## Year 2 maths newsletter



## Autumn 1

Welcome back to the new school year.
This half-term will be split into two maths topics, 'place value' and 'addition and subtraction.'

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## Number: place value

The value of each digit depending on its position within a number.


If you have any questions on how to support your child at home, please contact your child's teacher.

## Number: addition and subtraction




Children build upon their previous knowledge of place value to support them with the addition and subtraction of 2-digit numbers. Children will first explore these concepts through physical resources before moving onto pictorial representations.

Once confident, children are introduced to the idea of exchanging/regrouping. This is also explored using physical and pictorial representations.
The ten has been regrouped into 10 ones so the calculation can be completed.

## Vocabulary

The following vocabulary is used in the classroom to support learning. Please continue to support your child at home by using the same vocabulary.
Place value
hundreds, tens, ones
sero
partition
greater than/less than
stands for/ represents
digit

## Addition and subtraction

add, altogether, sum, total subtract, takeaway, difference column mentally estimate
inverse operation

## Further support at home

To support your child at home, we encourage the use of the classroom vocabulary and the same methods/strategies of calculation.

When working with your child at home, you can ask them the following question starters to further demonstrate their understanding.

How do you know...
How are 17 and 70 different? Can you show me.
What pattern do you notice?
Can this be done in a different way?
What other strategies can we use to work out?
What does ... represent?
Can you explain what would happen if...
Which is your favourite method? Why?
What is the key information in the question?

## Times tables practis e

You can help support your child at home with practising the $2 s, 5 s$ and $10 s$ times tables.
There are many websites to help support your child at home including times tables games on purple mash and times table rock stars.
https://WWW .purplemash.com/login/
https://ttrockstars.com/
If you have any questions on how to support your child at home or need any log in information, please contact your child's class teacher.

