

SPRINGDALE PRIMARY SCHOOL



P1 Parents' Briefing
2024



WHAT DOES MY CHILD NEED AT PRIMARY 1?

- Learning at Primary 1 should be exciting and fun for your child.
- Some skills that parents can support children in developing are:
 - Relating to others
 - Developing good habits
 - Nurturing positive learning attitudes
 - Encouraging children to learn from their mistakes



NURTURING POSITIVE LEARNING ATTITUDES

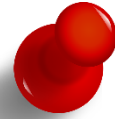
Developing the right learning attitude will help your child learn better.

You can encourage your child to:

- ask questions about their experiences and the world around them
- express their thoughts and feelings and discuss what can be done if they have worries
- practise life skills independently like asking for permission



ENGLISH LANGUAGE



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AIMS OF ENGLISH CURRICULUM

Empathetic Communicator

offer more opportunities for students to discuss issues, listen to different perspectives and develop their own opinions.



Creative Inquirer

encourage students to explore ideas, concepts and areas of interest and promote the joy of learning.

encourage students to read widely and process information critically so as to distinguish fact from falsehoods.

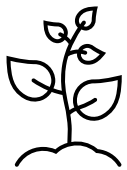
Discerning Reader

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Reading



Strategies for English
Language Learning and
Reading



Read and Grow

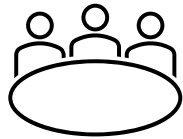


Extensive
Reading

Oracy Programme



Thinking Routines



Let's Talk

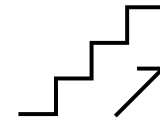


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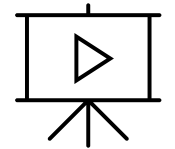
Writing Development



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6-years skills
development



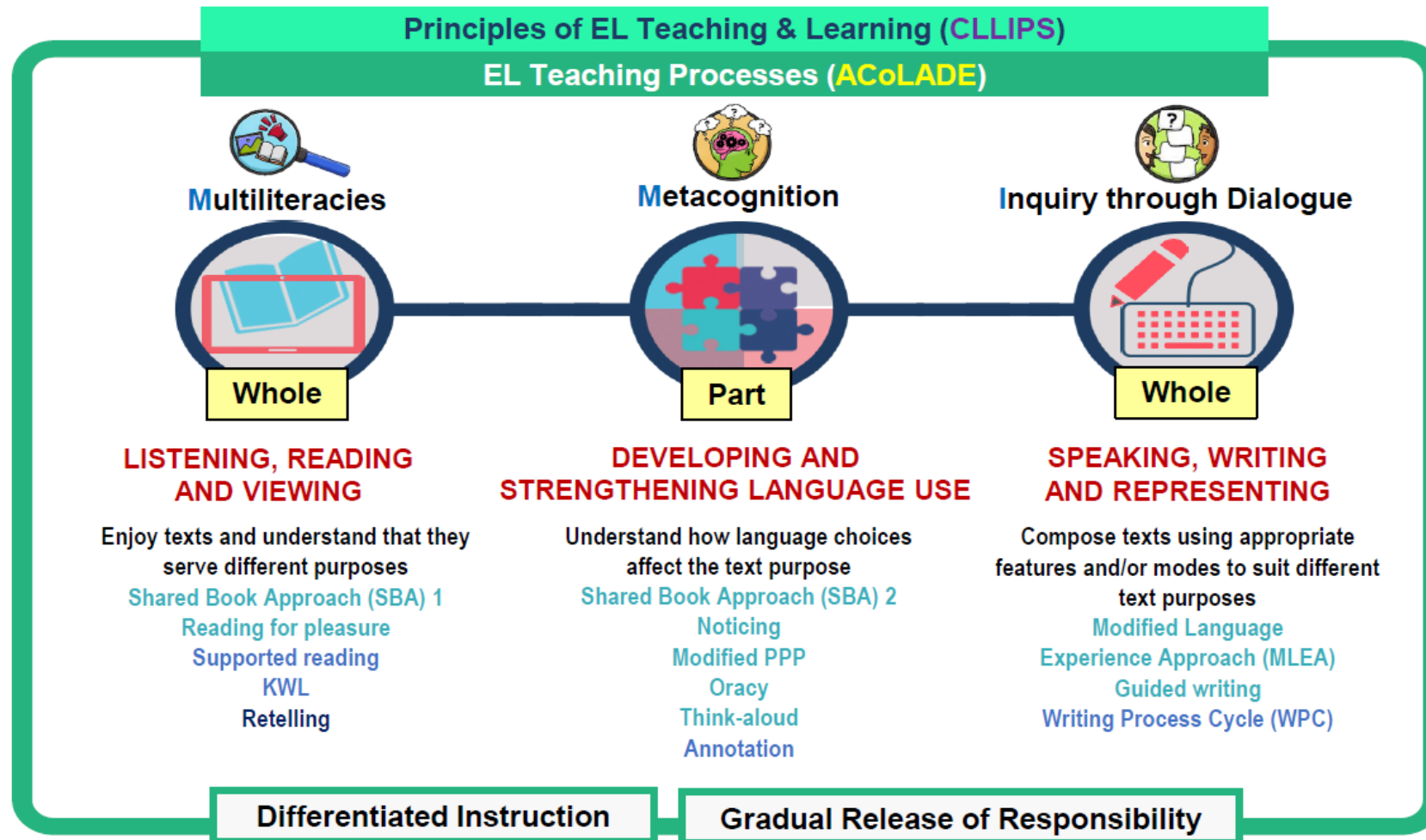
Authentic
experiences



Active participants in the learning process

Strategies for English Language Learning & Reading

Framework for Language Learning in the STELLAR[®] Classroom 2.0



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 ELS 2020:

