

- compare and classify geometric shapes, including quadrilaterals and triangles, based on their properties and sizes
- identify acute and obtuse angles and compare and order angles up to two right angles by size
- identify lines of symmetry in 2-D shapes presented in different orientations
- complete a simple symmetric figure with respect to a specific line of symmetry
- describe positions on a 2-D grid as coordinates in the first quadrant
- describe movements between positions as translations of a given unit to the left/right and up/down
- plot specified points and draw sides to complete a given polygon.
- interpret and present discrete and continuous data using appropriate graphical methods, including bar charts and time graphs.
- solve comparison, sum and difference problems using information presented in bar charts, pictograms, tables and other graphs.


PRIMARY SCHOOL

## End of Year Expectations for Year 4

This booklet provides information for parents and carers on the end of year expectations for children in our school. The 2014 Primary National Curriculum outlines these expectations as being the minimum requirements your child must meet in order to ensure continued progress.

All the objectives will be worked on throughout the year and will be the focus of direct teaching. Any extra support you can provide in helping your children to achieve these is greatly valued.

If you have any queries regarding the content of this booklet or want support in knowing how best to help your children please talk to your child's teacher.

## Reading

## Children who are working at the expected standard can:

- apply their growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (etymology and morphology) both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words they meet
- develop positive attitudes to reading and understanding of what they read by reading and discussing a wide range of books
- understand what they read, in books they can read independently and infer and deduce meaning


## Writing



## Children who are working at the expected standard can:

- use further prefixes and suffixes and understand how to add them
- spell further homophones and words that are often misspelt
- place the possessive apostrophe accurately in words with regular plurals
- and irregular plurals
- use the first two or three letters of a word to check its spelling in a dictionary
- use the diagonal and horizontal strokes that are needed to join letters and understand which letters, when adjacent to one another, are best left unjoined
- increase the legibility, consistency and quality of their handwriting [for example, by ensuring that the downstrokes of letters are parallel and equidistant; that lines of writing are spaced sufficiently so that the ascenders and descenders of letters do not touch]

- plan their writing by discussing writing similar to that which they are planning to write in order to understand and learn from its structure, vocabulary and grammar
- organising paragraphs around a theme
- in narratives, creating settings, characters and plot
- in non-narrative material, using simple organisational
- evaluate and edit their writing
- extend the range of sentences with more than one clause by using a wider range of conjunctions, including when, if, because, although
- use the present perfect form of verbs in contrast to the past tense
- choose nouns or pronouns appropriately for clarity and cohesion and to avoid repetition
- use conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions to express time and cause
- use fronted adverbials
- use commas after fronted adverbials
- indicate possession by using the possessive apostrophe with plural nouns
- use and punctuating direct speech


## Mathematics

## Children who are working at the expected standard can:

- count in multiples of $6,7,9,25$ and 1000
- find 1000 more or less than a given number
- count backwards through zero to include negative numbers
- recognise the place value of each digit in a four-digit number (thousands, hundreds, tens, and ones)
- order and compare numbers beyond 1000
- solve number and practical problems that involve all of the above and 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. with increasingly large positive numbers
- recall multiplication and division facts for multiplication tables up to $12 \times 12$
- use place value, known and derived facts to multiply and divide mentally, including: multiplying by 0 and 1 ; dividing by 1 ; multiplying together three numbers
- recognise and use factor pairs and commutativity in mental calculations
- multiply two-digit and three-digit numbers by a one-digit number using formal written layout
- solve problems involving multiplying and adding, including using the distributive law to multiply two digit numbers by one digit, integer scaling problems and harder correspondence problems such as n objects are connected to m objects.
- recognise and show, using diagrams, families of common equivalent fractions
- find the effect of dividing a one- or two-digit number by 10 and 100, identifying the value of the digits in the answer as ones, tenths and hundredths
- round decimals with one decimal place to the nearest whole number
- compare numbers with the same number of decimal places up to two decimal places
- solve simple measure and money problems involving fractions and decimals
- Convert between different units of measure [for example, kilometre to metre; hour to minute]
- measure and calculate the perimeter of a rectilinear figure (including squares) in centimetres and metres
- find the area of rectilinear shapes by counting squares
- estimate, compare and calculate different measures, including money two decimal places

