

Daily Skills

Maths should not only be taught during specific maths sessions but wherever possible throughout the day. The following should be utilised to support maths teaching:

- Days of the week song and talking about the day
- General counting e.g. counting how many bananas there are in the fruit box.
- Counting songs
- Use of ordinal numbers e.g. "Sam line up first, Lilly line up second..."
- Maths games such as counting games, shape sorting, ordering the daily routine.
- Noticing maths in the environment e.g. asking children what they notice about a tree. They may say it is tall, has circles on etc.
- Incorporating Maths in areas of continuous provision wherever possible e.g. an activity in the water which focuses on understanding and developing their language of capacity.
- Incorporating Maths in daily routines e.g. during registration time. If there are 3 children absent the children clap 3 times. Having labels on pencil pots with a representation of a number to show how many pencils go in that pot during tidy up time.

Key	language	
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Cardinal	The number that identifies how many there are in a set
Numeral	The written symbol for a number e.g. 1, 2, 3
Subitise	Instantly recognise a small quantity without having to count how many there are.
More and fewer; more than and fewer than	Used when talking about an amount of objects
More and less; more than and less than	Used when talking about the number e.g. 2 is less than 4.

Key representations

Five Frames	
Numicon	
Fingers	
Dice	

Cubes	
Numerals	1 2 3 4 5
Real life objects	
Number Blocks	
Drawing	운 운 운 운 오

Autumn Overview

	Recognising, naming and matching colours
Geometry	Sorting by various attributes
	Continuing AB patterns
Measurement	Using the language of size
Number & Place Value	Grasping the Counting Principles
	Comparing amounts of objects

Spring Overview

Number & Place Value	Understanding Number 1
	Understanding Number 2
	Understanding Number 3
	Understanding Number 4
	Understanding Number 5
	Understanding Number 6

Summer Overview

Shape & Space	Shapes
	Ordering the events of our day
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Measurement	Weight
	Capacity
Shape & Space	Positional Language