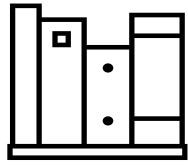
- Principles of EL Teaching & Learning (CLLIPS)
- EL Teaching Processes (ACoLADE)

Pedagogical Emphases (MMI)

Strategies first introduced at these levels:

- Lower Primary
- Middle Primary
- Upper Primary

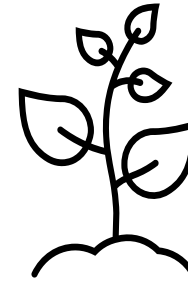
READING PROGRAMME



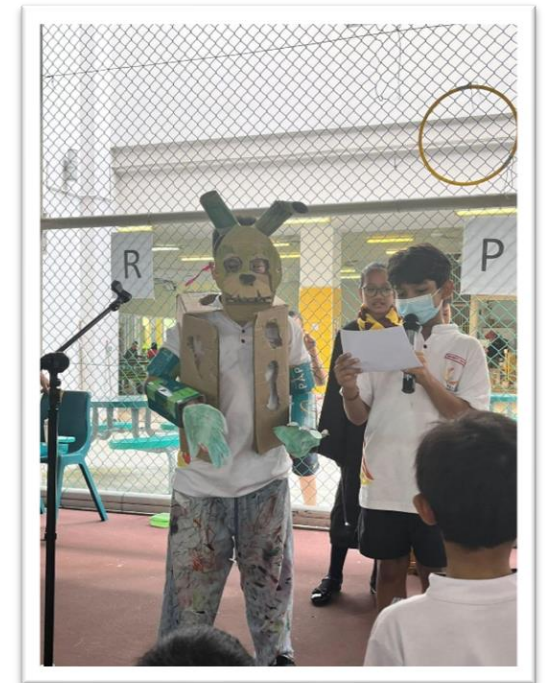
WOW – World of Wonders
School library



Extensive
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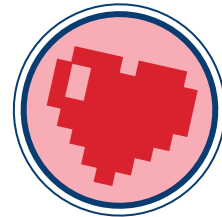


READ AND GROW

Civic, Global and Cross-Cultural Literacy

TURKEY AND SYRIA EARTHQUAKE 2023

Meanwhile, the situation in Syria appears to be dire. More than 4 million people rely on humanitarian assistance in the region of northwest Syria where the deadly earthquake struck, according to the UN Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA).



Do your part!



ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING IN-KIND DONATIONS FOR PEOPLE AFFECTED BY EARTHQUAKES IN TÜRKİYE

Volunteers who are willing to send in-kind assistance to people in need in Türkiye affected by the devastating earthquakes are kindly asked to send the attached items to Turkish Embassy in Singapore 2 Shenton Way, SGX Centre 1 #10-03 Singapore 068804 by mail or through in-person drop off.

WINTER CLOTHES (ADULT AND CHILD)

- Coats, rain coats
- Pocket warmers
- Boots
- Sweater-Pullover
- Pants
- Winter scarf, headgear, gloves, socks

OTHER SUPPLIES

- Tent
- Mattress (For tents)
- Blanket
- Sleeping bag
- Thermos Bottle
- Diapers
- Women hygiene products

READ AND GROW

 I see...

 I think...

 I feel...

 I wonder...

How can we do our part?

Share your views too!



Business

Singapore's core inflation unchanged at 5.1% in December, averaged 4.1% for 2022

FOOD, SERVICES INFLATION ROSE

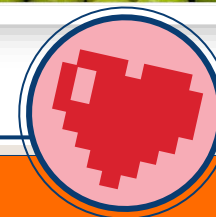
Core inflation had been rising steadily in 2022, hitting a near 14-year high of 5.3 per cent in September before holding steady at 5.1 per cent for the rest of the year.

In December, food inflation rose to 7.5 per cent from 7.3 per cent in the previous month, mainly due to higher non-cooked food inflation.

Services inflations also rose, hitting 3.7 per cent from 3.6 per cent in November, mainly because of a larger increase in the cost of holiday expenses.
CNA, Jan 2023

"At the same time, telecommunication services fees fell at a slower pace while tuition and other fees rose more steeply," said MAS and MTI.

World food prices rocket 20.7% to record high in Feb with Ukraine war just starting
ST, Mar 2022



 Share

Jens Martensson

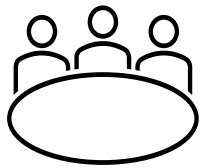
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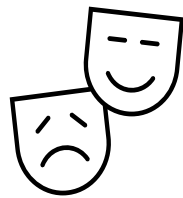
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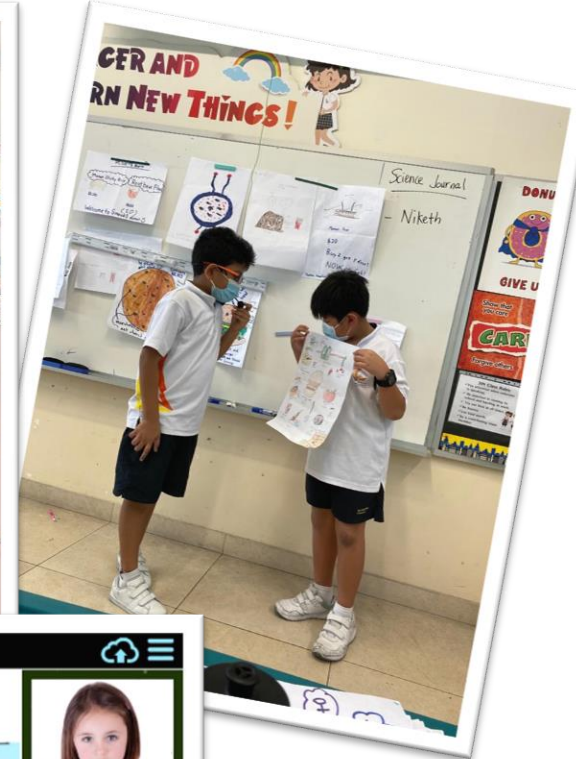
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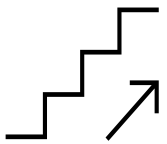


