Marton Manor Maths Medium-Term Plan & Small Steps: Nursery Autumn Term

	Colours	Matching	Sorting	Number 1	Number 2 Subitising	Number 2	Pattern	Consolidation
	2 weeks	2 weeks	2 weeks	2 weeks	1 week	1 week	2 weeks	3 weeks
National Curriculum	Development Matters Explore colour and colour mixing (Expressive Arts and Design) Birth to 5 matters Continues to explore colour and how colours can be changed (Expressive Arts and Design) Explore colour and colour mixing (Expressive Arts and Design) Design)	Development Matters Make comparisons between objects relating to size Complete inset puzzles Compare sizes using gestures and language: 'bigger/little/small' Birth to 5 Matters R4: Recognises that two objects have the same shape R5: Shows awareness of shape similarities and differences between objects. R6: Uses informal language and analogies, (e.g. heartshaped and handshaped leaves), as well as mathematical terms to describe shapes R4: Beginning to notice numerals.	Development Matters Make comparisons between objects relating to size Complete inset puzzles Compare sizes using gestures and language: 'bigger/little/small' Birth to 5 Matters R4: Recognises that two objects have the same shape R5: Shows awareness of shape similarities and differences between objects	Development Matters Develop fast recognition of up to 3 objects, without having to count them individually ('subitising'). Say one number for each item in order: 1,2,3,4,5. Know that the last number reached when counting a small set of objects tells you how many there are in total Show 'finger numbers' up to 5. Link numerals and amounts: for example, showing the right number of objects to match the numeral, up to 5. Birth to 5 Matters Points or touches (tags) each item, saying one number for each item, using the stable order of 1,2,3,4,5. Begin to recognise numerals 0 to 10 Subitises one, two and three objects (without counting)	Development Matters Develop fast recognition of up to 3 objects, without having to count them individually ('subitising'). Say one number for each item in order: 1,2,3,4,5. Know that the last number reached when counting a small set of objects tells you how many there are in total Show 'finger numbers' up to 5. Link numerals and amounts: for example, showing the right number of objects to match the numeral, up to 5. Birth to 5 Matters Points or touches (tags) each item, saying one number for each item, using the stable order of 1,2,3,4,5. Begin to recognise numerals 0 to 10 Subitises one, two and three objects (without counting)	Development Matters Develop fast recognition of up to 3 objects, without having to count them individually ('subitising'). Say one number for each item in order: 1,2,3,4,5. Know that the last number reached when counting a small set of objects tells you how many there are in total Show 'finger numbers' up to 5. Link numerals and amounts: for example, showing the right number of objects to match the numeral, up to 5. Birth to 5 Matters Points or touches (tags) each item, saying one number for each item, using the stable order of 1,2,3,4,5. Begin to recognise numerals 0 to 10 Subitises one, two and three objects (without counting)	Development Matters Extend and create ABAB patterns – stick, leaf, stick, leaf Birth to 5 Matters Creates their own spatial patterns showing some organisation or regularity Explores and adds to simple linear patterns of two or three repeating items, e.g. stick, leaf (AB) or stick, leaf, stone (ABC) Joins in with simple patterns in sounds, objects, games and stories dance and movement, predicting what comes next	Use these weeks for extra time for: • curiculum coverage • revisit less secure areas • pre-teach for next term • extra Number Sense
Small Steps	Recognising the colour red Recognising the colour blue Recognising the colour yellow Recognising the colour green Recognising the colour purple	Matching buttons Matching shoes Matching models Matching number shapes Matching handprints	Sorting colour Sorting size Sorting shape Sorting – what do you notice? Sorting – guess my rule!	Subitising Counting Numeral matching	Subitising 2 – dice patterns Subitising 2 – difference patterns Subitising 2 – different size patterns	Number 2 counting – say one number for each item Link the numeral 2 with amounts Link the numeral 2 to different images of 2	Use Number Sense subitise to 2 animations during this block as starters to keep it fresh Colour AB patterns Outdoor AB patterns Movement AB patterns fix my AB pattern colour ABC outdoor ABC	
Enrichment				World Statistics Day (20.10.23)				LET Christmas Problems & Puzzles

