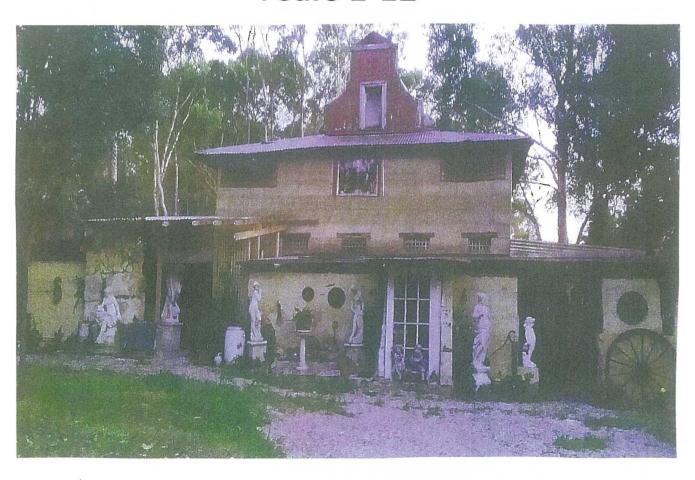
## **Hybrid Schooling 2**

A comprehensive tutorial

for

Math & English

**Years 1-12** 



**Cattai School of Aart** 

#### **IMPORTANT MESSAGE**

• In order to understand why you should start Hybrid Schooling, it is essential to first read or even peruse the following publications on my website under "Education.":

The Bark Report, Endangered Minds, Hybrid Schooling(The philosophy), Tutorial for Teachers & Parents. (A bird's eye view of the books and lessons involved).

Note: Do not study to comprehend the information. Only the step-by-step approach of the Comprehensive Tutorial will gradually enlighten you!

 The name Hybrid Schooling has been used before (Google). However, only now can the idea be put into practise thanks to the unique curriculum designed by someone with an unusually versatile career and an alert, inventive mind.

The lessons have already successfully been used with private students for almost fifty years.

### INTRODUCTION

 HYBRID SCHOOLING is a combination of going to school and Home Schooling to take advantage of both social interaction in a safe environment and an indisputably advanced way of teaching English and Maths.
 If applied exclusively, reading would be a priority for the first 2 years, then incidental spelling.

Since Times Tables can be taught in 2 hours and Primary Maths in 6 months, lessons could start 1 year later. (Both on YouTube). It has always been an absurd habit of starting 3 new subjects in year 1!

The best way to implement that combination.
 At school, the teacher deals with the prescribed curriculum.

At home, parents replace the time spent on scholastic homework by teaching the lessons found on my website. They may be downloaded free of charge.

Fortunately, no approval of an education authority is needed to implement Hybrid Schooling immediately because doing homework cannot possibly be compulsory! Besides, it would be unthinkable to prevent parents from wanting to raise the scholastic standard of their children.

After all, according to secretary Mark Scott, parental engagement is the key to a great school!

Besides, parents don't want their children to do the new Numeracy course in years 11 & 12. That would be like closing the gate when the cows have gone.

#### Beware!

Parents will have become so used to seeing commercialised lessons crammed with cartoons, questions, instructions that are like silly short stories (The children were asked to...), puzzles, fill in the gaps – and trivial

pursuit exercises, that they will baulk at the direct, old-fashioned, no-nonsense lessons! To solve that problem, they should ring the author, not only for free demonstrations, but perhaps more importantly, to discuss, understand and consolidate the abundance of information given in each book. Children deserve it. They will be even quicker grasping the difference.

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#### Hours

Tuesday – Saturday from 9 a.m. At 91, it's my way of making sure that all children will have access to the work of a genius and an educational pioneer who has been ignored for the past 40 years by both the Scholastic Hierarchy and 5 politicians including Pontius Piccoli and Turnbull!

No doubt, a number of ulterior motives are involved, none of them in line with the euphoric propaganda!

Name changes are like sewing a piece of new cloth onto an old garment.

The manager of the P&C magazine refused to insert my advertisements because he didn't like my "Product"!

It's like denying the children in 6000 NSW Public Schools the chance to see Rembrandt's Night Watch!

The secretary of the Teachers Federation obviously threw my correspondence in the waste paper basket.

In the Middle Ages, I would have been beheaded or burnt at stake!

