## Darley Dene - Subtraction Calculation Policy

Key language: take away, less than, the difference, subtract, minus, fewer, decrease.

| Year $\mathbf{1}$ |  |
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| Fluency | End of year expectations |
| Count backwards (including crossing 100) any given number | O-0 <br> TO - O <br> numbers up to 20 <br> (including subtracting zero) |
| Switch count between ones and tens e.g. 33, 32, 31, 30, 20, 10 |  |
| Represent and use subtraction facts linked to number bonds up to 20 <br> (establish addition and subtraction as related operations) | Understand subtraction as taking away <br> What is ... less than ...?) |
| Find one less than a number <br> Find ten less than a number | Compare quantities to say how many less and/or <br> how many more |
| Count back in multiples of 2s, 5s and 10s starting on multiples to <br> highlight pattern |  |


| Objective and <br> strategy | Concrete (build it) | Pictorial (draw it) | Abstract (write it) |
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| Taking away ones | Use physical objects, counters, cubes <br> etc to show how objects can be taken <br> away. | Cross out drawn objects to show what <br> has been taken away. |  |
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| Counting back | Move objects away from the group, counting backwards. <br> Move the beads along the bead string as you count backwards. | Count back in ones using a number line. | Put 13 in your head, count back 4. What number are you at? |
| Find the difference | Compare objects and amounts <br> Lay objects to represent bar model. | Count on using a number line to find the difference. <br> Children to draw the cubes/other concrete objects which they have used or use the bar model to illustrate what they need to calculate. | Hannah has 12 sweets and her sister has 5 . How many more does Hannah have than her sister? |


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| Represent and use number bonds and related subtraction facts within 20 <br> Part Part Whole model | Link to addition. Use PPW model to model the inverse. <br> If 10 is the whole and 6 is one of the arts, what is the other part? $10-6=4$ | Use pictorial representations to show the part. | Move to using numbers within the part whole model. |
| Make 10 | $14-5=9$ <br> Make 14 on the ten frame. Take 4 away to make ten, then take one more away so that you have taken 5 . | Children to present the ten frame pictorially and discuss what they did to make 10. | Children to show how they can make 10 by partitioning. $\begin{aligned} & 14-4=10 \\ & 10-1=9 \end{aligned}$ |



| Year 2 |  |
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| Fluency | End of year expectations |
| Practise addition and subtraction facts to 20 <br> Show increasing fluency in deriving subtraction facts for numbers up to 10 and then up to 20 <br> Use known facts to 20 to derive new facts e.g. 7-3, 70-30 <br> Use knowledge to derive and use subtraction number facts up to 100 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { TO - O } \\ & \text { TO - tens } \\ & \text { TO - TO } \end{aligned}$ <br> Understand subtraction as taking away and finding the difference <br> Ensure children understand that subtraction is not commutative (cannot be done in any order) <br> Children should be able to partition numbers in different ways |


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| Subtract without exchanging | Use base 10. 48-7 |  |  |  | Children to represent the base 10 pictorially. |  |  |
|  | 10s | 1s | 10s | 1s | 10 s | $1 \mathrm{~s}$ | $48-7=$ |
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| Year 3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Fluency |  |  |  | End of year expectations |  |  |  |
| Count back in ones, tens and hundreds maintaining fluency through varied and frequent practice <br> Perform mental calculations with two-digit numbers, the answer could exceed 100 <br> Find ten and a hundred less than a number with up to three-digits <br> Switch count between hundreds, tens and ones e.g 500, 400, 300, 290, 280, 270, 269, 268, 267 <br> Mentally subtract HTU - ones, HTU - tens, HTU - hundreds |  |  |  |  | Subtract numbers with up to three-digits (formal written column method) |  |  |
| Subtraction with exchanging |  |  |  | 1s | Represent the base 10 remembering to show exchange. |  | $41-26=15$ |
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## Year 4

| Fluency | End of year expectations |
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| Count back in $6,7,9,25$ and 1000 | Subtract numbers with up to four-digits <br> (formal written column method) |
| Count back through zero to include negative numbers 1000 less than a number | Understand subtraction as the inverse of addition |
| Continue to practise mental calculations with increasingly large <br> numbers to aid fluency | Solve two-step problems deciding upon the appropriate operations <br> and methods and justifying choices made |


| Objective and <br> strategy | Concrete (build it) | Pictorial (draw it) | Abstract (write it) |
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## Year 5

| Fluency | End of year expectations |
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| Count backwards in powers of ten up to one million | Subtract larger numbers <br> (formal written column method) <br> Count backwards in positive and negative whole numbers through <br> zero <br> Practise mental calculations with increasingly large numbers |


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| Fluency | Year 6 |
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| End of year expectations |  |
| Undertake mental calculations with increasingly large numbers and <br> more complex calculations | Subtract larger numbers <br> (formal written column method) |


| Objective and <br> strategy | Concrete (build it) | Pictorial (draw it) |  | Abstract (write it) |  |
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