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Spring Term

	Number 3 (Number & Subilising)	Number 4 (Subitising & Number)	Number 5 (Subifising & Number)	Number 6 (Subitising & Number)	Height, Length, Mass & Capacity	Consolidation
	2 weeks	2 weeks	2 weeks	2 weeks	3 weeks	2 weeks
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Small Steps	Subitising 3 – dice patterns Subitising 3 – difference patterns Subitising 3 – different size patterns Counting 3 Recognizing numeral 3 Composition of 3 Triangles	 Counting 4 Recognizing numeral 4 Squares and rectangles Composition of 4 	 Counting 5 Recognizing numeral 5 pentagons Composition of 5 	Counting 6 Recognizing numeral 6 hexagons Using tens frames	Use Number Sense subitise / composition animations during this block as starters to keep it fresh Longer and shorter Measuring height Heaver and lighter Balancing scales Full and empty Nearly full and empty Comparing capacity	
Enrichment		International Puzzle Day (29.01.24)	NSPCC Number Day (02.02.24)		World Maths Day (23.03.24)	LET Easter Problems & Puzzles

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	Sequencing	Positional Language	More, Fewer	Shape	Number Composition	What Comes Before & After	Numbers To Five	Consolidation
	1 week	1 week	2 weeks	2 weeks	1 week	2 weeks	2 weeks	1 week
National Curriculum	Development Matters Begin to describe a sequence of events, real or fictional, using words such as 'first', 'then' Birth to 5 Matters Recalls a sequence of events in everyday life and stories.	Development Matters "The bag is under the table," with no pointing. Birth to 5 Matters Responds to and uses language of position and direction	Development Matters Compare quantities using language: 'more than', 'fewer than'. Birth to 5 Matters Compares two small groups of up to five objects, saying when there are the same number of objects in each group, e.g. You've got two, I've got two. Same!	Development Matters Talk about and explore 2D and 3D shapes (for example, circles, rectangles, triangles and cuboids) using informal and mathematical language: 'sides', 'corners'; 'straight', 'flat', 'round' Birth to 5 Matters Responds to both informal language and common shape names Shows awareness of shape similarities and differences between objects	Development Matters Explore the composition of numbers to 10. Birth to 5 Matters Through play and exploration, beginning to learn that numbers are made up (composed) of smaller numbers Beginning to use understanding of number to solve practical problems in play and meaningful activities Separates a group of three or four objects in different ways, beginning to recognise that the total is still the same	Development Matters Recite numbers past 5 Birth to 5 Matters May enjoy counting verbally as far as they can go.	Development Matters Know that the last number reached when counting a small set of objects tells you how many there are in total ('cardinal principle') Link numerals and amounts: for example, showing the right number of objects to match the numeral, up to 5 Solve real-world mathematical problems with numbers up to 5 Birth to 5 Matters Counts up to five items, recognising that the last number said represents the total counted so far (cardinal principle) Links numerals with amounts up to 5 and maybe beyond.	Use these weeks for extra time for:
Small Steps	Use Number Sense subitise / composition animations during this block as starters to keep it fresh • sequence a nursery rhyme • sequence a daily routine • sequence a familiar story	Use Number Sense subitise / composition animations during this block as starters to keep it fresh on and under in and out in front and behind	comparing groups – more than comparing groups – fewer than comparing groups – more than and fewer than	Use Number Sense subitise / composition animations during this block as starters to keep it fresh	composition of 3 composition of 4 composition of numbers	Use Number Sense subitise / composition animations during this block as starters to keep it fresh • what comes after • what comes before	numbers to 5	
Enrichment			Women in Maths Day (12.05.24)	National Numeracy Day (15.05.24)	My Money Week (12- 16.06.24)	Alan Turing Day (23.06.24)		LET Summer Problems & Puzzles