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Year 3

1 Number and Algebra

1.1 Representing numbers using place value A

MA2-RN-01 applies an understanding of place value and the role of zero to represent numbers to at least tens of thousands	
Course Topics	Activities
Represent numbers using	Greater or Less to 100
place value (A)	Which is Bigger?
	Which is Smaller?
	Place Value to Thousands
	Expanding Numbers
	Put in Order 1
	Ascending Order
	Descending Order
	Greater Than or Less Than 1
	Place Value 3
	Partition and Rename 2
	Nearest 1000?
	Missing Numbers 1
Topics	Skill Quests
Numbers to 10 000	Reading, representing & ordering 4-digit numbers
	Counting by tens & hundreds to 1000
	Comparing & ordering numbers up to 10 000
	Partitioning numbers to 4 digits
Numbers to 100 000	Reading, representing & ordering 5-digit numbers

1.2 Additive relations A

MA2-AR-01 selects and uses mental and written strategies for addition and subtraction involving 2- and 3-digit numbers	
Course Topics	Activities
Additive relations: up to 3	Add Two 2-Digit Numbers
digits (A)	Adding to 2-digit numbers
	Magic Mental Addition
	Complements to 50 and 100
	Add 3 Numbers: Bonds to 100
	Compensation – Add
	Estimate Sums
	Subtract Tens
	Magic Mental Subtraction
	Column Subtraction
	2-Digit Differences: Regroup

	Repartition to Subtract
	Compensation – Subtract
	Estimate Differences
	Bump Add and Subtract
	Related Facts 1
Topics	Skill Quests
Addition & subtraction to 3	Adding & subtracting multiple single-digit numbers
digits	Bonds to 100
	Connecting addition & subtraction
	Estimating with addition & subtraction
	Add/subtract multiples of 10 to 3-digit numbers
Mental strategies to add or	Adding using jump strategy to 3 digits
subtract	Subtracting using jump strategy to 3 digits
	Add/subtract using jump strategy to 3 digits
	Adding using bridging to 10 up to 3 digits
	Subtracting using bridging to 10 up to 3 digits
	Add/subtract using bridging to 10 up to 3 digits
	Adding using split strategy to 3 digits
	Subtracting using split strategy to 3 digits
	Add/subtract using split strategy to 3 digits
	Adding using round & compensate to 3 digits
	Subtracting using round & compensate to 3 digits
	Add/subtract using round & compensate to 3 digits
Select strategies to add or	Add/subtract using bar model to 3 digits
subtract	Selecting strategies to add/subtract to 3 digits
	Using addition & subtraction with money

MA2-AR-02 completes number sentences involving addition and subtraction by finding missing values	
Course Topics	Activities
Additive relations: up to 3	Bar Model Problems 1
digits (A)	Bar Model Problems 2
	Missing Values
Topics	Skill Quests
Solve number sentences	Solving addition & subtraction number sentences
with add/subtract	

1.3 Multiplicative relations A

MA2-MR-01 represents and uses the structure of multiplicative relations to 10×10 to solve problems	
Course Topics	Activities
Multiplicative relations (A)	Counting by Tens
	Counting by Fives
	Counting by Twos
	Count by 2s, 5s and 10s
	Skip Counting
	Counting up in 4s
	Skip Counting with Coins

	Grouping in Threes
	Grouping in Fours
	Grouping in Fives
	Grouping in Tens
	Arrays 1
	Arrays 2
	Model Multiplication to 5 × 5
	Fact Families: Multiply and Divide
	Multiplication Turnarounds
	Dividing by Two
	Dividing by Five
	Dividing Tens
	Halve it!
Topics	Skill Quests
Number patterns	Generating/describing patterns (1, 2, 5, 10, 25)
	Generating/describing patterns (3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9)
	Identifying number patterns
	Investigating odd & even numbers
	Understand the property of 0 & 1 in multiplication
Multiplicative facts for 2, 4,	Recalling multiplication & division facts of 2
5 & 10	Recalling multiplication & division facts of 4
	Recalling multiplication & division facts of 5
	Recalling multiplication & division facts of 10
	Solving problems using multiplication facts

