

GRADE Kindergarten Common Core State Standards - Critical Areas

In Kindergarten, instructional time should focus on two critical areas: (1) representing and comparing whole numbers, initially with sets of objects; (2) describing shapes and space. More learning time in Kindergarten should be devoted to number than to other topics.

- (1) Students use numbers, including written numerals, to represent quantities and to solve quantitative problems, such as counting objects in a set; counting out a given number of objects; comparing sets or numerals; and modeling simple joining and separating situations with sets of objects, or eventually with equations such as 5 + 2 = 7 and 7 2 = 5. (Kindergarten students should see addition and subtraction equations, and student writing of equations in Kindergarten is encouraged, but it is not required.) Students choose, combine, and apply effective strategies for answering quantitative questions, including quickly recognizing the cardinalities of small sets of objects, counting and producing sets of given sizes, counting the number of objects in combined sets, or counting the number of objects that remain in a set after some are taken away.
- (2) Students describe their physical world using geometric ideas (e.g., shape, orientation, spatial relations) and vocabulary. They identify, name, and describe basic two-dimensional shapes, such as squares, triangles, circles, rectangles, and hexagons, presented in a variety of ways (e.g., with different sizes and orientations), as well as three-dimensional shapes such as cubes, cones, cylinders, and spheres. They use basic shapes and spatial reasoning to model objects in their environment and to construct more complex shapes.



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Quarter 1

Big Idea 1, Quarter 1: Essential Question(s):

Students will learn the meaning of numbers and the processes for How do you write the numbers 1–10?

counting, classifying, matching quantities, and writing numbers. Why is it important to know, count, and write numbers?

Standards:

K.CC.1 Count to 100 by ones and by tens. (1-50)

K.CC.3 Write numbers from 0 to 20. Represent a number of objects with a written numeral 0-20 (with 0 representing a count of no

objects). <u>(0-10)</u>

K.CC.4a Understand the relationship between numbers and quantities; connect counting to cardinality. a. When counting objects, say the

number names in the standard order, pairing each object with one and only one number name and each number name with one

and only one object.(1-50)

<u>K.MD.3</u> Classify objects into given categories; count the numbers of objects in each category and sort the categories by count.

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Suggested Timeline: 3 weeks

Italic Information: Recursive standard – repeated in at least one other quarter;

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Big Idea 2, Quarter 1:	Essential Question(s):							
Students will compose and describe basic shapes and show t	heir How do you build new shapes from circles, squares, and other shapes?							
relative positions.	What are the different ways to describe the positions of shapes?							
Standards:								
K.G.1 Describe objects in the environment using no	K.G.1 Describe objects in the environment using names of shapes, and describe the relative positions of these objects using terms such							
as above, below, beside, in front of, behind,	and next to.							

Correctly name shapes regardless of their orientations or overall size. (Basic Shapes) K.G.2

K.G.5 Model shapes in the world by building shapes from components (e.g., sticks and clay balls) and drawing shapes.

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Big Idea 1, (Quarter 2:		Es	ssential Question(s)	•				
Students wi	II count, represent quan	tities, and sort numb	ers and W	hy is it important to	count to 100 by c	nes and tens?			
	arious arrangements. (lir			What is the relationship between counting and showing "how many"?					
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				ifferent?	,				
Standards:									
K.CC.1	Count to 100 by one	s and by tens.							
K.CC.2	Count forward begi	nning from a given n	umber within the	known sequence (in	nstead of having t	o begin at 1).			
K.CC.3	Write numbers from						ount of no		
	objects).	•	- •		•		•		
K.CC.4a	Understand the rela	tionship between nu	ımbers and quant	ities; connect count	ing to cardinality.	a. When counting	g objects, say		
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	one and only one ob		,,,		,				
K.CC.4b	Understand the rela	•	ımbers and auant	ities: connect count	ina to cardinality.	b. Understand th	at the last		
	number name said t	•	•		-				
	the order in which the	_	.,				angement er		
K.CC.5	Count to answer "ho	•	s ahout as many a	as 20 thinas arranae	ed in a line, a recta	naular array, or a	a circle, or as		
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Big Idea 2, Quarter 2:	Essential Question(s):
Students will add using objects, fingers, drawings, sounds, and acting	How do we add?
out.	Why do we add?

Standards:

<u>K.OA.1</u> <u>Represent addition</u> and subtraction <u>with objects, fingers,</u> mental images, <u>drawings, sounds (e.g., claps), acting out situations, verbal explanations, expressions, or equations.</u>

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Big Idea 3, Quarter 2:	Essential Question(s):
Students will compose and describe solid figures and be able to	How do we build two-dimensional and three-dimensional shapes using
describe its relative position.	shapes?
	What are the different ways to describe the position of a shape within objects
	in the environment?

Standards:

- **K.G.1** Describe objects in the environment using names of shapes, and describe the relative positions of these objects using terms such as above, below, beside, in front of, behind, and next to.
- K.G.2 Correctly name shapes regardless of their orientations or overall size.

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Quarter 2

Big Idea 4, Quarter 2:

Students will identify and analyze the criteria that must exist for twodimensional and three-dimensional solid figures by using informal language.

Essential Question(s):

How can we use informal language to identify and describe two-dimensional and three-dimensional shapes?

