and in terms of the context of the problem. **Fractions:** Children develop the key concept of equivalent fractions, and link this with multiplying and dividing the numerators and denominators, as well as exploring the visual concept through fractions of shapes. Children learn how to find a fraction of an amount, and develop this with the aid of a bar model and other representations alongside.

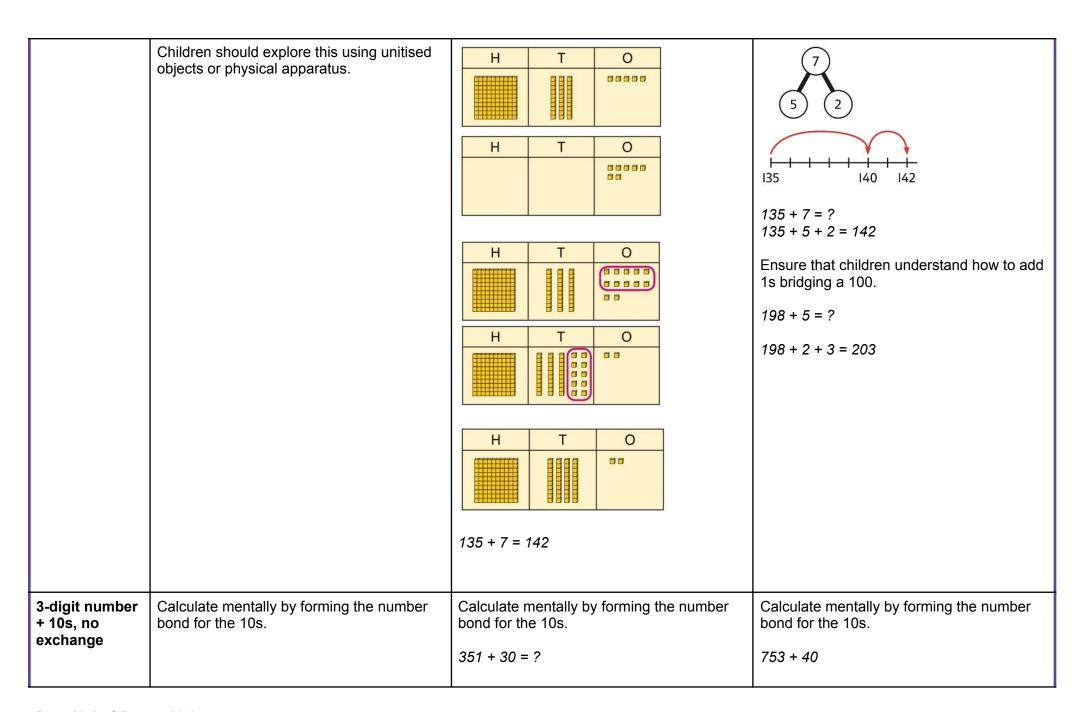
in Year 3, children develop an understanding of how to add and subtract fractions with the same denominator and find complements to the whole. This is developed alongside an understanding of fractions as numbers, including fractions greater than 1. In Year 4, children begin to work with fractions greater than 1.

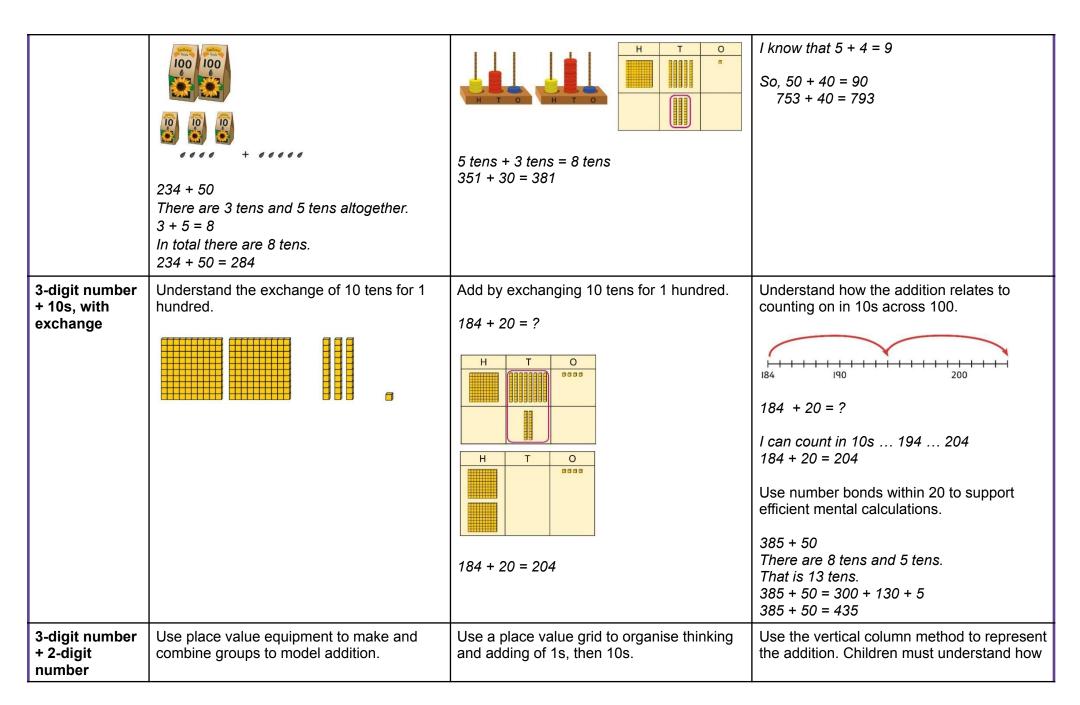
Decimals are introduced, as tenths in Year 3 and then as hundredths in Year 4. Children develop an understanding of decimals in terms of the relationship with fractions, with dividing by 10 and 100, and also with place value.

