# Weston Favell CE Primary School 

# Calculation Guide 

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\text { Year } 4
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This calculation guide will demonstrate the written calculation strategies that are covered for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

Practising these will help in preparation for Year 5 and beyond!

If you have any questions or need any further support, please ask your class teacher and they will be happy to help you.

## Addition

$8+9=17$
addend + addend $=$ sum

## Example question: 189 +47



A bar model

A part/part whole
 model

Exploring using Base 10 Equipment

189
Column
Method
$+47$
236

11

## Subtraction

(Finding the Difference)

## Example questions:

## 147-39 (exchange required)



## Bar models

A part/part whole model
$147-39=$

= 108
$147-39=$

Vocabulary used at school to show this is strategy is: 'exchange'. We cannot take 9 from 7 in this method. To solve this, we have altered how we partition the 40 and 7. Instead of 40 we exchange so we have 30 and 17 . We now have 17 so we are able to take our 9 away.

In class, this will be explored practically with equipment first and then completed in the abstract way so children can understand where the numbers come from.

Column Method with Exchange

3
1《17

- 39

108

## Multiplication

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12 \times 7=84
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Example question: $42 \times 7=714$

The Grid Method

| $x$ | 40 | 2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 7 | $(40 \times 7)$ | $(2 \times 7)$ |
|  | 280 | 14 |

$280+14=294$

Example question: $324 \div 6=54$


Short Division
054
$6 \longdiv { 3 ^ { 3 } 2 ^ { 2 } 4 }$

## Times Tables

In Year Four children need to learn all of their time tables up to $12 \times 12$ facts alongside their corresponding division facts e.g. $3 \times 2=6$ so $6 \div 2=3$.

Children need to learn the times tables highlighted in the table below in order:

- $0 \times 2=0$
- $1 \times 2=2$
- $2 \times 2=4$ etc.

Then they need to be able to answer in any order e.g. $4 \times 2=8,12 \times 2=24,2 \times 2=4$

Focus on the commutativity of the times table when practising at home. If I know $3 \times 5=15, \mathrm{I}$ also know $5 \times 3$ is 15 ! This is represented in the table below:

| $\mathbf{x}$ | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ | $\mathbf{5}$ | $\mathbf{6}$ | $\mathbf{7}$ | $\mathbf{8}$ | $\mathbf{9}$ | $\mathbf{1 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 2}$ |
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| $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{1 \times 1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 | $2 \times 1$ | $2 \times 2$ |  |  |  |  |  | Facts taught in Year 4 |  |  |  |  |
| $\mathbf{3}$ | $3 \times 1$ | $3 \times 2$ | $3 \times 3$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4 | $4 \times 1$ | $4 \times 2$ | $4 \times 3$ | $4 \times 4$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 | $5 \times 1$ | $5 \times 2$ | $5 \times 3$ | $5 \times 4$ | $5 \times 5$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7 | $6 \times 1$ | $6 \times 2$ | $6 \times 3$ | $6 \times 4$ | $6 \times 5$ | $6 \times 6$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7 | $7 \times 1$ | $7 \times 2$ | $7 \times 3$ | $7 \times 4$ | $7 \times 5$ | $7 \times 6$ | $7 \times 7$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8 | $8 \times 1$ | $8 \times 2$ | $8 \times 3$ | $8 \times 4$ | $8 \times 5$ | $8 \times 6$ | $8 \times 7$ | $8 \times 8$ |  |  |  |  |
| 9 | $9 \times 1$ | $9 \times 2$ | $9 \times 3$ | $9 \times 4$ | $9 \times 5$ | $9 \times 6$ | $9 \times 7$ | $9 \times 8$ | $9 \times 9$ |  |  |  |
| 10 | $10 \times 1$ | $10 \times 2$ | $10 \times 3$ | $10 \times 4$ | $10 \times 5$ | $10 \times 6$ | $10 \times 7$ | $10 \times 8$ | $10 \times 9$ | $10 \times 10$ |  |  |
| 11 | $11 \times 1$ | $11 \times 2$ | $11 \times 3$ | $11 \times 4$ | $11 \times 5$ | $11 \times 6$ | $11 \times 7$ | $11 \times 8$ | $11 \times 9$ | $11 \times 10$ | $11 \times 11$ |  |
| 12 | $12 \times 1$ | $12 \times 2$ | $12 \times 3$ | $12 \times 4$ | $12 \times 5$ | $12 \times 6$ | $12 \times 7$ | $12 \times 8$ | $12 \times 9$ | $12 \times 10$ | $12 \times 11$ | $12 \times 12$ |

