Algebra



*Although algebraic notation is not introduced until Y6, algebraic thinking starts much earlier as exemplified by missing number objectives.

EQUATIONS						
Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
solve one-step problems that involve addition and subtraction, using concrete objects and pictorial representations, and missing number problems such as 7 = ? ? - 9	recognise and use the inverse relationship between addition and subtraction and use this to check calculations and missing number problems.	solve problems, including missing number problems, using number facts, place value, and more complex addition and subtraction. solve problems, including multiplication and division, including integer scaling		use the properties of rectangles to deduce related facts and find missing lengths and angles	express missing number problems algebraically	

	recall and use addition and subtraction facts to 20 fluently, and derive and use related facts up to 100		find pairs of numbers that satisfy number sentences involving two unknowns
represent and use number bonds and related subtraction facts within 20			enumerate all possibilities of combinations of two variables

FORMULAE						
Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
			Perimeter can be expressed algebraically as 2(a		use simple formulae	
			+ b) where a and b are the dimensions in the same unit.		recognise when it is possible to use formulae for area and volume of shapes (copied from Measurement)	

SEQUENCES					
sequence events in chronological order using language such as: before and after, next, first, today, yesterday, tomorrow, morning, afternoon and evening	compare and sequence intervals of time				generate and describe linear number sequences
	order and arrange combinations of mathematical objects in patterns				