

BLOCK 1
$\times$ AND $\div$ UNIT 1
$9 \times$ table ( $r$ )
Multiplication and division (Unit 1) focuses mainly on problem solving, factors, multiples, prime numbers and square numbers.
Two lessons focus primarily on calculation.
Revision of the $9 \times$ table consolidates understanding from earlier year groups. This includes the distributive property of multiplication, through partitioning arrays: $7 \times 9=5 \times 9+2 \times 9$.
The distributive property allows a factor in a multiplication expression to be decomposed into two or more numbers, and those numbers can be multiplied by the other factor in the multiplication expression.

Children's understanding of the commutative property is developed through interpreting representations on multiplication grids in two ways, eg:
$7 \times 9=63$
$9 \times 7=63$


Understanding division and recalling division facts Initial learning about division revisits the two division structures, sharing and grouping, encountered in earlier years. The multiplication grid is used to obtain division facts.

Children interpret the same array to obtain different division facts, eg:

- 56 squares put into groups of 7 results in 8 groups. (If the blue rectangle is a group).
- 56 squares put into groups of 8 results in 7 groups.



## Understanding division and recalling division facts (ctd)

Children continue to use partitioning to obtain division facts that cannot be derived automatically from multiplication facts. This is done by partitioning the dividend into parts that are multiples of the divisor, eg:
$117 \div 9=90 \div 9+27 \div 9$.
Initially arrays are used to support understanding of the partitioning. Later numeric representations are used.

Another method for division, using factors, is also encountered.


## Remainders

Remainders were introduced in Year 4 (Block 1 (Unit 2). Revisit key teaching points:

- if the dividend is a multiple of the divisor there is no remainder;
- if the dividend is not a multiple of the divisor there is a remainder;
- the remainder is always less than the divisor.



## BLOCK 1

## FRACTIONS UNIT 1

Finding non-unit fractions of quantities
Children were introduced to finding non-unit fractions of quantities in Year 4. This was done using division facts linked to multiplication tables from Year 2 and Year 3. In Year 5, children find non-unit fractions of quantities using division facts linked to the 6, 9 and 7 multiplication tables. They also find non-unit fractions of quantities for calculations that go beyond known multiplication table facts.


## BLOCK 1

$\times$ AND $\div$ UNIT 2

Multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1,000
Multiplying and dividing by 10 and 100 was introduced in Money and Decimals (Unit 1) in Year 4. In Year 5 learning is extended to include multiplying and dividing by 1,000 . Teaching develops understanding of relationships between powers of ten, and models describing them using scaling language, eg: ... times the size. Contexts involve both whole numbers and decimal numbers.


## Multiplying 4-digit numbers

Multiplying a 3-digit number by a 1-digit number was learnt during Year 4.
Learning to multiply 4-digit numbers begins with the expanded column method and then moves to the compact method.
The expanded method supports conceptual understanding of the compact column method.
Accurate use of language is key to ensuring conceptual understanding. For example:

9 ones $\times 3=27$ ones. 27 ones $=2$ tens and 7 ones.
6 tens $\times 3=18$ tens. Plus the 2 tens that were exchanged which makes 20 tens. 20 tens $=2$ hundreds and 0 tens.
etc


## BLOCK 2

$\times$ AND $\div$ UNIT 3

Scaling multiplication and division facts by one-tenth and one-hundredth Children have had lots of experience of combining known additive and multiplicative facts with unitising in tens and hundreds. Here they learn to combine known multiplicative facts with unitising in tenths and hundredths. Accurate use of language is key.
$0.04 \times 3=4$-hundredths $\times 3=12$-hundredths.
12 -hundredths is made up of 10 -hundredths and 2 -hundredths. 10 -hundredths $(10 / 100)$ is equal to one-tenth.
So we have one-tenth and 2 -hundredths.
We have 0.12.


Multiplying a 2-digit number by a 2-digit number (open arrays, grid method and expanded column method)
Learning to multiply a 2-digit number by a 2-digit number is introduced with an array. (The initial array enables children to see all the parts - teaching moves on to using open arrays as shown here.) The open array supports conceptual understanding of the process of multiplying a 2 -digit number by a 2 -digit number. The grid method reflects the open array very strongly, with the key difference being that the size of the parts in the grid method are not to scale.
Children are very familiar with the expanded column method for multiplying a number by a 1 -digit number and the expanded method is now used to multiply a 2digit number by a 2-digit number. Teaching models accurate use of language to ensure conceptual understanding.


## Dividing numbers with up to 4 digits

Children have experience of all three methods used. The difference is that they are now applied to numbers with up to 4-digits. Partitioning supports conceptual understanding about division. The dividend is partitioned into parts that are divisible by the divisor. There is no set number of parts to partition the dividend into. Children need to think about partitioning in non-standard ways. Understanding of the short division method is enhanced by accurate use of language.


## BLOCK 2

## FRACTIONS UNIT 2

Multiplying proper fractions by whole numbers
Initial work on multiplying proper fractions focuses on using repeated addition and the associated multiplication expression. The emphasis is on the conceptual understanding associated with multiplying fractions and to begin with children are not encouraged to find the answer/product. Work begins with unit fractions and progresses to non-unit fractions.
The pictorial representations are then removed and learning continues in the same manner. Next finding the product (answer) is introduced. Children learn that the numerator of the fraction is multiplied by the whole number and the denominator remains the same.


Multiplying proper fractions by whole numbers (ctd)
Learning moves on to consider examples where the product is more than one whole.


Multiplying mixed numbers by whole numbers
Learning to multiply mixed numbers by whole numbers begins with examples where the fractional parts multiply to less than one whole. For example:
$3 \times 23 / 10$
The core strategy modelled is to partition the mixed number into a whole number and a fraction. Multiply the wholes. Multiply the fractional parts. Combine.

Next children encounter examples where the fractional parts multiply to more than one whole. For example:
$3 \times 24 / 10$

The same partitioning procedure is used. The initial combining results in the nonconventional format of a mixed number with an improper fractional part. (In this instance, $1228 / 20$.) Whilst this is structurally correct, explain that convention means we write the mixed number so the numerator is less than the denominator.


## BLOCK 3 <br> CALCULATION UNIT

## Multiplying 3- and 4-digit numbers by 2-digit numbers

The final calculation unit develops understanding of long multiplication to include the compact method for numbers with up to 4 -digits. Calculations are represented using arrays to ensure conceptual understanding of the multiplication process and attribute meaning to the long multiplication procedure. The array on the left is used on its own and then alongside the formal algorithm for long multiplication. The process for each is the same:
multiply the ones; multiply the tens; multiply the hundreds.
Accurate use of language is key. Children are very familiar with multiplying by ones in the column layout, eg:
2 ones $\times 3=6$ ones;
3 tens $\times 3=9$ tens;
1 hundred $\times 3=3$ hundreds.

They also have considerable experience of multiplying by multiples of ten, but not recording in the column layout. Again, accurate use of language is key:
2 ones $\times 20=40$ ones $=4$ tens;
3 tens $\times 20=60$ tens $=6$ hundreds $=600$;
1 hundred $\times 20=20$ hundreds $=2000$

The grid method continues to be used. Whilst it is not the prime strategy, children are encouraged to make connections between the grid representation and the algorithm for long multiplication. Initial examples have no exchanging in the multiplication part of the algorithm. Exchanging is introduced later on.


## Methods for division (r)

Learning about division consolidates understanding of division from earlier in the year. Teaching revisits division of numbers with 4 digits, related facts (same multiplicative change to the dividend and the divisor meaning the resulting quotient stays the same) and remainders.