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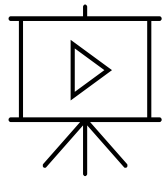
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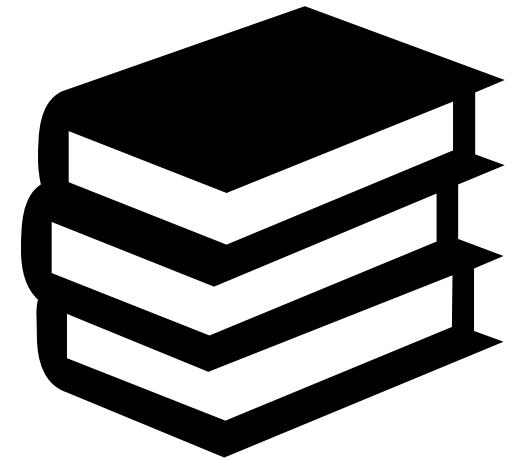
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Does Your Child Prefer
Storybooks Or E-books?
Or None.

3

2



How a child's brain works when reading printed story books v animated books

E-books may be more attractive to a child, but printed books build mental muscles.



Sandra Davie
Senior Education Correspondent



Scans of the brains of children reading printed books showed a balance integration of visual networks and the language networks.

Printed books with pictures help to develop the mental muscles in a child by allowing him to form mental images and reflect on a story's meaning.

With e-books, too much exposure to animation tends to shut down the networks as the images move too quickly.

The “serve and return” model of interaction between a parent and child, develops reasoning, thinking and creativity in a child.



How can parents support your child's reading, spelling & speaking development at home?



LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT

1

**Encourage your child
to read and listen to stories**

2

**Read and spell with your child
Sounding out difficult words**

3

Build your child's vocabulary and reasoning

4

**Work with your child's teacher to develop the
competencies together**

DAILY ACTIVITIES



See-Feel-Think-Wonder



What do you see?



How do you feel?



What do you think about that?



What does it make you wonder?

RESOURCES FOR PARENTS

Recommended reading lists for children

<https://www.nlb.gov.sg/Browse/ForChildren.aspx>

E-stories for children

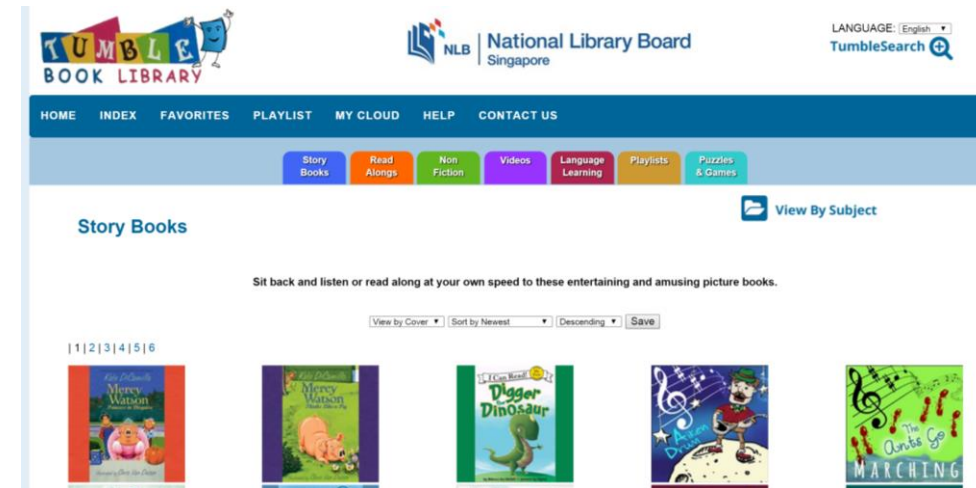
You-tube: search 'I love to read', 'read-alouds for 1st grade'

NLB Tumble Book Library

- <http://eresources.nlb.gov.sg/index.aspx>

Reading Aloud

- <http://www.howjsay.com/>
- <http://dictionary.cambridge.org/dictionary/english/pronunciation>