 All lessons are based on scientific wisdom, on the ideas of Steiner and Montessori, on astonishing discoveries that would have delighted Einstein.

They are learnt by using Professional "Memory Training Techniques" because

instructions like "Learn this for tomorrow" or "Don't forget" are as useless as trying to sell ice cream on the moon, new or full.

#### The Bark Curriculum for Reading

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In order to avoid the influence of Early
Learning Centres and Pre Schools, I advise
parents to start "Reading in Minutes"
(YouTube & Website) with children aged 5.
Ten to fifteen minutes once or twice per day.
Since the brain cells for writing are not yet in
place, letters are only traced with index finger
or a blunt pencil.

The writing method used in schools should of course be replaced by the one shown in "Reading in Minutes": 79-88. Parents should read page 89 and practise page 78. Primary School children should be able to spend 45 minutes on reading and incidental spelling. About 15 minutes spent on Maths will be enough to keep up with work in class.

Fortunately, anything done conscientiously will generate progress.

The **Diagnostic Reading Tests** should be used to determine the reading ages of older children. If the score is too low, "Reading in Minutes" is the answer because problems always start at the beginning! Ninety percent of students affected are boys, erroneously labelled dyslectic (Greek for can't read). Instead of confronting them with random words like how, what, where, other..., they have to start with words that have the same pattern because that can be seen at a glance so that the attention is focused on the initial letter or letters.

All the psychological and physiological evidence we have, suggests that, with regards to reception, the human mind is "a pattern-making-and a pattern-using system."

(Edward de Bono: The Mechanism of the Mind)

Boys are like mechanics, they want to **see** and **hear** how somethings works
("Spellaphone Book 1" and "Creative
Linguistic Spelling" are designed for that purpose)

Once the reading age is known, parents must find out where to start The Bark Curriculum, because it is a list of progressive lessons not related to any age. It's much like finding the right groove on a vinyl record to hear a particular song, so it involves trial and error. If parents need guidance, they should contact me.

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Spelling strategies will be dealt with when students have mastered the more complex skill of writing.

#### **Reading in Minutes**

Detailed instructions for parents

Sorting exercises involve printing the relevant pages on 200- or 300 GSM (grams per square meter) and cutting out.

Children like manipulating these cut-outs. It will increase their attention span. **Interest is the key to learning;** that's why all teenagers are on Ls or on P-plates.

Match the cut-outs with the ones on the page. One row once or twice per day.

- 1. The letters: 3,4,5
- 2.**The Vowel Children**: 7,8,9

  Do the same with the other 5 pictures.
- 3. The Code Names without the pictures. 6,10,11.

Matching exercises are designed to make children **see** rather than just look!

- 4. Memorising the Code Names.
- 1, 1&2, 1,2,&3...
- Bark's Spellaphone Book: 12,13

  The mechanics of making words. Read the first page, then just flick through it.
- Teaching words in 3 steps: 14,15
   Print & cut. Parents: "We're going to read some ap words."

- 1.Parent reads, students repeats: map, or map, cap (not gap),...
- 2. Parents: "Can you give me sap, map,..."
- 3. Parents: "Read this word...

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- 4. Mistakes are treated thus. "No, that is zap. Let's read them again."
- 5.(Not mentioned).Cut out m, c, n, z, s and ap. The student makes up a word, then reads it A. while looking at the list. B. from memory.

#### 5. Reading Code Name Words: 16,17

Parent mentions the Code Name, reads a word and points out that the two have the same **sonant**. Note: sonants can sound individually, **consonants** can only sound with a sonant. The word vowel is only a physical description.

This exercise is a preparation for sorting spelling words according to the **sound** of the **stressed syllable**.

("Spelling Awareness: 10, 11, 12)

6.**To the zoo**: 20,21,22

First read "Spelling Awareness": 6,7,8.

to see a gorilla •—• •—•

Say the phrase while tapping the rhythm pattern in order to hear its fluency.

Not: To see A gorilla!!! •——•—•(hiatus!)

- 7. Memorising the story. Parent reads, student repeats: line 1 1 & 2 1, 2, & 3...
- 8. Reading the story: 23,25,27
  - Foundation Literacy 1: 29

The section mentioned in "Reading in Minutes". Only one page of each Code Name is given here. Use the same procedures as for the ap words: 1,2,3,4,5. Eventually, depending on the ability of the student, only steps 1,2,3. One page once or twice per day.