MA2-MR-02	
completes number sentences involving multiplication and division by finding missing values	
Course Topics	Activities
Teacher directed	
Topics	Skill Quests
Solve multiplication &	Find the missing number in mult/divison problems
division problems	

1.4 Partitioned fractions A

MA2-PF-01 represents and compares halves, quarters, thirds and fifths as lengths on a number line and their related fractions formed by halving (eighths, sixths and tenths)	
Course Topics	Activities
Partitioned fractions (A)	Halves and Quarters
	Thirds and Sixths
	Shade Fractions
	Identifying Fractions on a Number Line
	Equivalent Fraction Wall 1
Topics	Skill Quests
Halves, quarters, thirds &	Halves, quarters & eighths
fifths	Thirds & fifths
	Working with unit fractions

2 Measurement and Space

2.1 Geometric measure A

MA2-GM-01 uses grid maps and directional language to locate positions and follow routes	
Course Topics	Activities
Geometric measure:	Following Directions
position (A)	Coordinate Meeting Place
	What Direction was That?
	Using a Key
Topics	Skill Quests
Use grid maps to describe	Interpreting maps to describe position
position	Locating positions on a map

MA2-GM-02 measures and estimates lengths in metres, centimetres and millimetres	
Course Topics	Activities
Geometric measure: length	How Long is That?
(A)	Measuring Length
	Perimeter of Shapes
	Converting cm and mm
	Centimetres and Metres
Topics	Skill Quests
Use metric measurements	Measuring in m, cm, mm
for lengths	Selecting measures for length (m, cm, mm)
	Comparing length measurements
	Ordering length measurements

MA2-GM-03 identifies angles and classifies them by comparing to a right angle	
Course Topics	Activities
Geometric measure: angle	Equal Angles
(A)	Comparing Angles
	Right Angle Relation
	What Type of Angle?
	Classifying Angles
Topics	Skill Quests
Identify & compare angles	Identifying angles as measures of turn

2.2 Two-dimensional spatial structure A

MA2-2DS-01	
compares two-dimensional shapes and describes their features	
Course Topics	Activities
2D spatial structure: shape	What Line am I?
& area (A)	Collect the Shapes
	Collect More Shapes

	Collect the Shapes 2
	Area of Shapes
Topics	Skill Quests
Identify features of 2D	Comparing & describing features of quadrilaterals
shapes	Identifying, classifying & sorting 2D shapes

MA2-2DS-02 performs transformations by combining and splitting two-dimensional shapes	
Course Topics	Activities
2D spatial structure:	Symmetry
transformations (A)	Symmetry or Not?
	Flip, Slide, Turn
	Transformations
	Rotational Symmetry
Topics	Skill Quests
Perform transformations	Transforming shapes by translation & reflections
	Recognising line symmetry
	Transforming shapes by rotation

MA2-2DS-03	
estimates, measures and compares areas using square centimetres and square metres	
Course Topics	Activities
2D spatial structure: shape	Equal Areas
& area (A)	
Topics	Skill Quests
Calculate area of a	Using cm2 to measure areas of rectangles
rectangle	Using m2 to measure areas of rectangles

2.3 Three-dimensional spatial structure A

MA2-3DS-01 makes and sketches models and nets of three-dimensional objects including prisms and pyramids	
Course Topics	Activities
3D spatial structure: 3D	Prisms and Pyramids
objects (A)	Collect the Objects
	Match the Object
Topics	Skill Quests
Identify prisms, pyramids &	Identifying prisms
cylinders	Identifying pyramids & cylinders
	Describing key features of prisms & pyramids
	Making models of prisms & pyramids
	Introducing nets of prisms

MA2-3DS-02 estimates, measures and compares capacities (internal volumes) using litres, millilitres and volumes using cubic centimetres	
Course Topics	Activities
3D spatial structure: volume	How Full?
& capacity (A)	Which Holds More?
	Filling Fast!
	Comparing Volume
Topics	Skill Quests
Measure capacity & volume	Introducing a formal measure of capacity (litres)
	Measuring & comparing volumes using cubic blocks

