

Vocabulary and Stem Sentences



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These words have been organised underneath headings linked to the different strands of the maths curriculum and written in order so common associations are grouped together.

Term	Definition	Stem Sentences
Number and Pl	ace Value	
Digit	A single numeral e.g 4 or 7	The value of the digit in is
		'The value of the 6 digit in 173,463 is
	5, 407, 5000	60.'
Integer	A whole number e.g 56, 107, 5000	
Negative	A number less than 0.	
number Ones	Digits representing 0-9	The in represents the ones.
Ortes	Digits representing 0-7	'The 5 in 475 represents the ones.'
Whole	The total amount.	is the whole, and are the
		parts.
	Whole	'20 is the whole, 16 and 4 are the
	?	parts.'
	Part Part	
	? ?	
Part	An portion of a number that makes	A part of is
rart	part of the whole.	'A part of 10 is 6.'
	part of the whole.	A part of to is o.
	part part part	can be split into the parts
	5 2 whole	and
	part 5	'10 can be split into the parts 6 and
	7) 3	4'
	whole	
Partitioning	Splitting a number into parts.	can be partitioned into and
- 1	NA/L L L/	'35 can be partitioned into 30 and 5'
Equal	When two numbers and/or	is the same as '20 + 20 is the same as 10 x 4'
	calculations have the same value or worth.	20 + 20 is the same as 10 x 4
	Worth.	is equal to
		'56 is equal to 7 x 8'
Less than	When the value or worth of a	is less than
	number/calculation is smaller than	'4 is less than 5'
	another.	
	< is the symbol used to represent	'10 < 5 x 3'
	less than.	
Greater than	When the value or worth of a	is greater than
	number/calculation is larger than another.	'3/5 is greater than 1/5'
	> Is the symbol used to represent	is more than
	greater than.	'17 + 33 is more than 15 + 34'
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		${40 \div 5 > 5 + 2'}$

Odd	Numbers that can't be made of	is not made of pairs; it is an odd
Odd	1	number.
	groups of two.	
	Odd numbers can be partitioned into	'37 is not made of pairs; it is an odd number. '
	Odd numbers can be partitioned into	number.
	one odd part and one even part.	
Even	Numbers that can be made out of	is made of pairs of; it is an
	groups of two.	even number.
		'12 is made of pairs of 6; it is an even
	Even numbers can be partitioned	number.'
	into two odd parts or two even	
	parts.	
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Ordinal	A number that gives a position eg.	
number	1 st .	
Cardinal	A number that represents a	
number	quantity.	
Prime number	A number that can only be divided	I know that is a prime number
	by itself and 1.	because its only factors are and 1.
		'I know that 19 is a prime number
		because its only factors are 19 and 1.'
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Square	A number created from multiplying	I know is a square number
number	an integer by itself.	because you multiple by itself.
	16	, ,
	9	'I know 64 is a square number
	1 4	because you multiple 8 by itself.'
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	1x1 2x2 3x3 4x4	
Cube number	A number created by multiplying an	If I multiple by itself three times, I
	integer by itself three times.	get the cube number
	$\mathfrak{D} = 1 \times 1 \times 1 = 1$	were the track of the track
		'If I multiple 10 by itself three times, I
	$2^3 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 = 8$	get the cube number 1000.'
	$3^3 = 3 \times 3 \times 3 = 27$	
	$4^3 = 4 \times 4 \times 4 = 64$	

Calculations		
Number sentence	Representing the maths of a context with numbers and symbols. E.g 50 + 20 = 70	The number sentence that represents the word problem is Jake has 10 stickers, he gives 4 to his sister. How many does he have left? 'The number sentence that represents the word problem is 10 - 4 = 6'
Operation	Four actions to solve problems; addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.	
Calculation	Using any of the four operations between numbers. E.g 10 + 5, 10 x 5, 10 – 5, 10 ÷5	
Estimate	Finding an approximate answer by rounding the numbers to the nearest one, tens, hundreds etc.	l estimate is because I can do 'I estimate 19 x 8 is 160 because I can do 20 x 8.'
Rounding	Changing the number up or down to the nearest one, ten, hundred etc depending how close it is.	I know to round to because it is between and and the is above/below 5. 'I know to round 67 to 70 because it is between 60 and 70 and the ones is above 5.'
Commutative	Adding or multiplying numbers together in any order because you still get the same total.	If I know then I also know "If I know 12 + 3 = 15 then I also know 3 + 12 = 15'
Distributive	Splitting a multiplication up into two different calculations that still represent the same amount. 9 x 6 is the same as 4x6 and 5x6 added together. 6	I know that groups of is the same as groups of and groups of 'I know that 3 groups of 15 is the same as 3 groups of 10 and 3 groups of 5.'
Addition		
Adding	Combining 2(or more) parts to make a whole.	
Sum	The calculation that represents an addition operation.	The sum of and is 'The sum of 24 and 30 is 54'
Total	The amount you get from adding 2 or more numbers together.	The total of the parts and is 'The total of the parts 30 and 70 is 100.'
Subtraction		
Take away	Removing a part from the whole.	