- Words starting with 2 consonants: 45-48
   Same procedure as for the ap words.
- Knock, knock: 49-52
  Same procedures as for "to the zoo."
- More complex words: 53,54,55

9. The Sentences: 55-70

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Same procedure as for "to the zoo."

#### 10. Spellaphone Book Companion: 71,72,73

It is the same as Foundation Literacy 3(different cover). They contain the type of sentences mentioned above, except that the letters are smaller, the usual size in later books. Just flick through it for now.

- 11.A. Sorting smaller letters: 76. Print & cut
- 1. Mix & match each row. 2.Mix & match all letters. This is a **visual** exercise. Do not name the letters!!!
- 11.B. Tracing (eventually drawing) the letters: 77

Up to now, letters have always been represented by endless, beautiful pictures. They never had anything to do with **how** to draw(write, trace) the letters!

In this unique system, the letters are the pictures! (hieroglyphics): 79-88

I teach **how** to trace (draw) them by using verbal rehearsal (hear again!); it improves recall because with saying & doing, two senses are involved.

Note: no more b for ball!

The letters are made up of circles(anti clockwise) and down strokes because that facilitates the left to right fluency. Since students will soon use laptops, don't waste time teaching running writing! That skill is lost forever. Besides, it avoids nagging and frustration!

Example: 79 **The letter and its image** form a unit that will only need a quick glance to notice; introductions are not necessary.

Parent says "Apple" and then traces it. Student repeats.

Note: Before tracing the whole words on page 78, parents should first trace these words themselves: 89

Errata –  $\kappa$ : down, up, down. Remember to support the up-stroke.

• The Spelling Word stories: 90, 91
They will be discussed later.

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• Foundation Literacy 1. The book itself
Same procedure as for the ub words and the stories. The whole word method is not the same as using flashcards, showing cards with one word on it! Read again page 8 "Spelling Awareness." Since students have 4 seconds to process what they have heard, they won't baulk at words they've never seen before, so forget about "sounding out!"

Anyway, many English words cannot be sounded out; spelling them is not the same: although, through, bought...

English is derived from many other languages; sixty percent from Latin (see Ecce Romani 1). Each word is altered slightly to accommodate the English tongue because script is a mirror image of speech. Speech dictates the fluency words can be pronounced: daughter from dochter(Dutch), leisure from leise(German). Courage, danger, sentiment, message,

- Alternate the Code Name.
   Do one page per lesson.
- Only read the sentences that contain the relevant words.

Note: Ignore the 2 pages that describe my original way of teaching the letters(59,60). **Read** 61, **do** 89&90, 103-108(words). Revision 109-133, mini stories 134-149 **Dialogue** 150-152. alternate actors.

#### Foundation Literacy 2: Revision

A simplified version of my "Spellaphone Book". It's divided into 3 parts of increasing complexity, starting with 3-letter words and some starting with sh.

#### **Incidental spelling**

The main idea is to foster reading fluency. One page per day. Alternate Code Names. Example: the ub words, the ab words...

Parents read the whole group, students repeat. Eventually – if possible – only students read. Here, the use of a chopstick helps. If it stops, students have to try again. If they hesitate, parents must read the word without fuss.

Foundation Literacy 3: Revision sentences
(Same as Spellephone Book Companion)
With or without the help of parents. Do a
couple of sentences under each Code Name.

#### **Foundation Literacy 4**

The stories with the Code Name words are now longer and more complex. Letters are bigger to facilitate reading them. Use alternate Code Names depending on the readiness of students, choose one of the following procedures:

1. Parents read one or more sentences.

Students repeat. If this works well, students read the whole story.

- 2. Parents read the whole story, students repeat the whole story.
- 3. Any convenient variation.

Parents have no choice but to take over!

Box refers to a matchbox 4.5X1.3 that stores the words once they have been enlarged and cut out to sort them according to function, one of the different ways of sorting words.

(Hybrid Schooling 1: page 5, Reading in Minutes 93, 94, 95)

#### **Foundation Literacy 5**

Is the most comprehensive resource ever designed. It contains the first 15 spelling lists for Primary Schools.

They are not just copied 4 times per week with a test on Friday to see how many wrong!

