



Year 4 Addition and Subtraction Knowledge Organiser

Star Vocabulary

Total	The whole amount of something
Addition: $8 + 3 = 11$ Addend Addend Sum	
$8 - 3 = 5$ Minuend Subtrahend Difference Minuend – Subtrahend = Difference	
Difference	The result of subtracting one number from another
Estimate	A judgment of worth
Efficient	capable of producing desired results with little or no waste
Inverse	Opposite/reverse
Strategy	A specific course of action

Add and subtract whole numbers less than 4 digits, including using formal written

Add and subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits, including using formal written methods.

Sentence Stems

There are _____ ones/tens/hundreds altogether.

Because there are more than _____ tens, I will exchange the _____ to _____.

The whole is _____ therefore the parts are _____ and _____.

Misconceptions:

- Dexter says, "Aligning the column correctly is not important"
- $3,423 + 100 = 4,423$.

3 4	3 4
- 2 5	- 2 5
1 0	1 1

Do you remember what this is called? We use it to compare amounts.

Th	H	T	O
4	7	9	9
+	1	0	9
5			
9 4			

We need to use the part-whole model too. It helps us to break down and solve problems.

Th	H	T	O
9	8	7	6
-	1	2	5
0			
8 3 0			

Factual & Conceptual Fluency progression

