## White <br> Summer - Block 4 <br> R@se <br> Maths Statistics

Year 4

## Overview

## Small Steps

## NC Objectives



Interpret and present discrete and continuous data using appropriate graphical methods, including bar charts and time graphs.

Solve comparison, sum and difference problems using information presented in bar charts, pictograms, tables and other graphs.

## Interpret Charts

## Notes and Guidance

Children revisit how to use bar charts, pictograms and tables to interpret and present discrete data.
They decide which scale will be the most appropriate when drawing their own bar charts.
Children gather their own data using tally charts and then present the information in a bar chart. Questions about the data they have gathered should also be explored so the focus is on interpreting rather than drawing.

## Mathematical Talk

What are the different ways to present data?
What do you notice about the different axes?
What do you notice about the scale of the bar chart?
What other way could you present the data shown in the bar chart?
What else does the data tell us?
What is the same and what is different about the way in which the data is presented?
What scale will you use for your own bar chart? Why?

## Varied Fluency

Complete the table using the information in the bar chart.


| Transport | Number of children |
| :---: | :--- |
| Car |  |
| Walk |  |
| Bus |  |
| Bicycle |  |

What is the most/least popular way to get to school?
How many children walk to school?
$\square$ Produce your own table, bar chart or pictogram showing how the children in your class travel to school.

Represent the data in each table as a bar chart.


| Day | Number of tickets sold |
| :---: | :---: |
| Monday | 55 |
| Tuesday | 30 |
| Wednesday | 45 |
| Thursday | 75 |
| Friday | 85 |

## Interpret Charts

## Reasoning and Problem Solving

| Halifax City Football Club sold the following number of season tickets: <br> - Male adults - 6,382 <br> - Female adults -5,850 <br> - Boys - 3,209 <br> - Girls - 5,057 <br> Would you use a bar chart, table or pictogram to represent this data? Explain why. | Possible answer: I would represent the data in a table because it would be difficult to show the exact numbers accurately in a pictogram or bar chart. |
| :---: | :---: |
| Alex wants to use a pictogram to represent the favourite drinks of everyone in her class. <br> I will use this image to represent 5 children. | It is not a good idea, because it would be difficult to show amounts which are not multiples of 5 |
| Explain why this is not a good idea. |  |

Here is some information about the number of tickets sold for a concert.

| Day | Number of tickets sold |
| :---: | :---: |
| Monday | 55 |
| Tuesday | 30 |
| Wednesday | 45 |
| Thursday | 75 |
| Friday | 85 |

Jack starts to create a bar chart to represent the number of concert tickets sold during the week.


What advice would you give Jack about the scale he has chosen?
What would be a better scale to use? Is there anything else missing from the bar chart?

Possible response: I would tell Jack to use a different scale for his bar chart because the numbers in the table are quite large.
The scale could go up in 5 s because the numbers are all multiples of 5 Jack needs to record the title and he needs to label the axes.

## Comparison, Sum \& Difference

## Notes and Guidance

Children solve comparison, sum and difference problems using discrete data with a range of scales.
They use addition and subtraction to answer questions accurately and ask their own questions about the data in pictograms, bar charts and tables.
Although examples of data are given, children should have the opportunity to ask and answer questions relating to data they have collected themselves.

## Mathematical Talk

What does a full circle represent in the pictogram?
What does a half/quarter/three quarters of the circle represent?
What other questions could we ask about the pictogram?
What other questions could we ask about the table?
What data could we collect as a class?
What questions could we ask about the data?

## Varied Fluency



How many more points does the Sycamore team have than the Ash team?
How many points do Beech and Oak teams have altogether?
How many more points do Ash need to be equal to Oak?

| Activity | Number of votes | How many people voted in total? <br> Bowling$\frac{1}{4}$ of the votes were for |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cinema | 10 |  |
| Swimming | 7 | 7 more people voted for | than $\qquad$ -.

$\square$ As a class, decide on some data that you would like to collect, for example: favourite books, films, food.
Collect and record the data in a table.
Choose a pictogram or a bar chart to represent your data, giving reasons for your choices.
What questions can you ask about the data?