2.4 Non-spatial measure A

MA2-NSM-01	
estimates, measures and compares the masses of objects using kilograms and grams	
Course Topics	Activities
Non-spatial measure: mass	Everyday Mass
& time (A)	Half Hour Times
Topics	Skill Quests
Measure mass in kg & g	Introducing a formal measure for weight (kg)

MA2-NSM-02	
represents and interprets analog and digital time in hours, minutes and seconds	
Course Topics	Activities
Non-spatial measure: mass	Five Minute Times
& time (A)	What's the Temperature (Celsius)?
Topics	Skill Quests
Represent time using	Representing & reading analog time displays
analog displays	

3 Statistics and Probability

3.1 Data A

MA2-DATA-01 collects discrete data and constructs graphs using a given scale	
Course Topics	Activities
Data (A)	Sorting Data
	Column Graphs
	Picture Graphs: single-unit scale
	Pictographs
	Tallies

Topics	Skill Quests
Collect & organise discrete	Posing questions & collecting discrete data
data	Organising & displaying discrete data using graphs

MA2-DATA-02 interprets data in tables, dot plots and column graphs	
Course Topics	Activities
Data (A)	Sorting Data
	Column Graphs
	Picture Graphs: single-unit scale
	Pictographs
	Tallies
Topics	Skill Quests
Read tables, dot plots &	Interpreting tables & column graphs
column graphs	Comparing data displays

3.2 Chance A

MA2-CHAN-01	
records and compares the results of chance experiments	
Course Topics	Activities
Chance (A)	Most Likely and Least Likely
	How many Combinations?
	Will it Happen?
Topics	Skill Quests
Chance concepts	Identifying outcomes from experiments

Year 4

1 Number and Algebra

1.1 Representing numbers using place value B

MA2-RN-01 applies an understanding of place value and the role of zero to represent numbers to at least tens of thousands	
Course Topics	Activities
Represent numbers using	Expanded Notation
place value (B)	Numbers in Words
	Partition and Rename 3
	Rounding Numbers
	Numbers from Words to Digits 1
	Missing Numbers 2
Topics	Skill Quests
Numbers to 100 000	Reading, representing & ordering numbers to 10 000
	Rounding numbers to 10 000
	Partitioning 5-digit numbers
	Recognising numbers that are 10, 100, 1000 bigger

MA2-RN-02	
represents and compares decimals up to 2 decimal places using place value	
Course Topics	Activities
Represent numbers using	Decimals on the Number Line
place value (B)	Decimals from Words to Digits 1
	Decimal Place Value
	Decimal Order 1
Topics	Skill Quests
Topics Represent decimals to	Skill Quests Introducing decimal tenths
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Represent decimals to	Introducing decimal tenths
Represent decimals to	Introducing decimal tenths Introducing decimal hundredths
Represent decimals to	Introducing decimal tenths Introducing decimal hundredths Comparing & ordering decimals to hundredths

1.2 Additive relations B

MA2-AR-01 selects and uses mental and written strategies for addition and subtraction involving 2- and 3-digit numbers	
Course Topics	Activities
Additive relations (B)	Magic Mental Addition
	Magic Mental Subtraction
	Compensation – Add

	Compensation – Subtract
	Split Add and Subtract
	Pyramid Puzzles 1
	Pyramid Puzzles 2
	Partition Puzzles 1
	Partition Puzzles 2
Topics	Skill Quests
Addition & subtraction to 4	Add/subtract using non-standard partitioning
digits	Add/subtract multiples of 100, 1000 & 10 000
	Use algorithms to add (without regrouping)
	Use algorithms to add (with regrouping)
	Use algorithms to add (with & without regrouping)
	Use algorithms to subtract (without regrouping)
	Use algorithms to subtract (with regrouping)
	Rounding to estimate answers
	Choosing efficient strategies for addition
	Choosing efficient strategies for subtraction
	Adding & subtracting money

