

Class P1 Numeracy and Mathematics

Numeracy Task 1

Aim: To recognise the ‘more than’ and ‘less than’ signs

This sign $>$ means ‘more than’. It also means ‘bigger than’.
This sign $<$ means ‘less than’. It also means ‘smaller than’.

Remember that the open part of the sign is like a wide open mouth and it always faces the biggest number. Sometimes it is good to think about it as a hungry crocodile who always wants to eat the biggest number!



Watch this fun video :

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=M6Efzu2slal>

Google ‘You tube number gators greater than less than symbols’

Instead of a crocodile or alligator make your own animal picture with a wide open mouth to remind you of the signs. Add numbers for your animal to eat. Remember to put the biggest number at the open mouth!



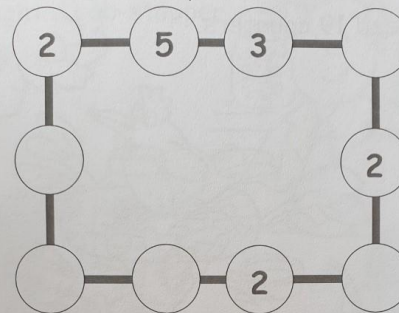
Remember you can send in pictures of any of your work you do using the school e-mail! If you are happy for them to go on the blog let us know.

Maths Task 2

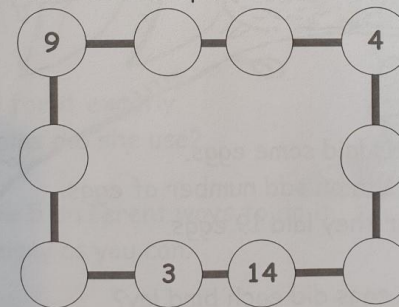
Aim: To use the guess, check and improve strategy

Number lines

1. Make each line add up to 16.



2. Make each line add up to 20.



3. Make up your own puzzle like this.

Ask a friend to do it.

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Teaching objectives

Solve mathematical problems or puzzles.

Know addition and subtraction facts up to 20.

Add three small numbers mentally.

Money Task 3

Aim: To calculate change

Shop keepers need to do take away sums to know how much change to give back to customers. Practise your subtraction with these money sums. The sums get trickier as you go down the page so stop when you begin to find them hard, or use practical materials or a number line to help. They are in a larger font on the following page.

5p – 1p =

5p – 5p =

5p – 2p =

10p – 1p =

10p – 4p =

10p – 2p =

10p – 7p =

10p – 9p =

10p – 8p =

20p – 4p =

20p – 2p =

20p – 0p =

20p – 9p =

20p – 10p =

20p – 11p =

$$5p - 1p =$$

$$5p - 5p =$$

$$5p - 2p =$$

$$10p - 1p =$$

$$10p - 4p =$$

$$10p - 2p =$$

$$10p - 7p =$$

$$10p - 9p =$$

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