Difference	The amount of the missing part between part and whole.	The difference between and is 'The difference between 35 and 50 is 15'
Multiplication		
Times	An amount that is added to itself multiple times.	times equals 'three times ten equals thirty'
Groups	The amount of the same number in a multiplication.	There are groups of in 'There are 4 groups of 5 in 20'
Multiples	The result of multiplying one whole number with another. E.G 3,6,9,12 are multiples of 3.	I know that is a multiple of because it is in the times table. 'I know that 20 is a multiple of 5 because it is in the 5 times table.' I know that is a multiple of because it is made of equal groups of 'I know that 42 is a multiple of 6 because it is made of 7 equal groups of 6.
Array	Arranging symbols/objects into columns and rows to represent multiplication.	There are lots of 'There are 3 lots of 4.'
Scaling	The ratio between two amounts. B is twice the size of A.	is aof the size of '15cm is a third of the size of 45cm'
Division		
Divide	Sharing out an amount into equal groups.	
Factors	A factor of a number is a whole number that divides exactly into it.	is a factor of because I can share it into equal groups of '3 is a factor of 12 because I can share it into 3 equal groups of 4.
Remainders	When you divide one number by another and the answer does not divide exactly and you have an amount left over.	

Fractions, Perce	ntages, Decimals	
Fraction	A part of something. The whole can	
	be one object or a group of objects.	
Numerator	The top part of the fraction that	
	shows how many parts you are	
	looking at.	
	looming and	
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Denominator	The bottom part of the fraction that	
	shows how many equal parts are in	
	the whole.	
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Unit fractions	A fraction that has a numerator of	is a unit fraction.
Office fractions	1.	"1/5 is a unit fraction."
	E.g 1/4	1/3 is a unit fraction.
	L.9 /4	A unit fraction always has a
		numerator of
		"A unit fraction always has a
		numerator of 1"
Non- unit	A fraction that has a numerator	is a non-unit fraction.
fractions	larger than 1.	"3/5 is a non-unit fraction."
Jiactions	E.g 3/4	373 ts a non ante fraction.
	2.9 /-	A non-unit fraction always has a
		numerator
		"A non-unit fraction always has a
		numerator bigger than 1"
Mixed number	A whole number and a fraction.	The represents
	E.g 2 ³ / ₄	"The 2 represents 8 quarters"
	9	
		A mixed number is made up of a
		and a
		"A mixed number is made up of a
		whole number and a fraction."
Improper	A fraction that has a numerator	is an improper fraction.
fraction	larger than the denominator.	"7/5 is an improper fraction."
	E.g 8/4	
Equivalent	Fractions worth the same amount.	is equivalent to
fractions		"1/2 is equivalent to 3/6"
		I know and are the same
		because
		"I know ¼ and 4/16 are the same
		because both the numerator and the
		denominator have been multiplied by
		4."