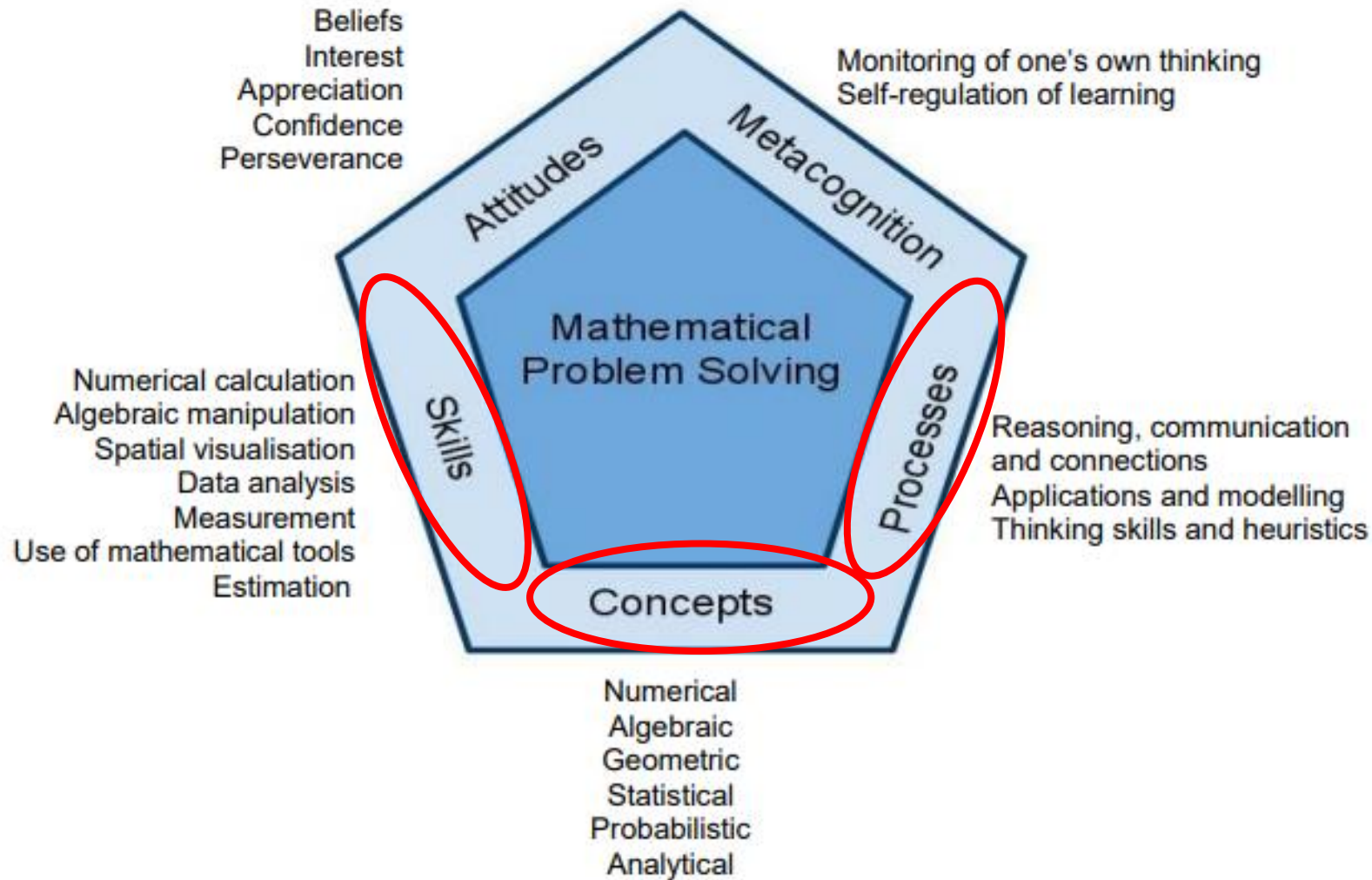


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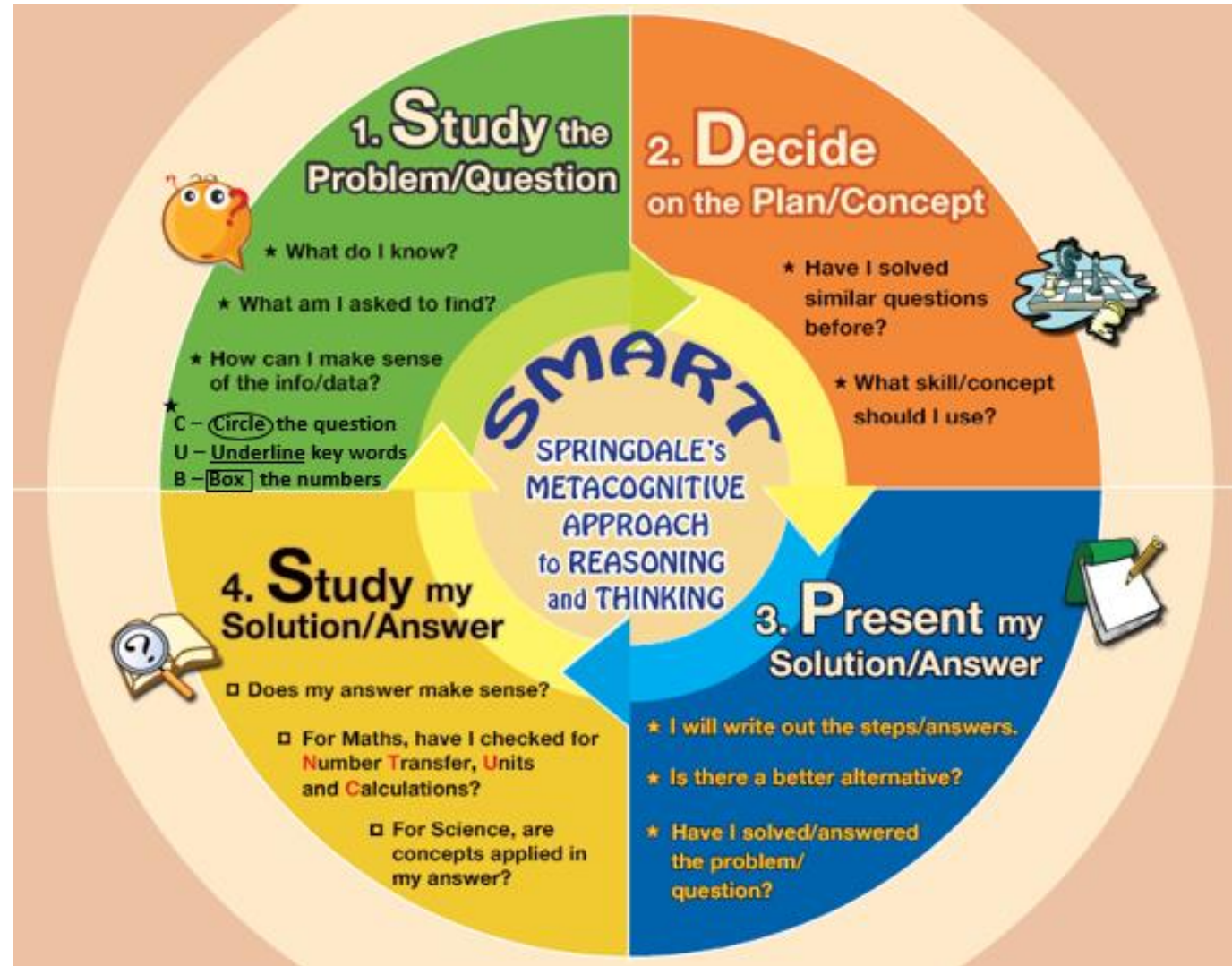


