| Autumn I |
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| - Take part in finger rhymes with numbers. |
| - Sings and joins in with a range of number rhymes. |
| - Recites some number names in sequence (may skip some |
| numbers e.g. $1-2-3-5$ ). |
| - Uses some number names and number language during play. |
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- Develop an awareness of shape and space by stacking objects, using jigsaws etc.
- Become aware of changes of amount within small groups.
- Uses some positional language such as 'in' and 'on'.


## Autumn 2

- Recites numbers in order to 5 .
- Uses some number names accurately in play.
- Developing some one-to-one correspondence when counting up to 5 objects.
- Begins to use the language of measure e.g. big, little, high, low, heavy, light.
- Notices simple shapes and patterns around them e.g. pointing out a shape, using informal language such as 'spotty'
- Uses positional language e.g. 'The bag is under the table'.
- Continues to develop an awareness of shape and space e.g. judging space during outdoor play.
- Beginning to compare amounts e.g. identifying which group has 'more' or 'lots'.
Spring 2
- Beginning to recites numbers beyond five in order.
- Developing the cardinal principle within a small group of objects (knows that the last number reached when counting a small set of objects tell you how many there are in total).
- Counts a greater number of objects using one to one correspondence.
- Talk about and explore simple 2D shapes e.g. making arrangements with shapes.
- Beginning to describe the order of events e.g. 'first'.
- Build with a range of resources, recognising which shapes can be stacked.
- Beginning to categorise objects according to properties such as shape or size.
- Beginning to represent numbers using fingers, marks on paper or pictures.
- Recite numbers to ten in order.
- Knows that numbers identify how many objects are in a set.
- Compare quantities of objects e.g. recognising which group has 'more than' or 'fewer than'.
- Uses number names accurately in play.
- Sometimes matches numeral and quantity correctly.
- Can count out a small number of objects when asked e.g. Can you give me two apples?
- Compare sizes, weights etc using gesture and language bigger, smaller, high, low, tall or heavy.
- Describe a familiar route e.g. talking about what they see on their way to school.
- Uses more positional language such as 'in front of' and 'behind'.


## Summer I

- Gaining more accuracy when linking numerals and amounts e.g. showing the right number of objects to match the numeral up to 5 .
- Experiments with own symbols and marks to represent numbers.
- Beginning to subitise within 3 .
- Beginning to recognise that the number of objects does not change if they are re-arranged.
- Identify groups which have the same number of objects.
- Describes a sequence of events.


## Summer 2

- Confidently recites numbers to ten.
- Is able to match numerals to amounts.
- Quickly subitise within 3.
- Beginning to see numbers within numbers e.g. 3 is made up of 2 and I .
- Continues to experiment with own symbols and marks (including numerals) to represent numbers.
- Make comparisons between objects relating to size, length, weight and capacity.
- Talk about and explore 2D and 3D shapes using some mathematical language e.g. corners, straight.
- Selects 3D shapes appropriately for building e.g. triangular prism for a roof.
- Combines shapes to make new ones e.g. arch, bigger triangle.
- Identifies simple repeated patterns and is able to correct an error.