Year 3			
	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract

Year 3 Addition			
Understanding 100s	Understand the cardinality of 100, and the link with 10 tens.  Use cubes to place into groups of 10 tens.	Unitise 100 and count in steps of 100.	Represent steps of 100 on a number line and a number track and count up to 1,000 and back to 0.
Understanding place value to 1,000	Unitise 100s, 10s and 1s to build 3-digit numbers.	Use equipment to represent numbers to 1,000.  200 240 241  Use a place value grid to support the structure of numbers to 1,000.  Place value counters are used alongside other equipment. Children should understand how each counter represents a different unitised amount.	Represent the parts of numbers to 1,000 using a part-whole model.  215 = 200 + 10 + 5  Recognise numbers to 1,000 represented on a number line, including those between intervals.
Adding 100s	Use known facts and unitising to add multiples of 100.	Use known facts and unitising to add multiples of 100.	Use known facts and unitising to add multiples of 100.  Represent the addition on a number line.



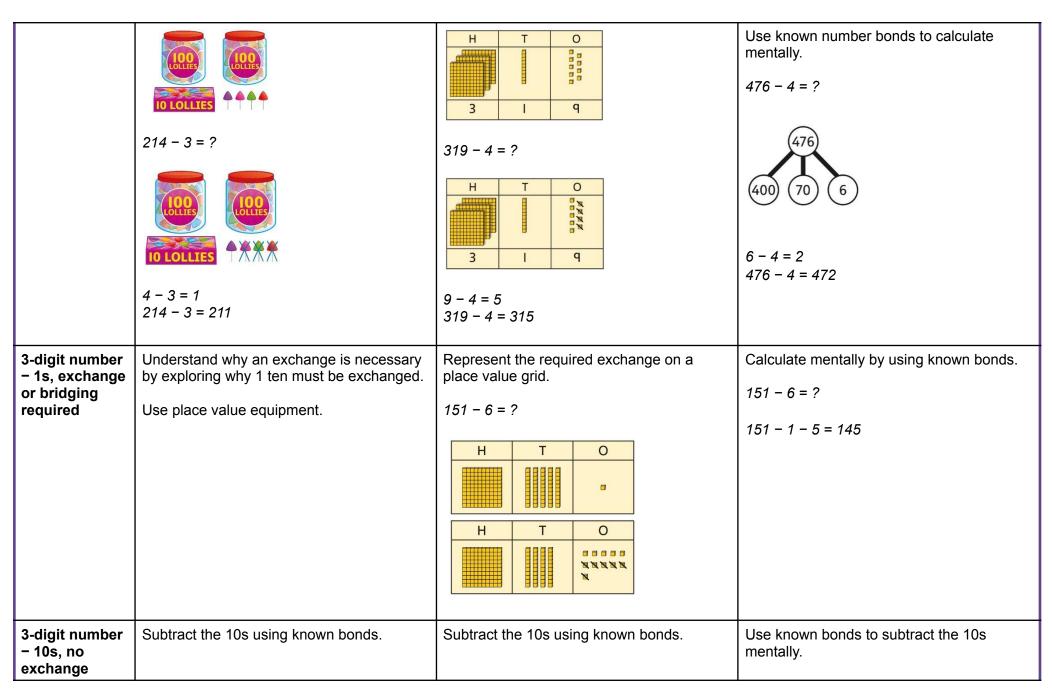


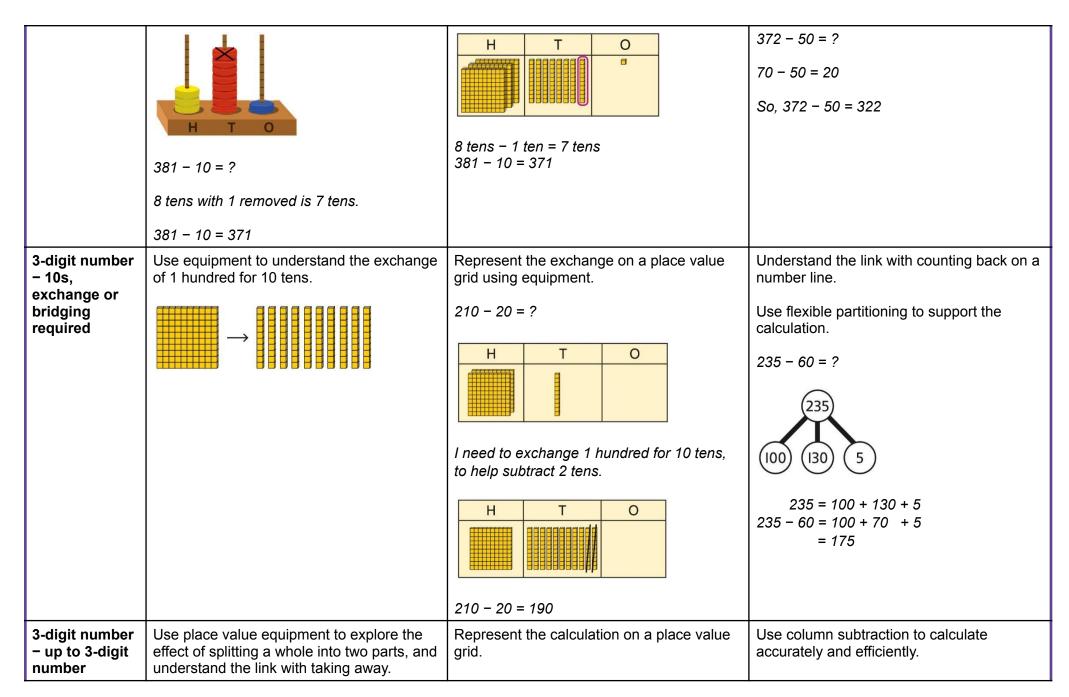


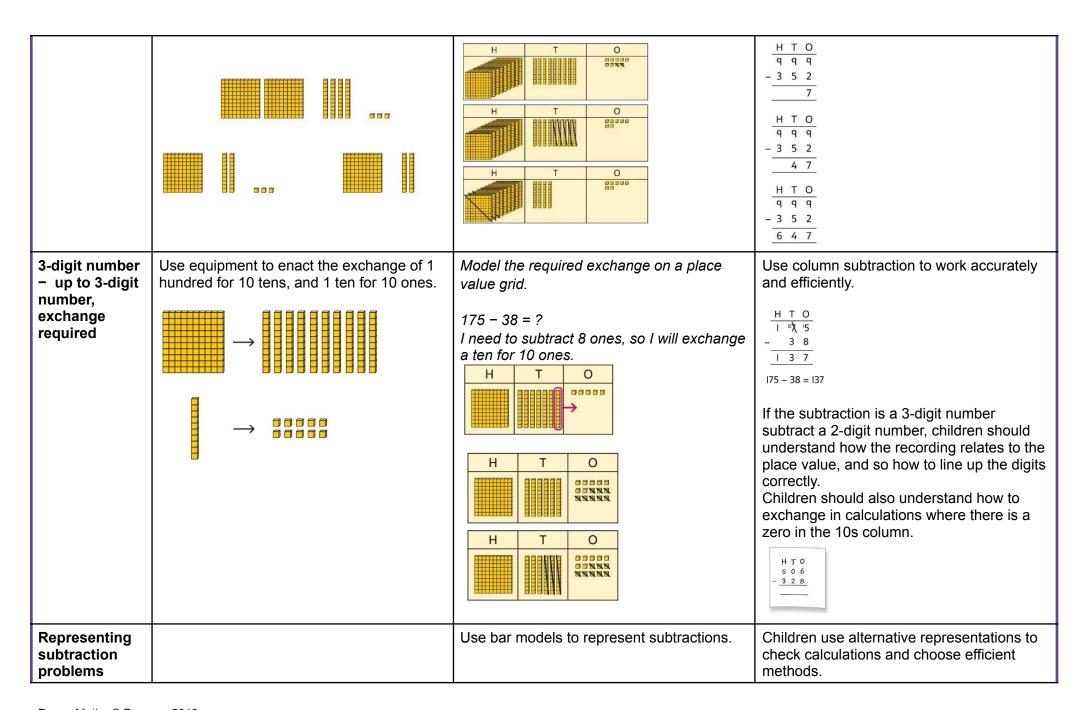
	ca =		this relates to place value at each stage of the calculation.
3-digit number + 2-digit number, exchange required	Use place value equipment to model addition and understand where exchange is required.  Use place value counters to represent 154 + 72.  Use this to decide if any exchange is required.  There are 5 tens and 7 tens. That is 12 tens so I will exchange.	Represent the required exchange on a place value grid using equipment.  275 + 16 = ?  H T O  H T O  275 + 16 = 291  Note: In this example, a mental method may be more efficient. The numbers for the example calculation have been chosen to allow children to visualise the concept and see how the method relates to place value. Children should be encouraged at every stage to select methods that are accurate and efficient.	Use a column method with exchange. Children must understand how the method relates to place value at each stage of the calculation.  H T O 2 7 5 + 1 6