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PROBLEM-SOLVING STRATEGY



THE C-P-A APPROACH

- **Concrete**

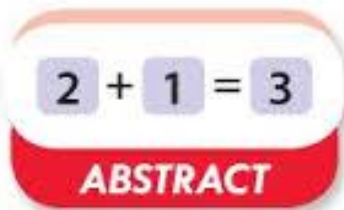
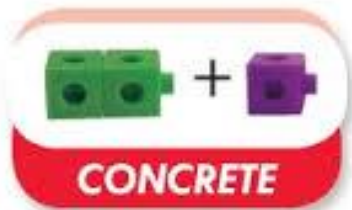
Using manipulatives or other resources to construct meanings and understanding

- **Pictorial**

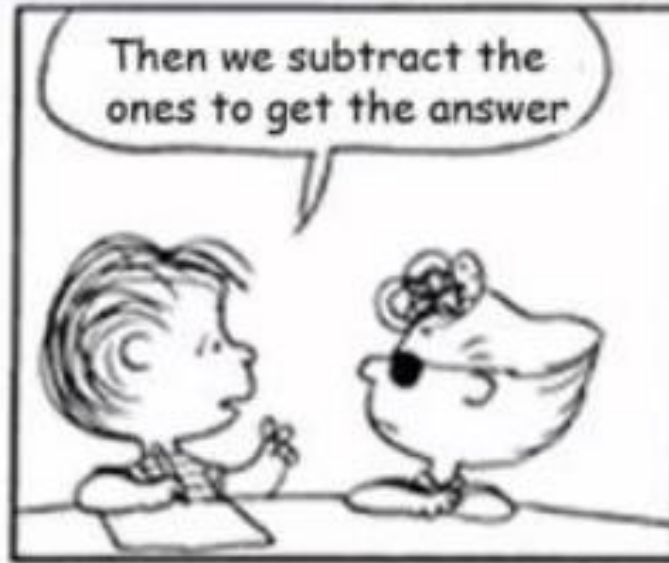
Using pictorial representations e.g. number bonds, model drawing to solve problems