Students are not told to put each word in a sentence either because they only have a very limited so-called playground vernacular of

about 300 words! After all, they're supposed to be taught; that's why they go to school.

Box 1: I use these words and others with the same pattern, in rhythmic and fluent spelling rhymes creating optimum readability according to scientific tests.

#### 2. Stepping Stones

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A unique way of reconstructing the Spelling rhymes from memory.

#### 3. Spelling word story

A method of turning a list of random words into a story. It is demonstrated on You Tube. ("Reading in Minutes")

#### 4. Word Building

In "Creative Linguistic Spelling, it is the first of the 7 spelling strategies.

#### 5. Attention seekers

Here attention is directed to ck and double I words. Pointing it out is not good enough

because children can see that themselves, especially when they are copying these words. An inventive mind has to find a way that causes them also to remember no matter how absurd!

e.g. The letter I is too skinny to stand up by itself! C easily rolls away like a ball. The kangaroo will prevent that from happening. Children love that sort of nonsense. That's why they will remember it!

#### **6.Spelling Awareness**

The main purpose is to foster reading fluency, spelling is incidental. Stick to the usual procedure used many times before. There is no harm in keeping up with the original one for sentences. Parents read, students repeat, students read.

#### **English course**

Seventy-one conversations for backpackers. They have been translated into 8 foreign languages!

**Creative Writing**: Another masterpiece for High School students

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It is a comprehensive self-help manual. It contains a multitude of detailed instructions and exercises that can't be found in any school book.

#### **One thousand Creative Descriptions**

A collection of superb examples taken from the books written by famous authors. They are highly inspirational. Together with the lessons learnt when studying Creative Writing, they will provide the impetus to create something more sophisticated then the usual "going to the

beach" stories, always preceded by the request to make them interesting without telling how!

#### **Bark's Incidental Spelling Curriculum**

for Primary-and Secondary students. There is so much that parents need to find the appropriate books that will benefit their children. At this advanced stage, they should use any of the instructions mentioned before for reading sentences and stories. The emphasis remains on reading.

English course 2 (similar to the one above)

Spelling word sentences and stories

Specific Spelling Features in Focus

The 138 stories were written by using Primaryand Secondary word lists. The words are written in bold letters!

Note: The lists are the result of Word Count, a system based on frequency, hence the progressive way of presenting them.

# Spelling Awareness Tutorial for parents

1.Sorting: 9-16

2.551 sentences: from page 70

They are like those in Literacy 3&5 except that each one is preceded by a specific spelling feature.

**Appendix 1** contains a few stories like those in Literacy 4.

**Appendix 2** deals with word formation. Print and enlarge page 11(A3)

Print and cut out the words

Exercises are followed by a checklist.

Once the words have been cut out, the parents read one, students repeat before placing it on the A3 under the right Code Name.

Troublesome words are put aside and then read later on.

Note: To fit in with work in class, the scholastic lists should be used first; enlarged to A4 and cut out.

#### The Bark Curriculum for Spelling

Refer to Spelling Awareness:

Spelling is learnt by seeing, not by looking or copying. Together with the other 4 senses, it is a very important skill in a Professional Memory Training Course. The 5 senses can become more acute by doing the professional exercises listed in "Creative Writing under the title of "The 5 senses." (19-24)

The spelling of words can only be remembered when they appear in a sensible & fluent context.

- 1.Birds of prey: they have grey eyes.
- 2.A minute is a minute moment in time.

A.The 7 strategies: Tutorial for T&D 17-20

#### **B. Creative Linguistic Spelling**

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**C. Spelling in minutes** (You Tube & website)

It is impossible to write a uniform method for the art of spelling. There would be more exceptions than rules. That's why the poor kids have copied their spelling words for the past 200 years.

With my linguistic supermarket concept, all items with a similar spelling pattern (De Bono) have their own place on the shelf so to speak. After 4 years of regular "Word shopping," students should be able to visualise the various shelves and isles so as to make the Art of Spelling as natural as breathing.

#### The Bark Curriculum for Maths

Instructions are not necessary

- Maths in Minutes (You Tube & website)
- Math and Memory 1,2,3,4
- Multilevel dictionary for years 6-12

With professional answers there is no such thing as necessary working, an archaic demand based on authority. Answers are either right or wrong. Teachers must not demand prescribed answers; by intimidating Hybrid students not to give intelligent shortcuts; it inhibits mental arithmetic and the use of patterns.