3-digit number + 3-digit	Use place value equipment to make a representation of a calculation. This may or may not be structured in a place value grid.	Represent the place value grid with equipment to model the stages of column addition.	Use a column method to solve efficiently, using known bonds. Children must

number, no exchange	326 + 541 is represented as:    H		understand how this relates to place value at every stage of the calculation.
3-digit number + 3-digit number, exchange required	Use place value equipment to enact the exchange required.  H T O S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S	Model the stages of column addition using place value equipment on a place value grid.	Use column addition, ensuring understanding of place value at every stage of the calculation. $ \frac{H T O}{1 2 6} + \frac{17}{2 1 7} $ $ \frac{H T O}{1 2 6} + \frac{17}{2 1 7} $ $ \frac{H T O}{1 2 6} + \frac{17}{2 1 7} $ $ \frac{H T O}{1 2 6} + \frac{17}{2 1 7} $ $ \frac{126 + 217 = 343}{3 4 3} $ Note: Children should also study examples where exchange is required in more than one column, for example $185 + 318 = ?$
Representing addition problems, and selecting	Encourage children to use their own drawings and choices of place value equipment to represent problems with one or more steps.	Children understand and create bar models to represent addition problems.  275 + 99 = ?	Use representations to support choices of appropriate methods.

appropriate methods	These representations will help them to select appropriate methods.	275 qq 275 + 99 = 374	1 will add 100, then subtract 1 to find the solution.   128 + 105 + 83 = ?   I need to add three numbers.   128 + 105 = 233
Year 3 Subtraction			
Subtracting 100s	Use known facts and unitising to subtract multiples of 100.  100 bricks	Use known facts and unitising to subtract multiples of 100. $4-2=2$ $400-200=200$	Understand the link with counting back in 100s.  1
3-digit number – 1s, no exchange	Use number bonds to subtract the 1s.	Use number bonds to subtract the 1s.	Understand the link with counting back using a number line.