MA2-AR-02	
completes number sentences involving addition and subtraction by finding missing values	
Course Topics	Activities
Additive relations (B)	Addition Properties
	Strategies for Column Addition
	Columns that Add
	Column Addition 1
	Missing Values
	Missing Numbers
Topics	Skill Quests
Solve number sentences with add/subtract	Solving addition & subtraction number sentences

1.3 Multiplicative relations B

MA2-MR-01 represents and uses the structure of multiplicative relations to 10×10 to solve problems	
Course Topics	Activities
Multiplicative relations:	Multiples of
multiply (B)	Increasing Patterns
	Decreasing Patterns
	Grouping in Threes
	Grouping in Sixes
	Grouping in Sevens
	Grouping in Nines
	Multiplication Turn-Abouts
	Related Facts 2
	Times Tables
	Bar Model ×÷
	Grid Methods 1

	Problems: Times and Divide
	Find the Missing Number 2
	Missing Numbers: x and ÷ facts
	Multiplying by 10, 100, 1000
Multiplicative relations:	Dividing Threes
divide (B)	Dividing Sixes
	Dividing Nines
	Dividing Sevens
	Dividing Eights
	Mental Methods Division
Topics	Skill Quests
Topics Number sequences	Skill Quests Investigating number sequences with multiplication
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Number sequences	Investigating number sequences with multiplication
Number sequences Use doubling to multiply	Investigating number sequences with multiplication Using doubling to multiply by 8
Number sequences Use doubling to multiply Multiplication facts: 3, 6, 7,	Investigating number sequences with multiplication Using doubling to multiply by 8 Multiplication & division facts for 3
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MA2-MR-02	
completes number sentences involving multiplication and division by finding missing values	
Course Topics	Activities
Multiplicative relations:	Multiples of
multiply (B)	Increasing Patterns
	Decreasing Patterns
	Grouping in Threes
	Grouping in Sixes
	Grouping in Sevens
	Grouping in Nines
	Multiplication Turn-Abouts
	Related Facts 2
	Times Tables
	Bar Model ×÷
	Grid Methods 1
	Problems: Times and Divide
	Find the Missing Number 2
	Missing Numbers: x and ÷ facts
	Multiplying by 10, 100, 1000
Multiplicative relations:	Dividing Threes
divide (B)	Dividing Sixes
	Dividing Nines
	Dividing Sevens
	Dividing Eights
	Mental Methods Division
Topics	Skill Quests
Solve multiplication &	Find the missing number in multiplication/division problems
division problems	Multiplication & division word problems
	Multiplication & division strategies

1.4 Partitioned fractions B

MA2-PF-01 represents and compares halves, quarters, thirds and fifths as lengths on a number line and their related fractions formed by halving (eighths, sixths and tenths)	
Course Topics	Activities
Partitioned fractions (B)	Compare Fractions 1a
	Compare Fractions 1b
	Comparing Fractions 1
	Equivalent Fraction Wall 1
Topics	Skill Quests
Unit fractions	Working with unit fractions
Understand equivalent	Modelling equivalent fractions
fractions	

2 Measurement and Space

2.1 Geometric measure B

MA2-GM-01 uses grid maps and directional language to locate positions and follow routes	
Course Topics	Activities
Geometric measure:	Following Directions
position (B)	Coordinate Meeting Place
	What Direction was That?
	Using a Key
Topics	Skill Quests
Use maps & compass	Creating & interpreting grid maps
directions	Using directional language (cardinal compass)

MA2-GM-02	
measures and estimates lengths in metres, centimetres and millimetres	
Course Topics	Activities
Geometric measure: length	How Long is That?
(B)	Measuring Length
	Perimeter of Shapes
	Converting cm and mm
	Centimetres and Metres
Topics	Skill Quests
Measure length & perimeter	Using scaled instruments to measure lengths
	Measuring in m, cm, mm
	Comparing length measurements
	Ordering length measurements
	Converting between metric lengths
	Calculating the perimeter of quadrilaterals

MA2-GM-03 identifies angles and classifies them by comparing to a right angle	
Course Topics	Activities
Geometric measure: angle	Equal Angles
(B)	Comparing Angles
	Right Angle Relation
	What Type of Angle?
	Classifying Angles
Topics	Skill Quests
Classify angles	Classifying angles

