## EFFECT/VE MATHS Year 6 mathematics curriculum overview

|  | Block 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| Y6 | Place value (U1) |  | Addition and subtraction <br> (U1) |  | Multiplication and division (U1) |  | Time | Fractions <br> (U1) |  | Multiplication /division (U2) | Percentages | Geometry |

NB: From 2022 the Y6 arithmetic revision programme will be available from September.


NB: A range of revision lessons become available during Block 2 focusing on problem solving strategies.

|  | Block 3 |  |  | NB: A range of revision lessons become available during Block 2 focusing on problem solving strategies. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| Y6 | Place value (U3) | Calculation | $\begin{array}{c\|} \hline \text { Money and } \\ \text { decimals(U2) } \end{array}$ |  | School to determine focus |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

The yearly overview is a broad guide to suggested coverage over the course of the academic year.
There are 39 school weeks, one week taken for INSET, leaving 38. Two of the 38 are generally taken up with trips, sports days, concerts and so on, leaving 36. The three 'blocks' are each 12 weeks long. Clearly the 12 weeks don't map directly to terms, they are not intended to. Where the table header has been highlighted in blue, this indicates that planning will be provided by Effective Maths. Please see the publication dates (on website) for details of when resources will be online.

## Remembering content and making connections - Education Inspection Framework

In the 2023/24 block overviews that follow, the intention is to provide extremely clear signposting to the quizzes designed to support children in remembering the key content they have been taught. And, through the RTP ${ }^{\text {f }}$ focuses, integrate knowledge into larger concepts. Teachers and leaders need to use assessment well, for example to help children embed and use knowledge fluently or to check understanding and inform teaching. But they also need to do this in a way that does not create unnecessary burdens for staff or children. The quizzes are ideal for this purpose. (These points - remembering key content, integrating knowledge and not creating burdens - are directly linked to bullet points 3 and 4 in the 'implementation' section of the current Education Inspection Framework.)
The RTP quiz focuses are linked to what the DfE describe as 'the most important knowledge and understanding within each year group'. These criteria very often require children to have command of a wider domain of knowledge than the mathsquiz.net quizzes do. The quizzes on mathsquiz.net deliberately take smaller steps. The aim of both is to provide teachers and leaders with several ways of supporting children's ongoing progress. For example, through sharing links for mathsquiz.net quizzes with parents/carers (so children continue to practise a core skill such as knowing the $8 \times$ table) and then following up a child's work at home with a quiz session in school to ascertain progress. The RTP quiz focuses are designed to be mini-assessments carried out in school. Taken together, the quizzes and the paper-based end of unit assessments, provide schools with a range of simple strategies to assess the planned/intended curriculum, as opposed to using generic assessments not linked to the curriculum. In particular, the quizzes have the added advantage of being self-marking, easy to repeat and can be shared with parents/carers to support children' learning at home.

## Notes

The quizzes in red are being written for 2022/23 and will be online a few weeks before they are first required.

|  | Block 1 | Block 2 | Block 3 |
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| Number of quizzes | 15 | 11 | 5 |
| Number of RTP quizzes | 4 | 5 | 2 | Some RTP focuses are not best assessed by electronic means. For Y 6 this is $6 \mathrm{G}-1$ (draw, compose and decompose shapes).

${ }^{1}$ RTP Ready to Progress


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