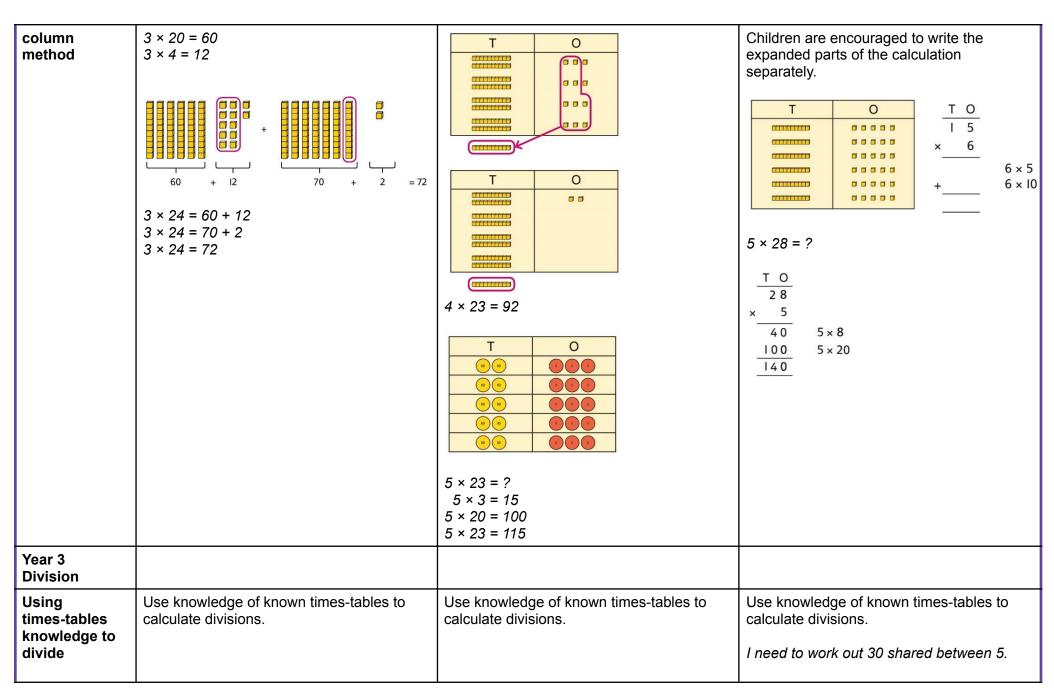


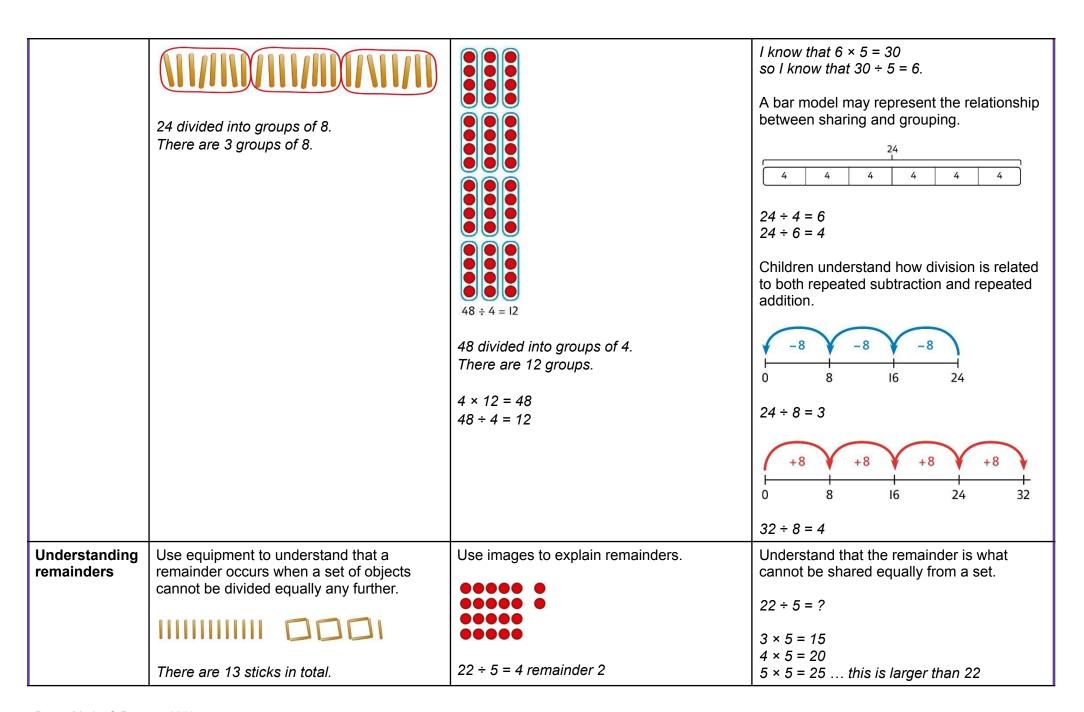
Year 3		'Find the difference' is represented as two bars for comparison.  Team A 454  Team B 128 ?  Bar models can also be used to show that a part must be taken away from the whole.	Children use inverse operations to check additions and subtractions. The part-whole model supports understanding.  I have completed this subtraction.  525 - 270 = 255  I will check using addition.     To   2   7   0     + 2   5   5         1     2   5   5           2   5   5
Multiplication Understanding equal grouping and repeated addition	Children continue to build understanding of equal groups and the relationship with repeated addition. They recognise both examples and non-examples using objects.  Children recognise that arrays can be used to model commutative multiplications.	Children recognise that arrays demonstrate commutativity.  This is 3 groups of 4. This is 4 groups of 3.	Children understand the link between repeated addition and multiplication.  A groups of 3 is 24.  3 + 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 = 24  8 x 3 = 24  A bar model may represent multiplications as equal groups.

	I can see 3 groups of 8. I can see 8 groups of 3.		24 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 6 4 6 6 × 4 = 24
Using commutativity to support understanding of the times-tables	Understand how to use times-tables facts flexibly.	Understand how times-table facts relate to commutativity.	Understand how times-table facts relate to commutativity.  I need to work out 4 groups of 7.  I know that 7 × 4 = 28  so, I know that
	There are 6 groups of 4 pens. There are 4 groups of 6 bread rolls.  I can use 6 × 4 = 24 to work out both totals.	$6 \times 4 = 24$ $4 \times 6 = 24$	4 groups of 7 = 28 and 7 groups of 4 = 28.
Understanding and using ×3, ×2, ×4 and ×8 tables.	Children learn the times-tables as 'groups of', but apply their knowledge of commutativity.	Children understand how the ×2, ×4 and ×8 tables are related through repeated doubling.	Children understand the relationship between related multiplication and division facts in known times-tables.