- **Abstract**

Using only numbers to solve problems



MATH LANGUAGE



TOTAL

REGROUP

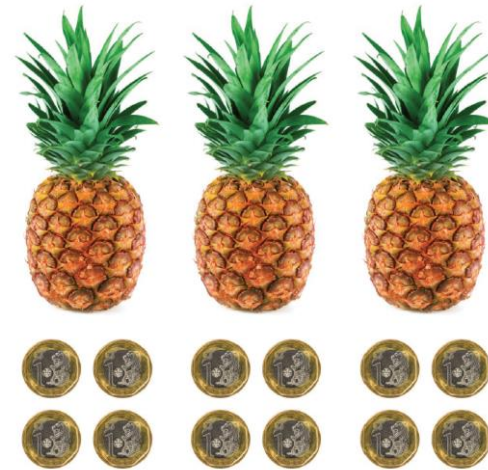
MORE/ LESS THAN

**MORE THAN ≠ PLUS (+)
LESS THAN ≠ MINUS (-)**

SUPPORT FOR YOUR CHILD

Trip to a Supermarket

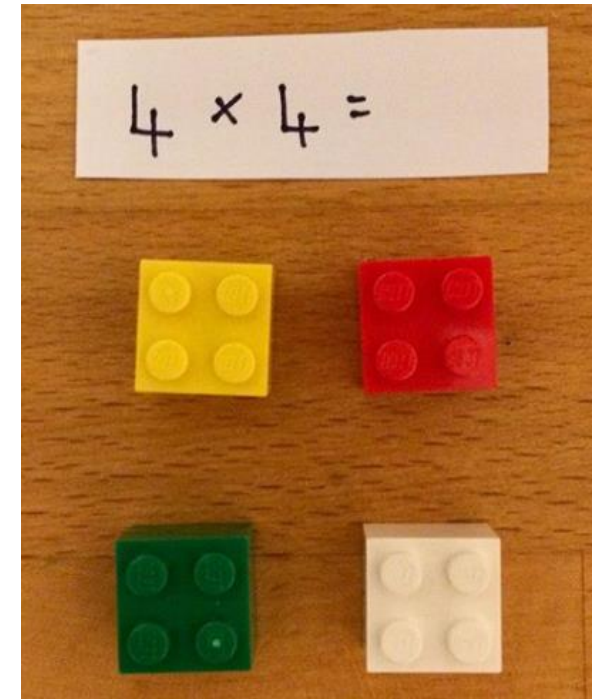
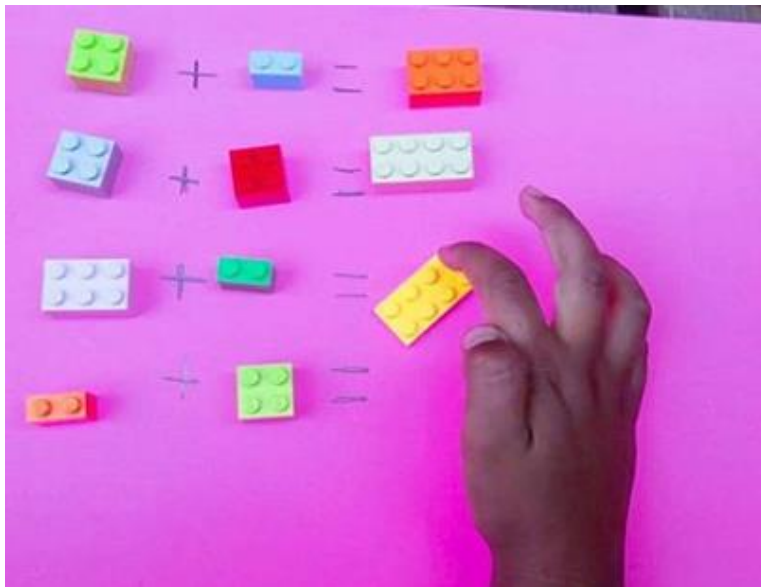
- **Countable and Uncountable items**
- **Comparing items using more than, less than and as many as**
- **Money**
- **Introducing units of measurement**
 - **mass (kilogram or gram)**
 - **volume (litres, millilitres)**



SUPPORT FOR YOUR CHILD

Day-to-day items

- Macaroni
- Toys
- Blocks
- Clips

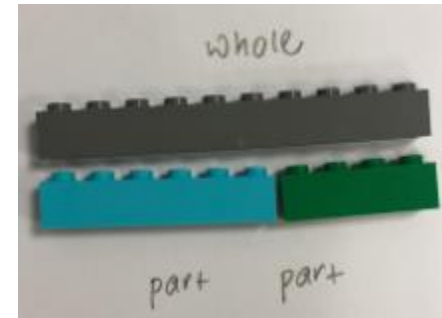


SUPPORT FOR YOUR CHILD

FACTUAL FLUENCY

It is the ability to quickly and accurately recall the answer to basic math facts such as committing times table to memory.

Purpose: To ease students' cognitive load on factual fluency to focus on problem-solving and learning new concepts.



SUPPORT FOR YOUR CHILD

• Review regularly

- ✓ School work & worksheets
- ✓ Go through questions & corrections to achieve mastery of skills
- ✓ Common errors in Math:
 - Transfer errors? Missing units?
 - Miscalculations? Misread?



SUPPORT FOR YOUR CHILD

How to download and install the app on your mobile phone

- Users can scan a QR code or visit the link <https://mathlete.glideapp.io/> on their laptops or mobile devices (Android and iOS).

