# Supporting Your Child with Maths 

Parent Workshops Autumn Term 2023

## What Maths do we do?

- Daily 1 hour maths lessons-covering all aspects of the maths national curriculum
- Followed by a daily, 20 minute additional maths session;
- Mon: KIRF Session for all year groups
- Tues, Wed, Thurs: Times Tables Workshops for Years 3 and 4 MMM (Maths Morning Meeting) for Years 5 and 6
- Fridays: Arithmetic Session for all year groups


## Progression in Calculation



## The CPA approach

The Concrete Pictorial Abstract (CPA) approach is a system of learning that uses physical and visual aids to build a child's understanding of abstract topics.
Concrete-KS1 and early KS2 but can continue further up where needed. Children use practical objects to help count and calculate, for example buttons, Dienes, counters, multi-link, real life objects, bead-strings, fraction tiles, Numicon etc

Pictorial-children draw pictures and jottings to help them. E.g. dots to share out when dividing or bar models to draw out the problem

Abstract-children use just the numbers and symbols

## Concrete and Pictorial

| $46+17=63$ |
| :--- |
| $T \quad \frac{0}{6}$ |
| 406 |
| +107 |
| 603 |
| 10 |



2 groups of $4=8$

$$
2 \times 4=8
$$

$4 \times 5=20$
$5+5+5+5=20$
$3::::=20$

|  |  |  |  | 32 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\beta$ | $\beta$ | $\beta$ | $\beta$ | X4 |
|  | , | T | 4 | $8(4 \times 2)$ |
| 203 | 203 | 20 | 203 | $\underline{120}(4 \times 30)$ |
| $\square_{2}$ | 203 | 203 | 203 | $\underline{200}$ |
| $0 \times 3$ | 203 | ${ }_{2} 0$ | $0_{2}$ | 1 |
|  |  |  |  | $15 \div 3$ |

## Moving from concrete to pictorial

(1) Use to show the number of pencils.

$5+3=8$ or $3+5=8$
There are 8 pencils altogether.

Draw bars to show each number.
(2)

$15+23=38$
They have 38 pencils altogether.


Sandi has 12 football cards and Umar has 3. How many more cards does Sandi have than Umar


Bar model representing the subtraction equation ' $150-50=$ ?'



3 pineapples cost the same as 2 mangoes. One mango costs $£ 1.35$.
How much does one pineapple cost?
$\pm 2.70$


Lulu wants to swim 50 metres.
She has swum $35 m$.
How far is she from the finishing line?


Seeing a visual representation of the problem helps children develop their conceptual understanding of why we need to subtract.

## Problem One:

Sam had 5 times as many marbles as Tom.
If Sam gives 26 marbles to Tom, the two friends will have exactly the same amount.
How many marbles do they have altogether?

Sam
Tom
$\square$

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## Bar Models

- It is a visual model to help children understand a variety of maths problems including addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, fractions, percentages, ratio and algebra.
- It is not a method for solving the problem in itself, but a way or revealing the mathematical structure of a problem (conceptual understanding) i.e. it helps them understand why we need to subtract or divide for example
- It can help to bridge the gap between using concrete resources and abstract methods.


## Expanded and Compact Methods (+, - and

| - Expanded Methods |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $357+285$ |  |  |
| $\begin{array}{llll}300 & 50 & 7\end{array}$ |  | 357 |
| +200 $80 \quad 5$ |  | + 285 |
| 102 | or | 12 |
| 100300 |  | 130 |
| $500 \quad 0$ |  | 500 |
| 600402 |  | 642 |


| - Compact Methods |
| :--- |
| $357+285$ |
| 357 |
| $+\frac{285}{642}$ |
| 11 |

## Expanded and Compact Methods (+-and x)

| - Expanded Methods |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 876-214=562 |  |  |
| 800706 |  | 876 |
| -200 $10 \quad 4$ |  | -214 |
| 2 | or | 2 |
| 60 |  | 60 |
| 600 |  | 600 |
| $60060 \quad 2$ |  | 662 |

- Compact Methods

876-214

| 876 |
| ---: |
| -214 |
| 662 |

## Expanded and Compact Methods (+-and x)

| - Expanded Methods |  |
| ---: | :--- |
| $42 \times 54$ |  |
| 42 |  |
| $\times 54$ | $(4 \times 2)$ |
| 160 | $(4 \times 40)$ |
| 100 | $(50 \times 2)$ |
| 2000 | $(50 \times 40)$ |
| 2268 |  |

- Compact Methods
$42 \times 54$
42
$\begin{array}{r} \\ \times \quad 54 \\ \hline\end{array}$
168
$\underline{2100}$
$\underline{2} 268$


## Division

Short Division
$864 \div 4$
216
$4 \longdiv { 8 6 ^ { 2 4 } }$
$574 \div 3$

http://www.millrythejunior.co.uk/maths-video-links/

## Number Lines



## Partitioning on a number line

8 has been partitioned into 3 and 5 to reach the next multiple of 10 first.

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57+8=65
$$



## How can you help?

- Practising the KIRF with your child
- Supporting your child to learn their times tables-instant recall
- Encouraging your child to complete the arithmetic homework each week
- Take a 'little and often’ approach to recalling key skills


## Useful websites

Hit the Button- https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button
Snappy Maths http://www.snappymaths.com/multiplication/multiplication.htm
Time table games: https://www.timestables.co.uk/games/
Maths frame: https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/477/Multiplication-
Tables-Check
TT Rockstars: https://ttrockstars.com/
BBC Bitesize: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z826n39

