Year 6 Basic Maths Skills

These are the skills that are new for Year 6 unless stated as consolidation.

Number and Place Value

Read and write numbers up to 10,000,000 in words and numerals and say the value of each digit

Compare and order numbers up to 10,000,000

Round any number to the required degree of accuracy

Number – mental addition, subtraction, multiplication and division

Know and recall rapidly all times tables (multiplication and division facts- consolidation from years 4 and 5)

Know and recall rapidly prime numbers up to 19 and square and cubed numbers (consolidation from Y5)

Number – fractions, decimals and percentages

Say the value of each digit in numbers given to three decimal places

Read, write, compare and order numbers with up to three decimal places

Multiply and divide numbers by 10,100,100 giving answers up to three decimal places (e.g. $1205 \div 1000 = 1.205$)

Know decimal, percentage and fractions equivalents (e.g. 3/5 = 0.6 = 60%)

Measurement

Know the formula to convert between miles and kilometres (1 mile=1.6km / 1km = 0.625 miles)

Geometry – shape

Name the parts of a circle (circumference, diameter, radius) and know that the diameter is twice the radius

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