	I can use the ×3 table to work out how many keys. I can also use the ×3 table to work out how many batteries.	3 x 2 = 6 3 x 4 = 12 3 x 8 = 24	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Using known facts to multiply 10s, for example 3 × 40	Explore the relationship between known times-tables and multiples of 10 using place value equipment.  Make 4 groups of 3 ones.	Understand how unitising 10s supports multiplying by multiples of 10.	Understand how to use known times-tables to multiply multiples of 10.  +2 +2 +2 +2 +2 +2
	Make 4 groups of 3 tens.  What is the same? What is different?	10 10 10 10 10 4 groups of 2 ones is 8 ones. 4 groups of 2 tens is 8 tens.	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
		4 × 2 = 8 4 × 20 = 80	
Multiplying a 2-digit number by a 1-digit number	Understand how to link partitioning a 2-digit number with multiplying.  Each person has 23 flowers.	Use place value to support how partitioning is linked with multiplying by a 2-digit number.  3 × 24 = ?	Use addition to complete multiplications of 2-digit numbers by a 1-digit number.  4 × 13 = ?

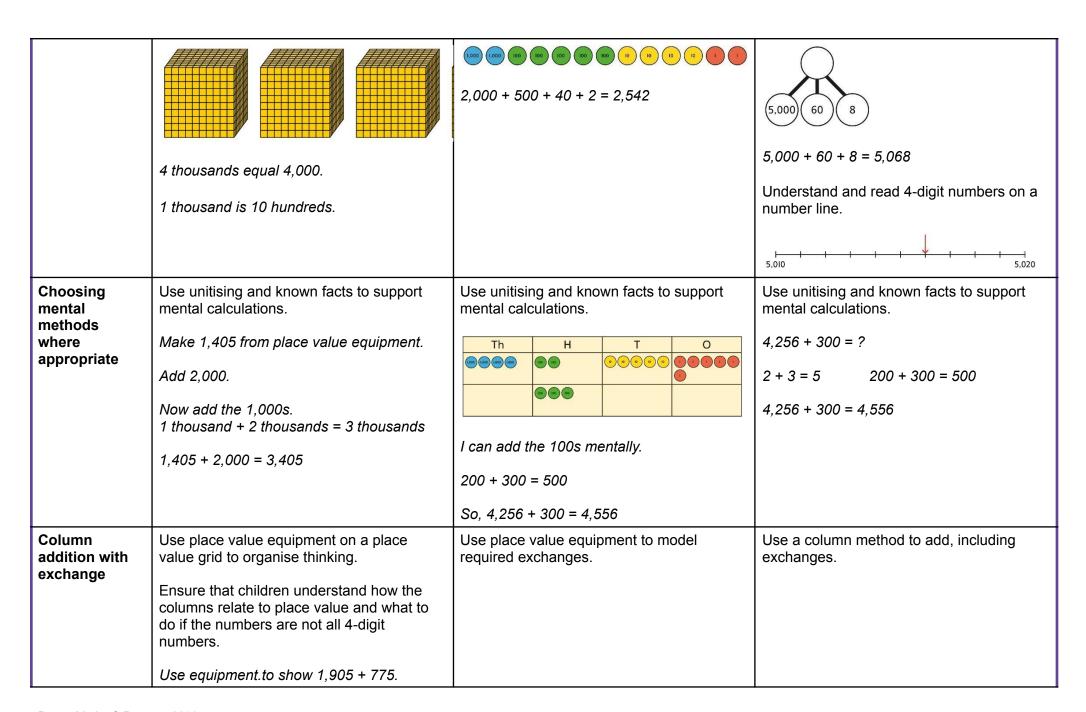
#### Each person has 2 tens and 3 ones. $4 \times 3 = 12$ $4 \times 10 = 40$ 0 12 + 40 = 520000 $4 \times 13 = 52$ 0000 0000 There are 3 groups of 2 tens. $3 \times 4 = 12$ There are 3 groups of 3 ones. 0 Use place value equipment to model the 0000 multiplication context. 0000 0 0000 000 $3 \times 20 = 60$ 000 000 60 + 12 = 72There are 3 groups of 3 ones. $3 \times 24 = 72$ There are 3 groups of 2 tens. Multiplying a Use place value equipment to model how Understand that multiplications may require Children may write calculations in expanded 2-digit number 10 ones are exchanged for a 10 in some an exchange of 1s for 10s, and also 10s for column form, but must understand the link by a 1-digit multiplications. with place value and exchange. 100s. number, $3 \times 24 = ?$ $4 \times 23 = ?$ expanded

