Place Value Progression

Year group	Objectives
EYFS	 3 and 4-year-olds will be learning to: Develop fast recognition of up to 3 objects, without having to count them individually ('subitising'). Recite numbers past 5. Say one number for each item in order: 1,2,3,4,5. Know that the last number reached when counting a small set of objects tells you how many there are in total ('cardinal principle'). Show 'finger numbers' up to 5. Link numerals and amounts: for example, showing the right number of objects to match the numeral, up to 5. Experiment with their own symbols and marks as well as numerals. Solve real world mathematical problems with numbers up to 5. Compare quantities using language: 'more than', 'fewer than'.
	 Children in reception will be learning to: Count objects, actions and sounds. Subitise. Link the number symbol (numeral) with its cardinal number value. Count beyond ten. Compare numbers Understand the 'one more than/one less than' relationship between consecutive numbers. Explore the composition of numbers to 10. Automatically recall number bonds for numbers 0–5 and some to 10.
	 Early Learning Goals Number ELG Children at the expected level of development will: Have a deep understanding of number to 10, including the composition of each number. Subitise (recognise quantities without counting) up to 5. Automatically recall (without reference to rhymes, counting or other aids) number bonds up to 5 (including subtraction facts) and some number bonds to 10, including double facts. Numerical Patterns ELG Children at the expected level of development will: Verbally count beyond 20, recognising the pattern of the counting system.

	 Compare quantities up to 10 in different contexts, recognising when one quantity is greater than, less than or the same as the other quantity. Explore and represent patterns within numbers up to 10, including evens and odds, double facts and how quantities can be distributed equally.
Year 1	 Count to and across 100, forwards and backwards, beginning with 0 or 1, or from any given number Count, read and write numbers to 100 in numerals, count in multiples of 2s, 5s and 10s Identify one more and one less Compare numbers using equal to, more, than, less than, fewer, most, least Identify and represent numbers using objects and pictorial representations Read and write numbers from 1-20 in numbers and words
Year 2	 Counting in steps in 2s, 3s, 5s and 10s from zero in 10s from any number forwards or backwards Compare and order numbers from 0 to 100 using inequality symbols Identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations including the number line Read and write numbers to at least 100 in numerals and words Recognise the place value of each digit in a two-digit number (tens, ones) Use place value and number facts to solve problems
Year 3	 Count from zero in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100 Find 10 or 100 more or less than a given number Compare and order numbers up to 1000 Identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations Read and write numbers up to 1000 in numerals and words Recognise the place of value of each digit in a three-digit number Solve number problems and practical problems involving place value
Year 4	 Count in multiples of 6, 7, 9, 25 and 1000 Count backwards through zero to include negative numbers Identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations Read Roman Numerals to 100 and know that over time the numeral system changed to include the concept of zero and place value Find 1000 more or less than a given number Recognise the place value of each digit in a four-digit number Order and compare numbers beyond 1000

	 Round any number to the nearest 10, 100 or 1000 Solve number and practice problems that involve all of the above with increasingly large, positive numbers
Year 5	 Count forwards or backwards in steps of powers of 10 for any given number up to 1 million Count forwards and backwards with positive and negative whole numbers including through zero Read, write, order and compare numbers to at least one million and determine the value of each digit Read Roman numerals to 1000 and recognise years written in Roman numerals Interpret negative numbers in context Round any number up to one million to the nearest 10, 100, 1000, 10000 and 100000 Solve number problems and practical problems involving all of the above
Year 6	 Read, write, order and compare numbers up to ten million and determine the value of each digit Round any whole number to a required degree of accuracy Use negative numbers in context and calculate intervals across zero Solve number and practical problems involving the above