## Comparison, Sum \& Difference

## Reasoning and Problem Solving



|  |  |  |  | Attraction | Number of visitors on <br> Saturday | Number of visitors on <br> Sunday |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Animal World Zoo | 1,282 | 2,564 |  |  |  |  |
| Maltings Castle | 2,045 | 1,820 |  |  |  |  |
| Primrose Park | 1,952 | 1,325 |  |  |  |  |
| Film Land Cinema | 2,054 | 1,595 |  |  |  |  |

## True or false?

- The same number of people visited Maltings Castle as Film Land Cinema on Saturday.
- Double the number of people visited Animal World Zoo on Sunday than Saturday.
- The least popular attraction of the weekend was Primrose Park.
- False

The Film Land
Cinema had 9
more visitors that
Maltings Castle

- True

1,282 doubled is
2,564

- True

Animal World
Zoo-3,846
Maltings Castle 3,865
Primrose Park -
3,277
Film Land
Cinema -
3,649

## Introducing Line Graphs

## Notes and Guidance

Children are introduced to line graphs in the context of time. They use their knowledge of scales to read a time graph accurately and create their own graphs to represent continuous data.
It is important that children understand that continuous data can be measured (for example time, temperature and height) but as values are changing all the time, the values we read off between actual measurements are only estimates.

## Mathematical Talk

How is the line graph different to a bar chart?
Which is the $x$ and $y$ axis? What do they represent?
How would you estimate the temperature at 9:30 a.m.?
How would you estimate the time it was when the temperature was 7 degrees?

## Varied Fluency

The graph shows the temperature in the playground during a morning in April.


The temperature at 9 a.m. is
$\qquad$ degrees.

The warmest time of the morning is $\qquad$ _.
$\square$ Class 4 grew a plant. They measured the height of the plant every week for 6 weeks.
The table shows the height of the plant each week.

| Week 1 | Week 2 | Week 3 | Week 4 | Week 5 | Week 6 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4 cm | 7 cm | 9 cm | 12 cm | 14 cm | 17 cm |

Create a line graph to represent this information.
What scale would you use on the $x$ and $y$ axes?
Between which two weeks did the plant reach a height of 10 cm ?

## Introducing Line Graphs

## Reasoning and Problem Solving

Jack launched a toy rocket into the sky. After 5 seconds the rocket fell to the ground.
Which graph shows this?
Explain how you know.



Make up your own story for the other graph.

Graph A
The height of the rocket increases then decreases quickly again, returning to a height of 0 at 5 seconds.

Example story: A bird flew up from the ground. It continued to fly upwards for 5 seconds then flew at the same height for another 3 seconds.

Tommy created a line graph to show the number of dogs walking in the park one afternoon.


Tommy says,


Why is Tommy incorrect?
What would be a better way of presenting this data?

Tommy is incorrect because you cannot have 1.5 dogs.

A better way of presenting this data would be using a bar chart, pictogram or table because the data is discrete.

## Line Graphs

## Notes and Guidance

Building from the last step, children continue to solve comparison, sum and difference problems using continuous data with a range of scales.
They use addition and subtraction to answer questions accurately and ask their own questions about the data in line graphs. Although examples of data are given, children need to have the opportunity to ask and answer questions relating to data they have collected themselves.

## Mathematical Talk

Is this discrete or continuous data? How do you know?
What do you notice about the scale of the graph?
How could you make sure you read the graph accurately?
What other questions could you ask about the graph?
How many different ways can you fill in the stem sentences?

## Varied Fluency

The graph shows the growth of a plant over 6 months.

- How tall was the plant when it was measured in May?
- In what month did the plant first reach 50 cm ?
- How many centimetres did the plant grow between March and July?

- What was the difference between the height of the plant in February and the height of the plant in April?


The graph shows the weight of a puppy as it grows. When the puppy is ___ months old the weight is $\qquad$ kg Between month $\qquad$ and month $\qquad$ the puppy increased by $\qquad$ kg

## Line Graphs

## Reasoning and Problem Solving

| Eva measured the temperature of a cup |
| :--- |
| of tea every 30 minutes for 2 hours. The |
| graph shows Eva's results. |


| I do not agree with |
| :--- | :--- |
| Eva. At 9 a.m. the |

temperature was
80 degrees and at


Example story: Mo drove 20 miles in his lorry. At half past 9 he had a 15 minute rest then drove for another 30 miles until he reached his destination at 10:30 a.m.

