

St Mary’s EYFS Curriculum Progression & Skills

Nursery			Reception		
Number Knowledge & Skills <ul style="list-style-type: none">Develop fast recognition of up to 3 objects, without having to count them individually ('subitising').Count accurately beyond 5Touch-count accurately within 5Know that the last number reached when counting a small set of objects tells you how many there are in totalRepresent numbers on fingers up to 5Links numerals to amounts within 5Solve real-world problems with numbers to 5Compare quantities using 'more than', 'less than'Explore representing numbers through marks as well as numerals	Numerical Patterns Knowledge & Skills <ul style="list-style-type: none">Count accurately beyond 5Compare quantities using more than and less than	Shape Space & Measure Knowledge & Skills <ul style="list-style-type: none">Understand key words that can describe their position – prepositions (off, up, down, under, above, besides)Describe a short, familiar route using positional languageExtend and create ABAB patternsUse some sequencing language to describe an event 'first', 'next', 'last'Combine shapes to create new ones – a rectangle and a semicircle to create an archMake simple comparisons between objects relating to size, length, weight and capacity using key language to compare two or three itemsRecognise and name 2D shapes in different orientations – triangle, circle, square and rectangle. Know how many corners they haveRecognise that 3D shapes are solid.	Number Knowledge & Skills <ul style="list-style-type: none">Count objects, actions and soundsSubitise to 5 and extend to 10Link numerals to their cardinal valueAccurately count beyond 10Compare numbers within 10 using the language of 'more than', 'less than', 'fewer', 'the same as', 'equal to'.Find one more and one less than a given number within 10Explore the composition of numbers to 10Recall number bonds to 5 (including subtractions facts)Recall most number Bonds to 10Recall doubles to double 5	Numerical Patterns Knowledge & Skills <ul style="list-style-type: none">Verbally count beyond 20, recognising the pattern of the counting system;Compare quantities up to 10 in different contexts, recognising when one quantity is greater than, less than or the same as the other quantity;Explore and represent patterns within numbers up to 10, including evens and odds, double facts and how quantities can be distributed equally	Shape Space & Measure Knowledge & Skills <ul style="list-style-type: none">Select, rotate and manipulate shapes in order to develop spatial reasoning skills recognising how several shapes can be combinedCompose and decompose shapesDiscuss the properties of common 2D shapes – circle, triangle, square, rectangle, pentagon, semi circleRecognise and name common 3D shapes and begin to discuss their properties – pyramid, sphere, cube, cuboid, cylinderContinue, copy and recreate patterns with different rules (ABAB,ABBA, AABB, ABBC)Compare length, weight and capacity using ley language. Order 4 or more objects by length, weight or capacity
How it is covered					
Number Autumn: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Develop fast recognition of up to 3 objectsRecognise numbers to 3 in different pictorial representations, count accurately to 5 and touch count 3 objects accurately including counting out from a larger group, link numerals to amounts to 3 Spring: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Develop fast recognition of up to 5 objectsRecognise numbers to 5 in different pictorial representations, count accurately to 10 and touch count 5 objects accurately including counting out from a larger group, link numerals to amounts to 5Represent numbers to 5 with fingersCompare two quantities within 5 recognising which has more and which has less Summer: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Begin to compare two quantities within 10 recognising which has more and which has lessSolve real world problems using numbers to 5Begin to represent numbers beyond 5 with pictorial representations and fingersExplore counting backwards from 5Use key language – total, altogether when combining amounts within 5Start to represent numbers in mark making	Numerical Patterns Autumn: <ul style="list-style-type: none">counting accurately within 5 Spring: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Counting accurately to 10Use more and less to compare groups within 5 Summer: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Explore counting to 10 and beyondUse more and less to compare numbers within 10	Shape Space & Measure Autumn: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Explore shapes through play and combine shapes to make new shapesExplore length and compare two objects using key language Spring: <ul style="list-style-type: none">2D shapes and their properties. Explore combining shapes to make new shapes and describeExplore repeating patterns Summer: <ul style="list-style-type: none">capacity – empty and fullWeight – heaviest and lightestUsing prepositional language and describing a familiarRouteExplore 3D shapes e.g. cones, cubes, sphere	Number Autumn: <ul style="list-style-type: none">subitising, ordering numbers to 10, exploring the value of numbers to 10, addition within 10, exploring number bonds to 5, one more, one less, comparing groupsMore than/less than/equal to activities in continuous provisioncardinalityone to one correspondence with magic counting wandsPuppet role playsNcatm Reception number mastering lessonsRelevant Numberblocks clips with appropriate questioning Spring: <ul style="list-style-type: none">subitising, number bonds to 10, addition within 10, more than, fewer than, equal, accurately count beyond 10 forwards and backwards Summer: <ul style="list-style-type: none">doubles facts, subtraction within 10	Numerical Patterns Autumn: <ul style="list-style-type: none">recognise the pattern of the counting system within 10Begin to compare quantities using greater than, less than, same with groups Spring: <ul style="list-style-type: none">compare quantities using greater than, less than, same and equal to using number balances and additionRecognise the pattern of the counting system beyond 10 Summer: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Odd and Even numbersDoublesSharing between two and three equal groups. Recognising groups that are not equal	Shape Space & Measure Autumn: <ul style="list-style-type: none">continue and complete repeating patterns Spring: <ul style="list-style-type: none">capacity, weight, 2D shapes and their properties Summer: <ul style="list-style-type: none">doubles facts, subtraction within 10