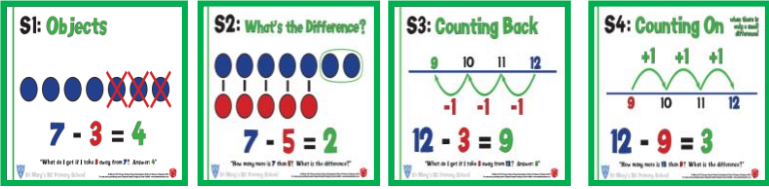

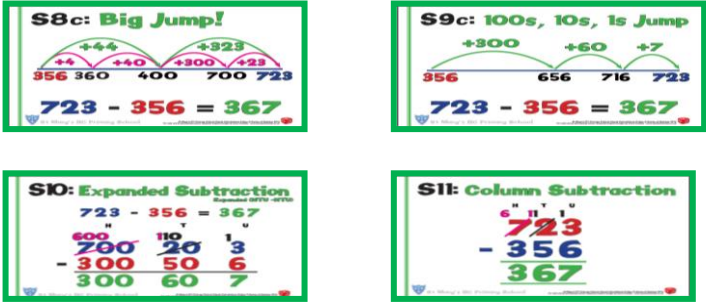
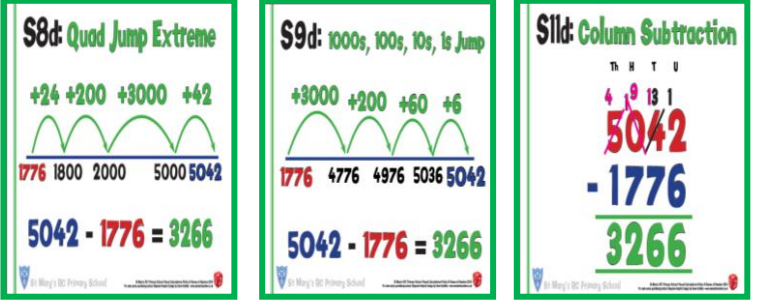
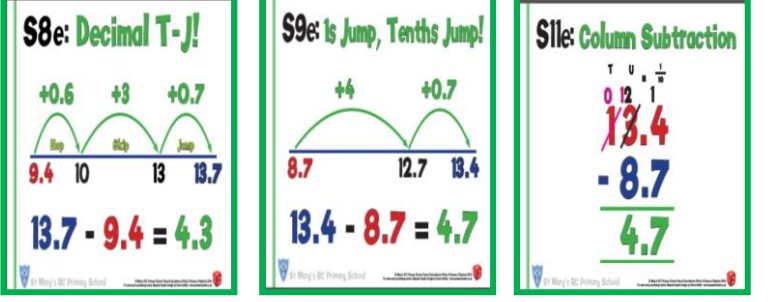


## St Mary's RC Primary School Written Calculation Policy - Subtraction

Year	How it will look in written form	
<b>Y1</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ subtract one-digit and two-digit numbers to 20, including zero</li> <li>▪ Methods used for subtraction– link to VCP (U+U, U-U within 20, Teens + U, Teens subtract U)</li> </ul>		
<b>Y2</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Subtract numbers using concrete objects, pictorial representations, and mentally, (with number lines or jottings), including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ a two-digit number &amp; ones</li> <li>▪ a two-digit number and tens</li> <li>▪ two two-digit numbers</li> <li>▪ Refer to VCP for methods.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		
<b>Y3</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ subtract numbers mentally, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ a three-digit number and ones</li> <li>▪ a three-digit number and tens</li> <li>▪ a three-digit number and hundreds</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>subtract numbers with up to three digits, using formal written methods including expanded method of columnar subtraction where appropriate – ie. Only use when a mental method or jotting is not more efficient</p>		
<b>Y4</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ subtract numbers with up to 4 digits using the formal written methods of columnar addition (+ money / decimals) where appropriate – ie. Only use when a mental method or jotting is not more efficient</li> <li>▪ Continue to subtract mentally using jottings if appropriate.</li> <li>▪ Use understanding of the value of the number to decide when to calculate mentally and when to use written method.</li> </ul>		
<b>Y5</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits, (and decimals with up to 3 dp) including using formal written methods (columnar addition and subtraction)</li> <li>▪ subtract numbers mentally with increasingly large numbers</li> </ul>		
<b>Y6</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• subtract any set of whole numbers and decimals using an appropriate written method</li> <li>• perform mental calculations, including with mixed operations and large numbers</li> <li>• Continue to use written methods to subtract whole numbers.</li> <li>• Use written methods to subtract decimals.</li> </ul>		

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