



Mathematical Skills - Progression through the National Curriculum

Notes:

• Geometry - Shape

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Identify Shapes and their Properties	recognise and name common 2-D and 3-D shapes, including: * 2-D shapes [e.g. rectangles (including squares), circles and	identify and describe the properties of 2-D shapes, including the number of sides and line symmetry in		identify lines of symmetry in 2-D shapes presented in different orientations	identify 3-D shapes, including cubes and other cuboids, from 2-D representations	recognise, describe and build simple 3-D shapes, including making nets
	triangles] * 3-D shapes [e.g. cuboids (including cubes), pyramids and spheres].	a vertical line identify and describe the properties of 3-D shapes, including the number of edges, vertices and faces				illustrate and name parts of circles, including radius, diameter and circumference and know that the diameter is twice the radius
		identify 2-D shapes on the the radius surface of 3-D shapes, [for example, a circle on a cylinder and a triangle on a pyramid]				
Drawing and Constructing			draw 2-D shapes and make 3-D shapes using modelling materials; recognise 3-D shapes in different orientations and describe them	complete a simple symmetric figure with respect to a specific line of symmetry	draw given angles, and measure them in degrees (o)	draw 2-D shapes using given dimensions and angles recognise, describe and build simple 3-D shapes, including making nets
Comparing and		compare and sort common 2-D	and describe them	compare and classify	use the properties of rectangles	compare and classify geometric
Classifying		and 3-D shapes and everyday		geometric shapes, including	to deduce related facts and find	shapes based on their properties
		objects		quadrilaterals and triangles,	missing lengths and angles	and sizes and find unknown
				based on their properties and		angles in any triangles,
				sizes		quadrilaterals, and regular
					distinguish between regular and	polygons
					irregular polygons based on	
					reasoning about equal sides and	
					angles	
Angles			recognise angles as a property		know angles are measured in	
			of shape or a description of a		degrees: estimate and compare	
			turn identify right angles,	identify acute and obtuse	acute, obtuse and reflex angles identify:	recognise angles where they
			recognise that two right	angles and compare and order	* angles at a point and one whole	meet at a point, are on a straight

	angles make a halfturn, three make three quarters of a turn and four a complete turn; identify whether angles are greater than or less than a right angle	 turn (total 360 o) * angles at a point on a straight line and ½ a turn (total 180 o) * other multiples of 90 o	line, or are vertically opposite, and find missing angle
	identify horizontal and vertical lines and pairs of perpendicular and parallel lines		