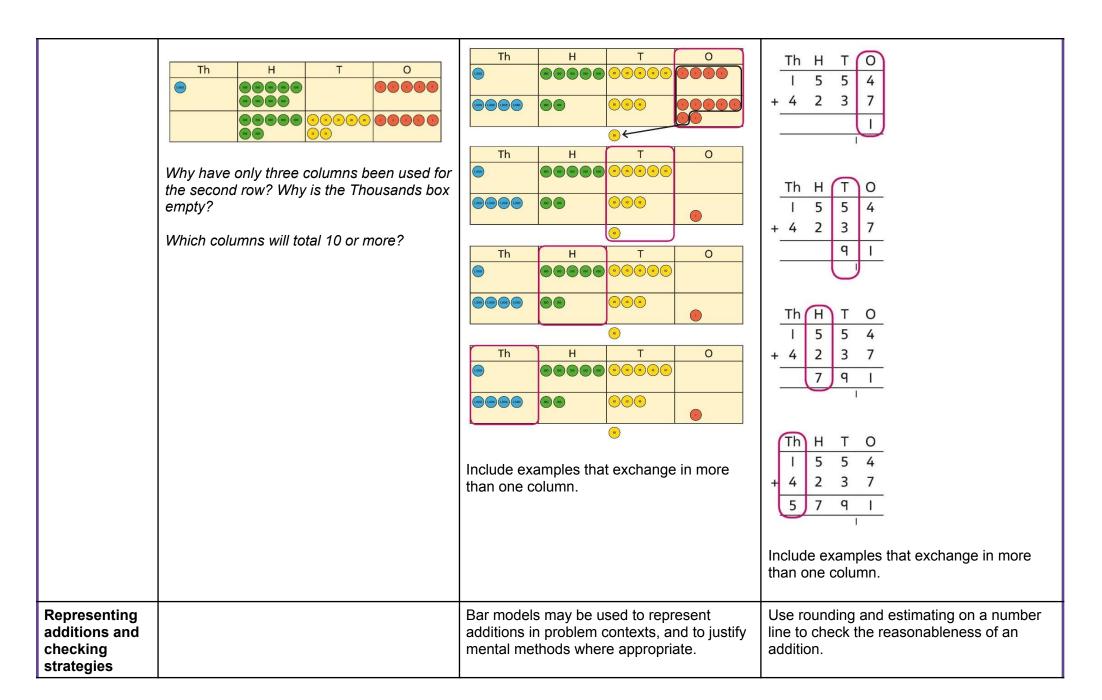




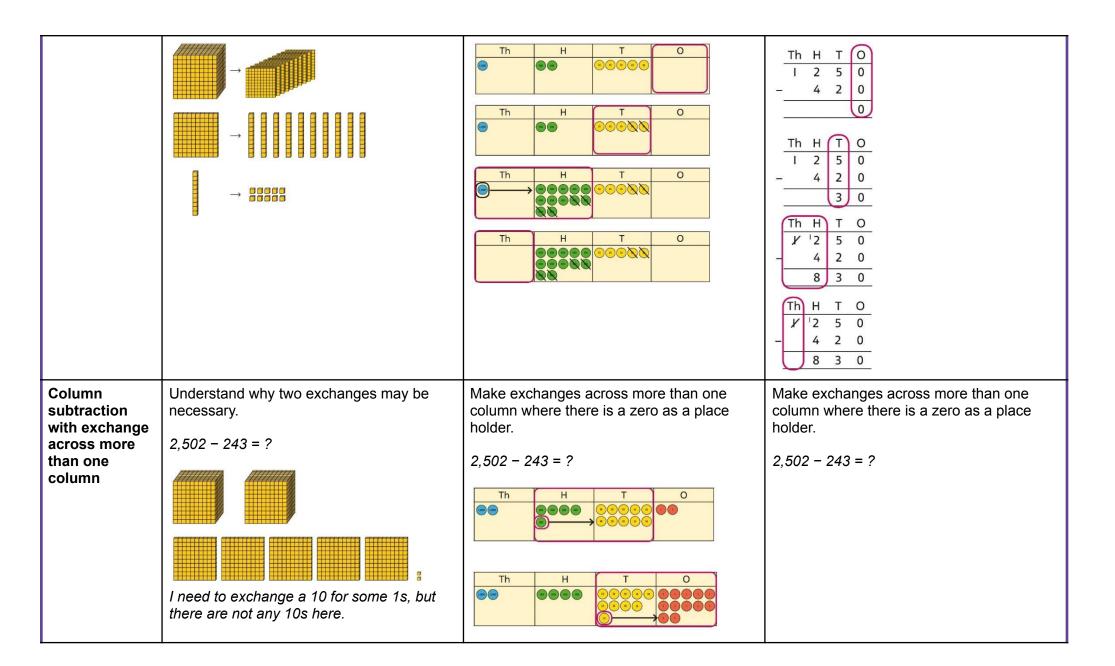
	There are 3 groups of 4, with 1 remainder.		So, 22 ÷ 5 = 4 remainder 2
Using known facts to divide	Use place value equipment to understand how to divide by unitising.	Divide multiples of 10 by unitising.	Divide multiples of 10 by a single digit using known times-tables.
multiples of 10	Make 6 ones divided by 3.		180 ÷ 3 = ?
			180 is 18 tens.
	Now make 6 tens divided by 3.	12 tens shared into 3 equal groups. 4 tens in each group.	18 divided by 3 is 6. 18 tens divided by 3 is 6 tens.
		+ teris in each group.	18 ÷ 3 = 6 180 ÷ 3 = 60
	What is the same? What is different?		
2-digit number divided by 1-digit number,	Children explore dividing 2-digit numbers by using place value equipment.	Children explore which partitions support particular divisions.	Children partition a number into 10s and 1s to divide where appropriate.
no remainders		40 2	68 8
	48 ÷ 2 = ?		60 ÷ 2 = 30 8 ÷ 2 = 4 30 + 4 = 34 68 ÷ 2 = 34
	First divide the 10s.	I need to partition 42 differently to divide by 3.	Children partition flexibly to divide where appropriate.
			42 ÷ 3 = ? 42 = 40 + 2
			I need to partition 42 differently to divide by 3.

