## Sunnyside Primary Academy Division Calculation Policy

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| Skills | Concrete | Pictorial | Abstract |
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| 1.Sharing into equal groups <br> each, share, equally, equal, same, group | Sharing six into two groups. Each group needs to be equal. | Draw two groups (circles or bar model), share the whole (6) into the two groups one at a time. Check both groups are equal (same value). How many is in each group? (3) | 3 3 <br> Using the number 3 to show the value of each of the two equal groups through a bar model. Children may pictorially share first then record the numerical value. |
| 2.Division as grouping <br> groups of, divide, number line, array, number of groups | $10 \div 2=5$ <br> Divide 10 into equal groups of 2. Use cubes, counters or objects to aid understanding. How many needs to be in each group? How many groups are there? | $12 \div 3=4$ <br> Use a bar model to build groups of 3 . Then use a number line to show jumps in groups of 3, starting from 12 backwards to 0 . The number <br> of jumps equals the number of groups. | Divide 28 into 7 groups. $28 \div 7=4$ How many are in each group? <br> Abstract number line to show the jumps in groups of 7 from 28 to zero. |
| 3.Division within arrays <br> array, groups of, number of groups, rows, columns | Link multiplication to division by creating an array and considering the different number sentences. $\begin{aligned} & 15 \div 5=3 \\ & 15 \div 3=5 \end{aligned}$ <br> There are 5 groups of 3 . <br> There are 3 groups of 5 . | Draw arrays and use lines as necessary to split into groups. Can you record the related division calculations to match? | Find the inverse of multiplication and division sentences by creating four linking number sentences. $\begin{aligned} & 3 \times 5=15 \\ & 5 \times 3=15 \\ & 15 \div 5=3 \\ & 15 \div 3=5 \end{aligned}$ |

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## Mental Strategies

- Count using times tables
- Make links with halving and quartering; use scaling for larger numbers
- Use arrays
- Use known times tables facts and place value
- Use related facts
- Use relationship between $x$ and $\div$
- Partition in different ways to divide
- Use factors pairs to simplify original division sum
- Use distributive law to divide $(98 \div 7=((70 \div 7)+(28 \div 7)$

Counting in steps of powers of 10


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## Written Methods of Division

Times table recall should be secure by the end of Year 4, if not intervention is needed.


## Progression for remainders

1. No remainder
2. Remainder as a number
3. Remainder as a fraction
4. Remainder as a decimal