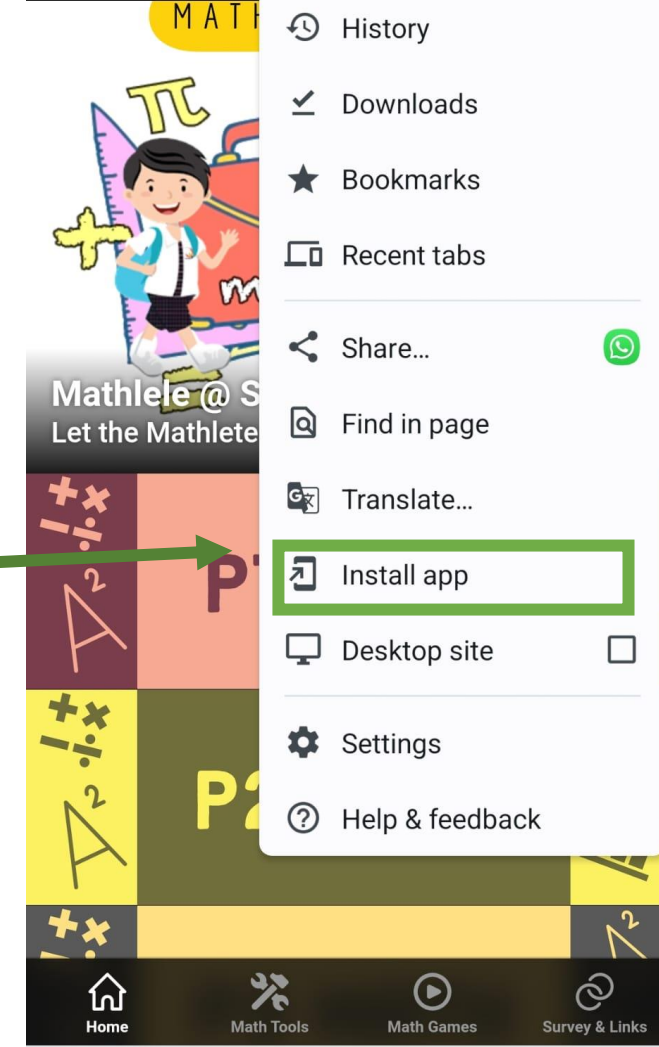
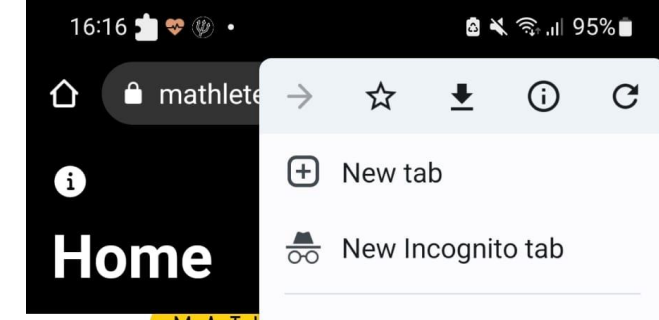
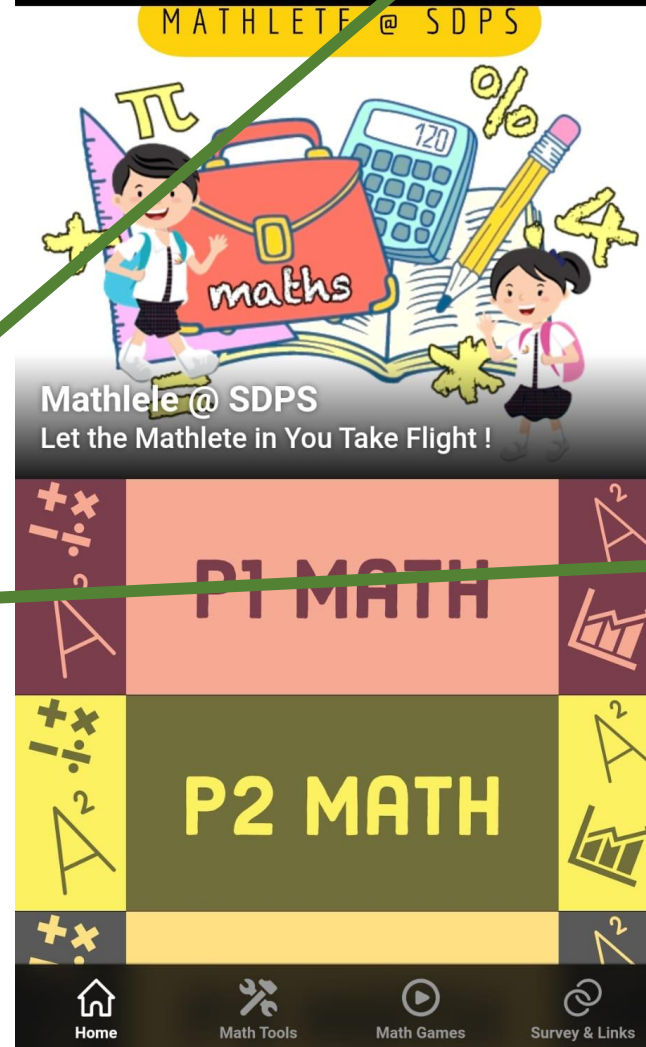
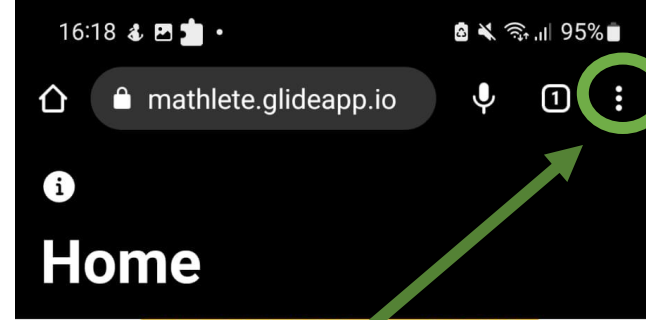