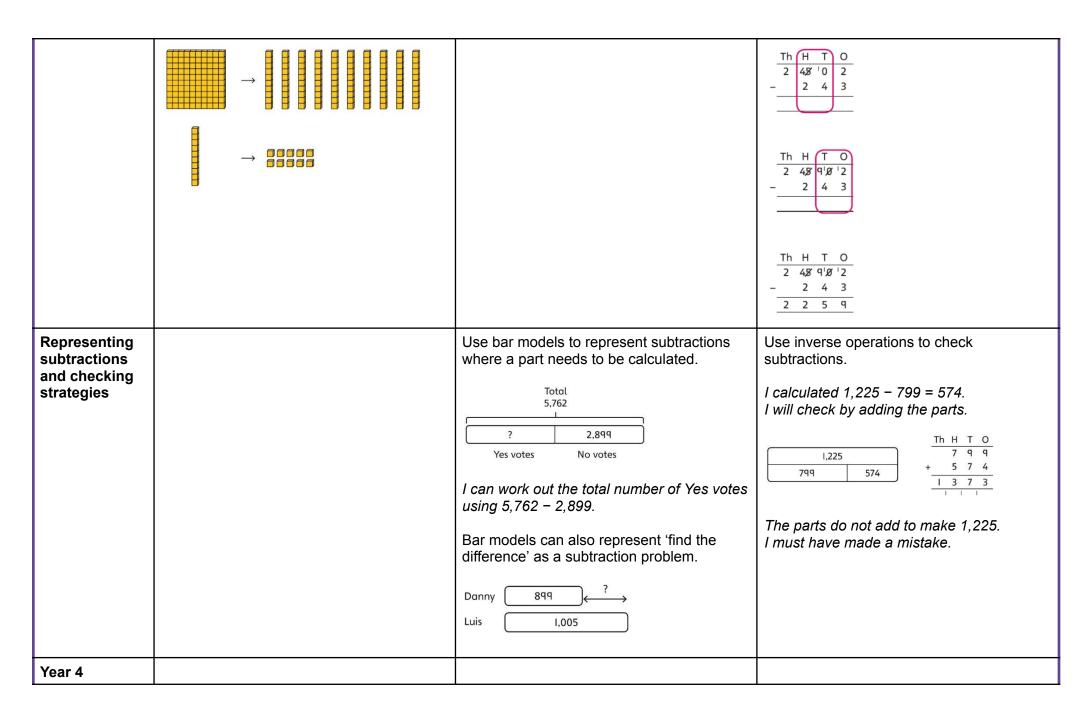
2-digit number divided by 1-digit number, with remainders	Then divide the 1s.  Use place value equipment to understand the concept of remainder.  Make 29 from place value equipment. Share it into 2 equal groups.  There are two groups of 14 and 1 remainder.	$42 = 30 + 12$ $42 \div 3 = 14$ Use place value equipment to understand the concept of remainder in division. $29 \div 2 = ?$ $29 \div 2 = 14 \text{ remainder } 1$	$42 = 30 + 12$ $30 \div 3 = 10$ $12 \div 3 = 4$ $10 + 4 = 14$ $42 \div 3 = 14$ Partition to divide, understanding the remainder in context. $67 \text{ children try to make 5 equal lines.}$ $67 = 50 + 17$ $50 \div 5 = 10$ $17 \div 5 = 3 \text{ remainder 2}$ $67 \div 5 = 13 \text{ remainder 2}$ There are 13 children in each line and 2 children left out.
		Year 4	
	Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
Year 4 Addition			
Understanding numbers to	Use place value equipment to understand the place value of 4-digit numbers.	Represent numbers using place value counters once children understand the relationship between 1,000s and 100s.	Understand partitioning of 4-digit numbers, including numbers with digits of 0.





Year 4 Subtraction Choosing mental methods where appropriate	Use place value equipment to justify mental methods.  What number will be left if we take away 300?	Th   H   T   O   Th   H   T   O   Th   H   T   O   Th   Th   Th   Th   Th   Th	Use knowledge of place value and unitising to subtract mentally where appropriate.  3,501 - 2,000  3,000 4,000 5,000 6,000 7,000 8,000 9,000 10,000  912 + 6,149 = ?  I used rounding to work out that the answer should be approximately 1,000 + 6,000 = 7,000.
Column subtraction with exchange	Understand why exchange of a 1,000 for 100s, a 100 for 10s, or a 10 for 1s may be necessary.	Represent place value equipment on a place value grid to subtract, including exchanges where needed.	Use column subtraction, with understanding of the place value of any exchange required.





Multiplication			
Multiplying by multiples of 10 and 100	Use unitising and place value equipment to understand how to multiply by multiples of 1, 10 and 100.	Use unitising and place value equipment to understand how to multiply by multiples of 1, 10 and 100.	Use known facts and understanding of place value and commutativity to multiply mentally.
	3 groups of 4 ones is 12 ones. 3 groups of 4 tens is 12 tens. 3 groups of 4 hundreds is 12 hundreds.	$3 \times 4 = 12$ $3 \times 40 = 120$ $3 \times 400 = 1,200$	$4 \times 7 = 28$ $4 \times 70 = 280$ $40 \times 7 = 280$ $4 \times 700 = 2,800$ $400 \times 7 = 2,800$
Understanding times-tables up to 12 × 12	Understand the special cases of multiplying by 1 and 0.	Represent the relationship between the ×9 table and the ×10 table.	Understand how times-tables relate to counting patterns.
			Understand links between the ×3 table, ×6 table and ×9 table 5 × 6 is double 5 × 3
	$5 \times 1 = 5 \qquad \qquad 5 \times 0 = 0$	Represent the ×11 table and ×12 tables in relation to the ×10 table.	$\times 5$ table and $\times 6$ table I know that $7 \times 5 = 35$ so I know that $7 \times 6 = 35 + 7$ .
			×5 table and ×7 table $3 \times 7 = 3 \times 5 + 3 \times 2$
		2 × 11 = 20 + 2 3 × 11 = 30 + 3 4 × 11 = 40 + 4	3 x 7
		4 × 12 = 40 + 8	×9 table and ×10 table 6 × 10 = 60 6 × 9 = 60 - 6

## Understanding and using partitioning in multiplication

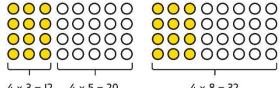
Make multiplications by partitioning.