Decimal	Decimals that have the same worth	is the same as
equivalents	as a fraction.	'0.1 is the same as one tenth.'
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Tenths	When the whole has been split into	1/10 of is
	10 equal parts.	"1/10 of 50 is 5"
		To find a 1/10 of, I must
		"To find a 1/10 of 30, I must divide
		30 by 10 so 1/10 of 30 is 3.
		If I have, I have left over
Percentage	An amount out of 100.	"If I have 2/10, I have 8/10 left over." I know% is out of 100.
rercentage	All allibuite out of 100.	"I know 15% is 15 out of 100."
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Ratio		
Relative size	Changing the amount of an item to	
	be in proportion to another	
	amount.	
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Proportion	Having two ratios that are equal in size.	If the ratio is, then if I had, I would also have
	E.g 1:5 is the same as 2:10	would also have
	L.g 1.3 is the sume as 2.10	"If the ratio is 2:5, then if I have 40
		boys, I would also have 100 girls."
Ratio	Comparing one part of a whole to	For every, I have
	another part of a whole.	"For every 5 blue pegs, I have 10 red
	Eg. The ratio in cooking is	pegs."
	1(egg):100(grams of flour)	
Algebra		
Formulae	A rule that uses symbols or letters	
. ormanac	to represent any number you place	
	in there.	
	E.G $a \times b = c$	
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Linear number	A sequence that goes up in the	
sequence	same amount each time or follows a rule.	
	a rate.	
Measurement		
Length	The measurement for how long	
	something is.	
M	A	
Mass	Amount of matter in an object.	

Weight	How heavy an item is.	
Volume	The space taken up by an object or	
	the amount of liquid	
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Capacity	How much liquid a container could hold.	
Metric	A modern unit of measurement	10mm =
rietric	including centimetre, litre, grams	"10mm = 1cm"
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		I know that there are cm inm
		so I know there arecm inm.
		"I know that are 100cm in 1m so I
		know there are 500cm in 5m"
Imperial	An old unit of measurement	1lb is the same as oz
	including mile, inch, foot, pint	"1lb is the same as 16 oz"
Anglesus	A clock whore the time of	The hand requirements
Analogue clock	A clock where the time if represented on a face with hands.	The hand represents "The long hand represent the
CIOCK	represented on a jace with hands.	minutes"
		Hittates
		The represents minutes
		"The 4 represents 20 minutes."
Digital clock	The time represented as digits.	The in represents
		"The 3 in 03:15 represents the hour."
Perimeter	The length around a 2D shape.	To find the perimeter of, I must
		"To find the perimeter of a pentagon,
		I must multiply the length of one side
		by 5"
		A square will always have"
		"A square will always have a
		perimeter with a multiple of 4."
Area	The amount of space a shape	If I know the length and width of
	covers.	is then I know the area is
		"If I know the length and width of the
		rectangle is 6cm and 4cm then I know
		the area is 24cm."
		To find the great of a limited
		To find the area of a, I must "To find the area of a triangle, I must
		multiply the base by the height and
		then half it."
Geometry		
2D shape	An outline with length and width.	
20 -1	An alicatorial local	
3D shape	An object with length, width and	
	depth.	

Net	A flat shape which can be folded	
	into a 3D shape.	
Polygon	A 2d shape with more than 2 sides.	
Angle	A turn formed between two straight	A angle is (between) (and
	lines meeting.) degrees. 'A right angle is 90 degrees.'
		'An acute angle is between 0 and 90
		degrees.'
Horizontal/ver	A straight line that runs from top to	
tical lines	bottom/left to right.	
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Co ordinates	A pair of letters or numbers that show a position on a grid.	When finding a co-ordinate I must read the axis then the axis.
		'When finding a co-ordinate I must
		read the X axis then the Y axis.'
		When writing a co-ordinate, I must
		write then When writing a co-ordinate, I must
- L.		write x axis then the y axis.'
Translation	Moving a point or object in any direction without rotating it.	
Reflection	A mirror view across a line of	
Radius	reflection. The distance from	
Radius	the centre of a	
	circle to the circumference.	
Diameter	A straight line that passes through the	
	centre of the circle	
	from one side to the other.	
Circumference	The distance around a circle.	
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Statistics		
Bar charts	A chart which shows the relation between a set of data.	The bar represents 'The yellow bar represent 6 children'
Pictograms	A diagram where a picture represents a quantity.'	The represents so represents 'The flower represent 5 flowers sold so 2 flowers represents 10 flowers sold.'
Tables	A way of recording or displaying basic data.	
Pie chart	A circle graph where each section represent part of the total.	
Line charts	A graph depicting continuous data.	A line represents 'A steep line represents the plant grew quickly.'
Discrete data	Data that is not related to each other. E.G Favourite colours	
Continuous data	Data that is on the same scale and dependent on the previous piece of data. E.G tracking temperature over multiple days.	
Mean	The average amount of a group of different amounts.	To find the mean, I need to 'To find the mean, I need to add up the amounts and divide by how many amounts there are'