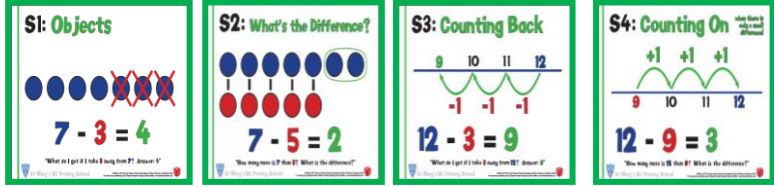
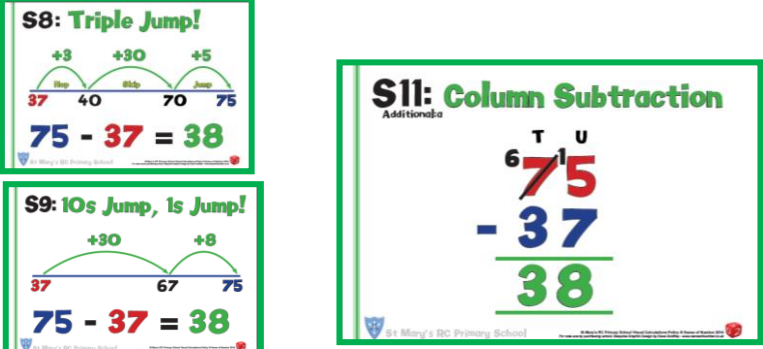
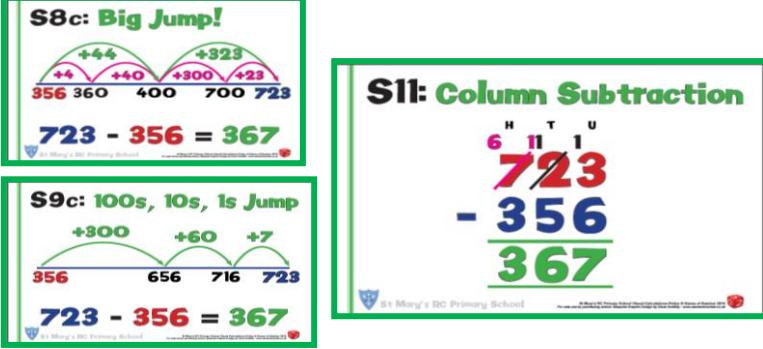

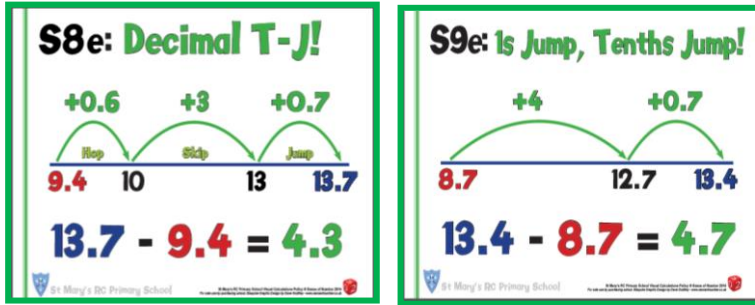


St Mary's RC Primary School Written Calculation Policy - Subtraction

Year		How it will look in written form
Y1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> subtract one-digit and two-digit numbers to 20, including zero Methods used for subtraction— link to VCP (O+O, O-O within 20, Teens + O, Teens subtract O) 	
Y2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Subtract numbers using concrete objects, pictorial representations, and mentally, (with number lines or jottings), including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a two-digit number & ones a two-digit number and tens two two-digit numbers Refer to VCP for methods. 	
Y3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> subtract numbers mentally, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a three-digit number and ones a three-digit number and tens a three-digit number and hundreds 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 	
Y4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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 Continue to subtract mentally using jottings if appropriate. Use understanding of the value of the number to decide when to calculate mentally and when to use written method. 	
Y5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits, (and decimals with up to 3 dp) including using formal written methods (columnar addition and subtraction) subtract numbers mentally with increasingly large numbers 	
Y6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> subtract any set of whole numbers and decimals using an appropriate written method perform mental calculations, including with mixed operations and large numbers Continue to use written methods to subtract whole numbers. Use written methods to subtract decimals. 	