Standards:

- K.G.3 Identify shapes as two-dimensional (lying in a plane, "flat") or three-dimensional ("solid").
- <u>K.G.4</u> <u>Analyze</u> and compare <u>two- and three-dimensional shapes</u>, in different sizes and orientations, using informal language to describe their <u>similarities</u>, differences, parts (e.g., number of sides and vertices/"corners") and other attributes (e.g., having sides of equal length).
- K.G.5 Model shapes in the world by building shapes from components (e.g., sticks and clay balls) and drawing shapes.
- K.G.6 Compose simple shapes to form larger shapes. For example, "Can you join these two triangles with full sides touching to make a rectangle?"

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	II be able to identify how greater than, less than,			How would you show if one group of objects is greater than, equal to, or less than another group?					
set. They will be able to compare using two numbers written as numerals.				How do we determine how many objects are in a set regardless of how it is arranged? How does the arrangement help determine how many objects are in a set?					
Standards:									
K.CC.4C	K.CC.4C Understand the relationship between numbers and quantities; connect counting to cardinality. c. Understand that each successive								
	number name refers	s to a quantity that is	one larger.						
K.CC.5	Count to answer "h	ow many?" question	s about as many	as 20 things arrange	ed in a line, a rect	angular array, or a	circle, or as		
	many as 10 things i	n a scattered configu	ıration; given a r	number from 1–20, co	ount out that man	ny objects.			
K.CC.6	Identify whether the	number of objects in	n one group is gre	eater than, less than,	or equal to the nu	mber of objects in o	another group,		
	e.g., by using match	ing and counting str	ategies.		·				
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Big Idea 2, Quarter 3:	Essential Question(s):			
Students will compare the criteria that must exist for two-dimensional	What is the same and what is different about two-dimensional shapes and			
and three-dimensional solid figures by using informal language.	three-dimensional shapes?			
	What is the relationship between two-dimensional and three-dimensional solid			
	figures?			

Standards:

K.G.4

Analyze and compare two- and three-dimensional shapes, in different sizes and orientations, using informal language to describe their similarities, differences, parts (e.g., number of sides and vertices/"corners") and other attributes (e.g., having sides of equal length).

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Students will a	add numerals fluently an	d solve word prob	lems using	What are different ways to add numbers?					
various strategies.				How can additio	n word problems be s	olved?			
				What are numbe	er combinations that i	make ten?			
Standards:									
	Represent addition and subtraction with objects, fingers, mental images, drawings, sounds (e.g., claps), acting out situations, verbal explanations, expressions, or equations.								
	<u>Solve addition</u> and subtraproblem.	raction word prob	<u>lems, and add</u> a	nd subtract <u>with</u>	in 10, e.g., by using o	bjects or drawings	to represent the		
	For any number from 1 and record the answer w	-		10 when added	to the given number,	e.g., by using objec	ts or drawings,		
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Big Idea 4, Quarter 3:	Essential Question(s):
Students will learn how to use numbers to describe a measureable	What are the different attributes of objects that can be measured?
attribute of an object, such as length or weight.	Why would you want to use numbers to describe an attribute?

Standards:

K.MD.1 Describe measurable attributes of objects, such as length or weight. Describe several measurable attributes of a single object.

K.MD.2 Directly compare two objects with a measurable attribute in common, to see which object has "more of"/"less of" the attribute, and describe the difference. For example, directly compare the heights of two children and describe one child as taller/shorter.

Mathematical Practices:

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Quarter 3

Big Idea 5, Quarter 3:	Essential Q	uestion(s	s):

Students will compose numbers 11–19 using objects or drawings and use drawings, numbers, and equations to record each composition.

What are different ways to show the composition of numbers 11–19?

Standards:

K.NBT.1

<u>Compose and decompose numbers from 11 to 19 into ten ones and some further ones, e.g., by using objects or drawings, and record each composition or decomposition by a drawing or equation (e.g., 18 = 10 + 8); understand that these numbers are composed of ten ones and one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, or nine ones.</u>

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Quarter 4

Big Idea 1, Quarter 4:	Essential Question(s):
Students will know and describe basic shapes and two-dimensional	What are the basic shapes and solid figures?
and three-dimensional solid figures.	How could you describe the basic shapes and solid figures?

Standards:

K.G.4

Analyze and compare two- and three-dimensional shapes, in different sizes and orientations, using informal language to describe their similarities, differences, parts (e.g., number of sides and vertices/"corners") and other attributes (e.g., having sides of equal length).

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Students will	fluently subtract with	nin 5 and compose and	decompose	How is subtraction different from addition? What are the ways you think about subtraction facts?				
numbers 1–1	.0 using various strate	gies.	•					
	· ·			How do you rem	ember each subtracti	on fact?		
Standards:								
K.OA.1	Represent addition and subtraction with objects, fingers, mental images, drawings, sounds (e.g., claps), acting out situations,							
	verbal explanations, expressions, or equations.							
K.OA.2	Solve addition and subtraction word problems, and add and subtract within 10, e.g., by using objects or drawings to represent							
	the problem.							
K.OA.3	Decompose numbers less than or equal to 10 into pairs in more than one way, e.g., by using objects or drawings, and record							
	each decomposition by a drawing or equation (e.g., 5 = 2 + 3 and 5 = 4 + 1).							
K.OA.5	Fluently add and so	ubtract within E						

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Big Idea 3, Quarter 4:	Essential Question(s):
Students will decompose numbers 11–19 using various strategies and	How do you show how a number decomposes?
record each decomposition using drawings and equations.	Why would you want to decompose a number?

Standards:

K.NBT.1 Compose and decompose numbers from 11 to 19 into ten ones and some further ones, e.g., by using objects or drawings, and record each composition or decomposition by a drawing or equation (e.g., 18 = 10 + 8); understand that these numbers are composed of ten ones and one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, or nine ones.

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