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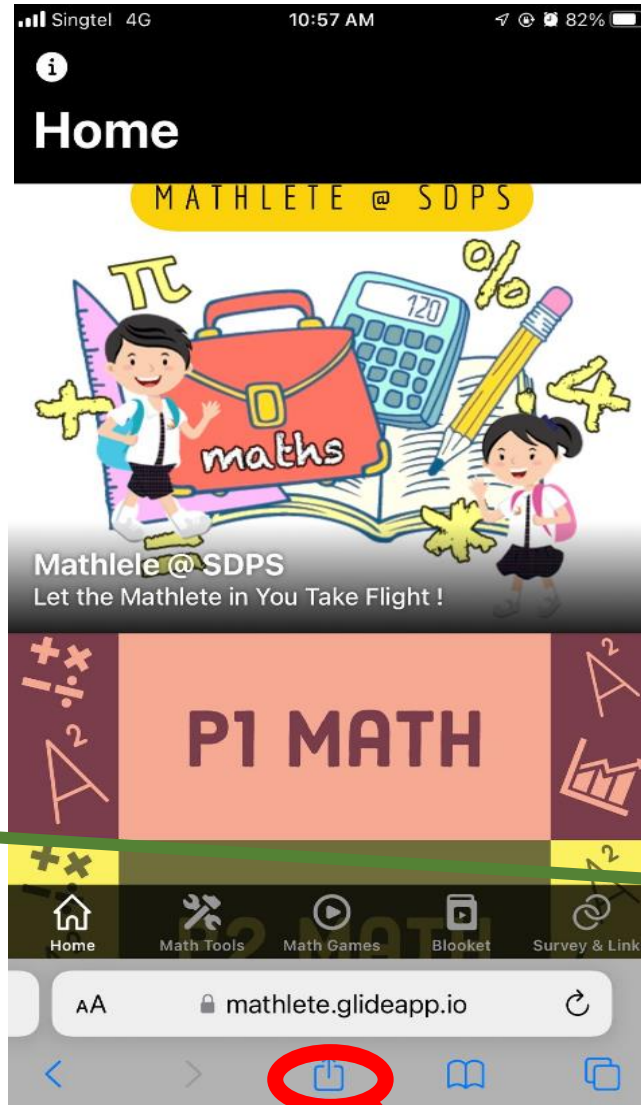
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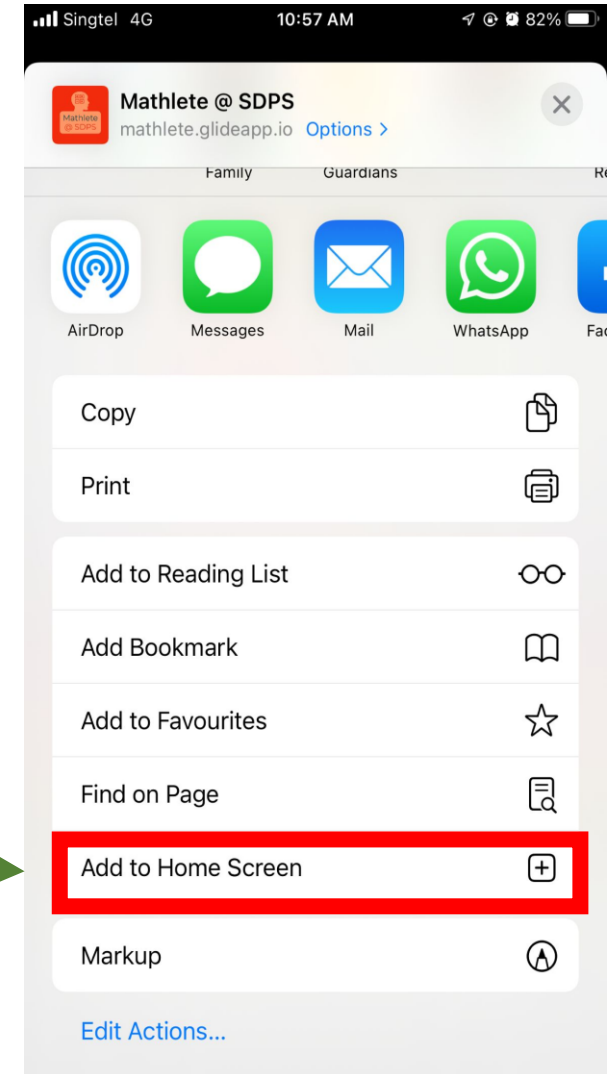
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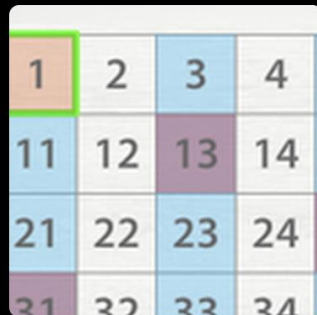
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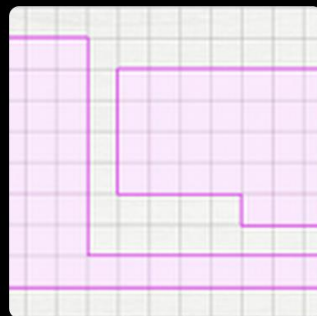
100 Square

+	0	1	2
0	0	1	2
1	1	2	3
2	2	3	4
3	3	4	5

Addition Table



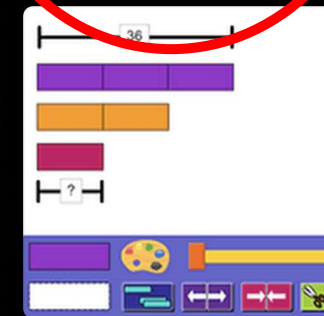
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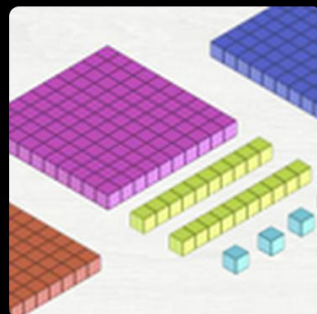
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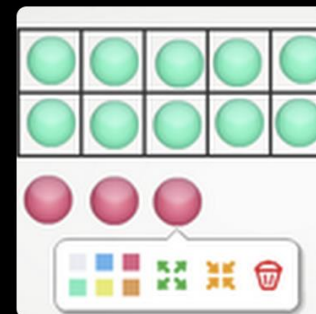
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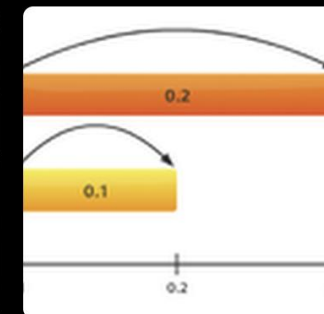
Bar Modelling Tool



Base Ten Blocks



Counters and Ten



Decimal Number Line

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