

Key vocabulary list – Year 3

Textbook and unit	Key vocabulary highlighted in	New vocabulary
	this unit	· ·
3A Unit 1: Place value within 1,000	hundreds (100s)	hundreds
	tens (10s)	exchange
	ones (1s)	ascending
	place value	descending
	more	
	less	
	greater than (>)	
	less than (<)	
	equal to	
	order	
	compare	
	estimate	
	exchange	
	ascending	
	descending	
3A Unit 2: Addition and	addition	bonds
subtraction (1)	subtraction	
	mental method	
	exchange	
	bonds	
3A Unit 3: Addition and	exchange	digit
subtraction (2)	column method	multiple
	estimate	approximately
	mental method	
	multiple	
	sum	
	digit	
	approximate	
	add	
	subtract	
	difference	
	plus	
	minus	
	total	
	place value	
3A Unit 4: Multiplication and	equal	repeated addition
division (1)	multiply	commutative
	divide	
	multiple	
	times-tables	
	sharing	
	grouping	
	array	
	bar model	
	repeated addition	
	commutative	



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3A Unit 5: Multiplication and division (2)	equal multiply divide multiple times-tables sharing grouping array bar model repeated addition multiplication sentence multiplication fact division sentence division fact remainder	multiplication sentence division sentence remainder
3B Unit 6: Multiplication and division (3)	multiplication division statement number sentence compare less than (<) greater than (>) equal (=) equally least most remainder expanded written method share multi-step	statement expanded written method equally
3B Unit 7: Length and perimeter	length height width perimeter distance centimetres (cm) millimetres (mm) metres (m) measure unit of measurement add subtract multiply equivalent convert greater than (>) less than (<) ruler metre stick	metre stick ruler millimetres convert perimeter



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OD Huit Or Frantisms (4)	this unit	- wind at faction
3B Unit 8: Fractions (1)	equivalent	equivalent fraction
	numerator	
	denominator	
	compare	
	add	
	fraction	
	whole	
	equivalent fraction	
	greater than (>)	
	less than (<)	
	equal to	
	multiply	
	inequality statement	
	divide	
3B Unit 9: Mass	mass	interval
	measure	scale
	kilograms (kg)	
	scale	
	interval	
	grams (g)	
3B Unit 10: Capacity	capacity	
	litre (I)	
	millilitres (ml)	
	convert	
	scale	
	interval	
3C Unit 11: Fractions (2)	numerator	
	denominator	
	add	
	subtract	
	fraction	
	whole	
	equal to	
	multiply	
	divide	
	parts	
	set of objects	
3C Unit 12: Money	pounds (£)	
·	pence (p)	
	convert	
	total	
	difference	
	change	



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3C Unit 13: Time	numerals	numerals
	month	digital
	year	am (ante meridiem)
	midnight	pm (post meridiem)
	midday	midday /
	am	midnight
	pm	end
	duration	duration
	hour	daration
	minute	
	second	
	past	
	to	
	start	
	end	
	digital clock	
3C Unit 14: Angles and properties	right angle	right angle
	acute	acute
of shapes	obtuse	obtuse
		horizontal
	parallel	
	perpendicular	vertical
	vertical	parallel
	horizontal	perpendicular
	triangle	
	quadrilateral	
	kite	
	trapezium	
	rhombus	
	parallelogram	
	cuboid	
	triangular prism	
	square-based pyramid	
	cone	
	tetrahedron	
	cylinder	
	sphere	
	edges	
	faces	
	vertices	
	clockwise	
	anticlockwise	
3C Unit 15: Statistics	pictogram	bar chart
	key	vertical axis
	bar chart	
	scale	
	table	
	row	
	column	
	vertical axis	