



Numbers count



MATHS INTERVENTION

We are very proud of being accredited as an Every Child Counts (ECC) School for the seventh year and aim for all our children to become numerate and confident in their Maths ability and to enjoy actively learning Maths.

What is Numbers Count?

Numbers Count is part of the national Every Child Counts Programme. Numbers Count aims to enable children in Year 1 who would benefit from extra support with mathematics, to make accelerated progress so they can work confidently alongside their peers

How does it work?

A Numbers Count programme usually lasts for one term. Each child will receive around 40 sessions working one to one or in very small groups with an accredited Numbers Count Teacher in a Numbers Count Area. They will still have a daily mathematics lesson. Their classteacher will work together with the Numbers Count Teacher to plan their work for Numbers Count and for class-based lessons.



The programme is different for every child and specifically tailored to meet their individual

learning needs. The aim is to develop their confidence in maths and understanding of number and calculation through a range of practical and real-life situations. Lessons are pacey, active and fun, with many activities based around games and specific interests of the child. The child is encouraged to talk about their learning, try new ways of working and use mathematical language.

The role of parents and carers

Before a child starts Numbers Count, parents and carers are invited to meet the Numbers Count Teacher. This is to explain the programme and to discuss how Numbers Count will help their child. There will also be a discussion around how they can support learning at

home and they will be asked to sign a home-school agreement. Each week, the child will bring home a mathematical game or activity to reinforce what they have learned. Parents and carers can support their child by helping them complete the activity and talking to them about their learning. They are also invited to watch a Numbers Count lesson to see how much their child has learned and how they are being taught.



For more information about numbers count including a short video on the intervention, visit the Every Child Counts website at:

<https://everychildcounts.edgehill.ac.uk/mathematics/numbers-count>

A Numbers Count parent leaflet can be downloaded below
[NC parent leaflet](#)

How can you help your child with maths at home?

For more information about how to help your child with maths at home, please download our parent leaflet.

Look out for our Milly Maths Challenges and parent workshops in our newsletters and on the Numbers Count Blog.

[Helping your child with maths at home leaflet](#)

[Learning number facts leaflet](#)



Click on the links below to have a go at some of these fantastic free online games to help your child learn more about maths at home.

These sites have lots of great maths games covering all aspects of KS1 maths:

<http://mathszone.co.uk>

<http://www.ictgames.com/resources.html>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/5-7-years/counting>

<http://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button> –great for developing recall of number facts.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks1/maths>

Please look at our blog for regular updates and news about Numbers Count.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you would like to know more. We value your comments. Please feedback to us in your child's home-school book and in the end of programme questionnaire.

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Numbers Count Teacher