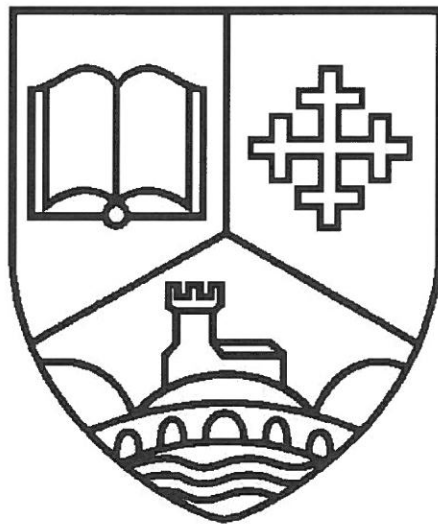


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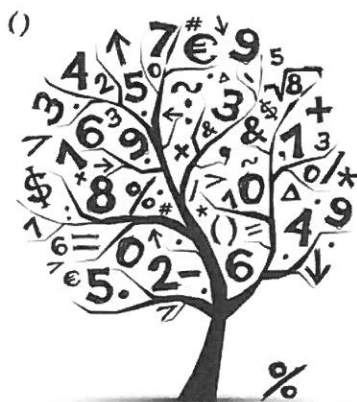
This booklet outlines the end of year expectations for children in our school. The objectives listed can be used as a starting point for reading, writing or maths activities that you might like to do with your child at home.

It is not a definitive guide or checklist. Some children may at different times be working towards objectives from earlier or later years – so this leaflet can be used in conjunction with the objectives from other years which are available to view on our website.

If you have any queries regarding the content of this booklet or want support in knowing how best to help your child, please talk to your child's teacher.

Mathematics

- Count reliably to 20.
- Order numbers 1 – 20.
- Say 1 more/1 less to 20.
- Add & subtract two single digit numbers using objects e.g. $4+2=6$; $7-4=3$.
- Write digits clearly.
- Solve problems, including doubling, halving and sharing.
- Identify own mathematical problems based on interests and fascinations



Reading

- Use phonic knowledge to decode simple regular words.
- Name and sound the letters of the alphabet.
- Read some common irregular words.
- Identify rhymes and alliteration.
- Join in with rhyming patterns.
- Use illustrations in books and signs or symbols in the environment
- Read & understand simple sentences.
- Demonstrate understanding when talking with others about what they have read.
- Make basic predictions.
- Enjoy an increasing range of books.
- Look at books independently and handle them carefully.
- Know that information can be retrieved from books and computers.



Writing

- Write simple sentences which can be read by themselves & others.
- Write own name and other things such as labels, captions.
- Use a capital letter for their own name.
- Start to use capital letters and full stops to demarcate sentences.
- Some words are spelt correctly and others are phonetically plausible.
- Correct pencil grip.
- Correct letter formation for familiar words.