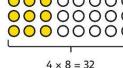
 $4 \times 12$  is 4 groups of 10 and 4 groups of 2.



$$4 \times 12 = 40 + 8$$

Understand how multiplication and partitioning are related through addition.





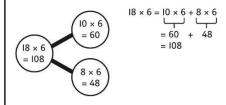
$$4 \times 3 = 12$$
  $4 \times 5 = 20$ 

$$4 \times 3 = 12$$
  
 $4 \times 5 = 20$   
 $12 + 20 = 32$ 

$$4 \times 8 = 32$$

Use partitioning to multiply 2-digit numbers by a single digit.

$$18 \times 6 = ?$$

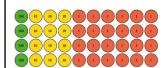


$$18 \times 6 = 10 \times 6 + 8 \times 6$$
  
=  $60 + 48$   
=  $108$ 

# Column multiplication for 2- and 3-diait numbers multiplied by a single digit

Use place value equipment to make multiplications.

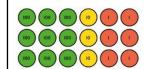
Make 4 × 136 using equipment.



I can work out how many 1s, 10s and 100s.

24 ones There are 4 × 6 ones... There are 4 × 3 tens ... 12 tens There are 4 × 1 hundreds ... 4 hundreds

Use place value equipment alongside a column method for multiplication of up to 3-digit numbers by a single digit.



Use the formal column method for up to 3-digit numbers multiplied by a single digit.

Understand how the expanded column method is related to the formal column method and understand how any exchanges are related to place value at each stage of the calculation.

Multiplying more than two numbers	Represent situations by multiplying three numbers together.	Understand that commutativity can be used to multiply in different orders.	Use knowledge of factors to simplify some multiplications.
	Each sheet has $2 \times 5$ stickers. There are $3$ sheets.  There are $5 \times 2 \times 3$ stickers in total. $5 \times 2 \times 3 = 30$ $10 \times 3 = 30$	2 × 6 × 10 = 120 12 × 10 = 120 10 × 6 × 2 = 120 60 × 2 = 120	$24 \times 5 = 12 \times 2 \times 5$ $12 \times 2 \times 5 =$ $12 \times 10 = 120$ So, $24 \times 5 = 120$
Year 4 Division			
Understanding the relationship between multiplication and division, including times-tables	Use objects to explore families of multiplication and division facts.	Represent divisions using an array.	Understand families of related multiplication and division facts.  I know that $5 \times 7 = 35$ so I know all these facts: $5 \times 7 = 35$ $7 \times 5 = 35$ $35 = 5 \times 7$ $35 = 7 \times 5$ $35 \div 7 = 5$ $7 = 35 \div 7 = 5$ $7 = 35 \div 5$

 $5 = 35 \div 7$ 

#### Dividing Use place value equipment to understand Represent divisions using place value Use known facts to divide 10s and 100s by multiples of 10 how to use unitising to divide. equipment. a single digit. and 100 by a single digit $15 \div 3 = 5$ 9 ÷ 3 = 03 $150 \div 3 = 50$ 90 ÷ 3 = $1500 \div 3 = 500$ 10 10 10 10 10 900 ÷ 3 = 8 ones divided into 2 equal groups 4 ones in each group $9 \div 3 = 3$ 8 tens divided into 2 equal groups 4 tens in each group 9 tens divided by 3 is 3 tens. 9 hundreds divided by 3 is 3 hundreds. 8 hundreds divided into 2 equal groups 4 hundreds in each group **Dividing 2-digit** Partition into 10s and 1s to divide where Partition into 100s, 10s and 1s using Base Partition into 100s, 10s and 1s using a and 3-digit 10 equipment to divide where appropriate. part-whole model to divide where appropriate. numbers by a appropriate. single digit by $39 \div 3 = ?$ $39 \div 3 = ?$ partitioning $142 \div 2 = ?$ into 100s, 10s 000 and 1s 000 000 3 groups of I ten 3 groups of 3 ones $3 \times 10 = 30$ 100 ÷ 2 = 40 ÷ 2 = 6 ÷ 2 = 39 = 30 + 939 = 30 + 9 $100 \div 2 = 50$ $30 \div 3 = 10$ $30 \div 3 = 10$ $40 \div 2 = 20$ $9 \div 3 = 3$ $9 \div 3 = 3$ $6 \div 2 = 3$ $39 \div 3 = 13$ $39 \div 3 = 13$ 50 + 20 + 3 = 73 $142 \div 2 = 73$

### Dividing 2-digit and 3-digit numbers by a single digit, using flexible partitioning

Use place value equipment to explore why different partitions are needed.

$$42 \div 3 = ?$$

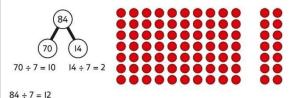
I will split it into 30 and 12, so that I can divide by 3 more easily.





Represent how to partition flexibly where needed.

I will partition into 70 and 14 because I am dividing by 7.



Make decisions about appropriate partitioning based on the division required.

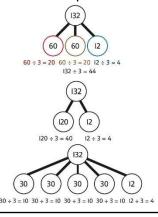








Understand that different partitions can be used to complete the same division.

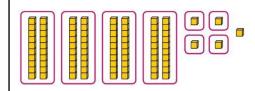


# Understanding remainders

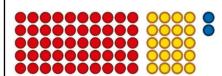
Use place value equipment to find remainders.

85 shared into 4 equal groups

There are 24, and 1 that cannot be shared.



Represent the remainder as the part that cannot be shared equally.



 $72 \div 5 = 14 \text{ remainder } 2$ 

Understand how partitioning can reveal remainders of divisions.



 $80 \div 4 = 20$  $12 \div 4 = 3$ 

 $95 \div 4 = 23 \ remainder \ 3$