1.2 Two-dimensional spatial structure B

MA2-2DS-01	
compares two-dimensional shapes and describes their features	
Course Topics	Activities
2D spatial structure: shape	What Line am I?
& area (B)	Collect the Shapes
	Collect More Shapes
	Collect the Shapes 2
	Shapes
Topics	Skill Quests
Identify features of 2D	Identifying, classifying & sorting 2D shapes
shapes	
Identify shapes in	Creating shapes from combining & splitting shapes
composite polygons	

MA2-2DS-02 performs transformations by combining and splitting two-dimensional shapes	
Course Topics	Activities
2D spatial structure:	Symmetry
transformations (B)	Symmetry or Not?
	Flip, Slide, Turn
	Transformations
	Rotational Symmetry
Topics	Skill Quests
Perform transformations	Transforming shapes by translation & reflections
	Transforming shapes by rotation
Tessellations	Creating symmetrical patterns & shapes

MA2-2DS-03	
estimates, measures and compares areas using square centimetres and square metres	
Course Topics	Activities
2D spatial structure: shape	Area of Shapes
& area (B)	Equal Areas

Topics	Skill Quests
Calculate area using grid	Measuring area of shapes using grids & arrays
structure	

1.3 Three-dimensional spatial structure B

MA2-3DS-01 makes and sketches models and nets of three-dimensional objects including prisms and pyramids	
Course Topics	Activities
3D spatial structure: 3D	Relate Shapes and Solids
objects (B)	Faces, Edges, and Vertices 1
	How Many Faces?
	How many Edges?
	How many Vertices?
	Faces, Edges and Vertices
	Naming 3D Objects
Topics	Skill Quests
Connect 3D objects with	Representing & drawing 3D objects
nets	

MA2-3DS-02 estimates, measures and compares capacities (internal volumes) using litres, millilitres and volumes using cubic centimetres	
Course Topics	Activities
3D spatial structure: volume	Using a Litre
& capacity (B)	Millilitres and Litres
	Litre Conversions
	How many Blocks?
	Volume of Solids and Prisms - 1cm³ blocks
Topics	Skill Quests
Read scaled instruments in	Using scaled instruments for capacities (L & mL)
L & mL	Select appropriate measures for capacity (L & mL)

1.4 Non-spatial measure B

MA2-NSM-01	
estimates, measures and compares the masses of objects using kilograms and grams	
Course Topics	Activities
Non-spatial measure: mass	How Heavy?
& time (B)	Ordering Mass (g)
Topics	Skill Quests
Read scaled instruments in	Measuring mass in grams
kg & g	Measuring & comparing mass in g & kg

MA2-NSM-02 represents and interprets analog and digital time in hours, minutes and seconds	
Course Topics	Activities
Non-spatial measure: mass	Quarter To and Quarter Past
& time (B)	What is the Time?
Topics	Skill Quests
Represents time using	Representing & reading digital time displays
digital displays	Using AM & PM notation

3 Statistics and Probability

3.1 Data B

MA2-DATA-01 collects discrete data and constructs graphs using a given scale	
Course Topics	Activities
Data (B)	Picture Graphs: with scale & half symbols
	Reading from a Column Graph
	Making Picture Graphs: With Scale
Topics	Skill Quests
Data collection & display	Organising & displaying discrete data using graphs

MA2-DATA-02	
interprets data in tables, dot plots and column graphs	
Course Topics	Activities
Data (B)	Picture Graphs: with scale & half symbols
	Reading from a Column Graph
	Making Picture Graphs: With Scale
Topics	Skill Quests
Interpret data with many-	Interpreting displays with many-to-one scales
to-one scales	

3.2 Chance B

MA2-CHAN-01	
records and compares the results of chance experiments	
Course Topics	Activities
Chance (B)	Introductory Probability
	Chance Gauge
	What are the Chances?
Topics	Skill Quests
Describe the likelihood of	Using the language of probability
outcomes	Identifying events affected by previous events



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