Maths Year 1 Small Steps Sequence (Autumn Term)

Sequence outlined below is the order in which the broken down objective should be introduced and taught to the children. Some small steps may need to be broken down into micro steps. Teachers may need to spend longer than 1 session on a given small step.

	Block 1 – number and Place Value (within 10)	Block 2 – Addition and Subtraction	Block 3 - Geometry	Block 4 – Place Value within 20
	4 weeks	4 weeks	1 week	3 weeks
1	Sort objects	Part whole model	Recognise and name 3D shapes	Count forwards and backwards and write numbers to 20 in numerals and words
2	Count objects	Addition symbol	Sort 3D shapes	Number from 11 to 20
3	Represent objects	Fact families – addition facts	Recognise and name 2D shapes	Tens and Ones
4	Count and read forwards from any number 0-10	Finding number bonds within 10	Sort 2D shapes	Count one more and one less
5	Count, read and write forwards from any number 0-10	Systematic methods for number bonds within 10	Sort 2D and 3D shapes	Compare groups and objects
6	Count, read and write backwards from any number 0- 10	Number bonds to 10	Patterns with 3D and 2D shapes	Compare number
7	Count on more	Compare number bonds		Order groups of objects
8	Count one less	Addition – adding together		Ordernumbers
9	One to one correspondence to compare numbers	Addition – adding more		
10	Compare groups using language such as greater/more, less/fewer	Finding a part		
11	Introduce =, > and < symbols	Subtraction – Taking away, how many left? Crossing out		
12	Compare numbers	Subtraction – Taking away, how many left? Subtraction symbol		
13	Order groups of objects	Finding a part, breaking apart		
14	Order numbers	Fact families – 8 facts		
15	Ordinal numbers 1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd	Subtraction – counting back		
16	The number line	Subtraction – finding the difference		
17		Comparing addition and subtraction statements a+b > c		