The acceptance of this highly professional philosophy by the previous Board of Studies has been lured into a cul-do-sac in order to be quietly strangled by the New Standard Authority, a severe name suggesting that all is not well, hence the new numeracy course for years 11&12.

 Advanced Maths Dictionary for years 11&12.

(Formerly called 2-unit Maths)

With professional answers

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## NUMERACY

BOOK 1: NUMBERS IN A NUISHELL (WEBSITE)

BOOK 2: REVISION. MATHEMORY / (YOUTURE)

· Book 2 IS BASED ON THE DISCOVERY METHOD

(NOT PLAGET'S!).

USE IF FIRST AS AN GRALTEST BEFORE AWRITTEN ONE.

PIFTEEN MINUTES PER LESSON SHOULD BE ENOUGH TO PREPARE FOR THE MATHS IN YEAR 7.

## INSTRUCTIONS

SHARPENING THE SSENSES COMESFIRST.

EXERCISES TO DO THAT MAY BE FOUND IN CREATIVE WRITING PAGES 14-20. STUDENTS MUST LEARN TO LISTEN EN HEAR. THEY MUST LOOK AND SEE!

SEEING CAN BE IMPROVED TO AN AMAZING DEGREE.

I USE MATHS AS A MEDIUM TO TEACH
THOSE UNIVERSAL SKILLS!

THAT SOLVES THE PROBLEM OF STUDENTS WHO THINK
THAT THEY WON'T NEED MATHS! THE AVERAGE MARK
IS 45 RECAUSE THIS SUBJECT IS ALWAYS
TAUGHT AS AN END IN ITSELF!!! IT ONLY
SUITS THE TEACHER.

IMPORTANT

NEVER SAY WHAT YOU HEAR OR SEE (PAGE 7 BOOK)

STUDENTS MUST LEARN TO HEAR & DO TO SEE & DO RECIPES MUST BE SAID REPEATED ALOUD! (BOOKI: 759), THEN ORAL ANSWERS ONLY. NO WORK BOOKS !!!! IT SLOWS THE LEARNING PROCESS! NUMBERS FIRST & SECOND YEAR: ADDITION BOOKI: 1-39 S FOR STUDENT Book 2: 1-16 THE 9-PARTNERS (THEY ADD UP TO 9) PRACTISE: 1. P. I SAY 2 , YOU SAYT I SAY 7, YOU SAY 2 QUICKER 2. 8 (1), 1(8), 3(6) ... FROM NOW ON LESS HASTE MORE SPEED (FESTINA LENTE) NLY CONTINUE WHEN THE STUDENT GIVES INSTANT ANSWERS!

SEE PAGE STUDENT SEES 9 32+7 SAYAND SAYS ETC. REMEMBER: THE RECIPES MUST BE SAID & REPEATED ALOUD NOTE: REMEMBER IS POSITIEF (PROFESSIONAL MEMORY TRAINING). DON'T FORGET IS NEGATIVE. PAGES 12, 13, 14 THE 10- PARTNERS (PAGE 15) ADD UP TO TEN SAME EXERCISES FOR THE 9- PARTNERS. NOTE: 159, 258 ARE DEALT WITH EARLIER, 3 & 7 THE 7 IS IN THE 3 4,6 EVEN NEIGHBOURS 5 & 5 2 HANDS, 10 FINGERS HOW MANY WEEKS IN A YEAR? 52 5 FINGERS 2 HANDS THIS MAKES LIVELIER LESSONS. AFTER ALL, CHILDREN ARE PROGRAMMED TO BE CURIOUS.

THE 3RS THE PROFESSIONAL WAY NOTE: THE SEE & SAY METHOD ELIMINATES ALL OUT DATED HARITS AND PROTOCOLS WITH ORAL EXERCISES, WE DON'T NEED MARGINS, PLUS, TAKE AWAY, EQUALS, PENLICENCE, STRAWBERRY SCENTED STICKERS OR A REDPEN FOR MARKING! PAGE 16 FOR THIS EXERCISE, WE NEED TO KNOW THAT: 1F 1+1=2 57=50+7 IF 1+5=6 THEN 10 +10 = 20 THEN 10+50=60 68+2 YOU SEE 10, YOU THINK GOTTO = 10 SAME EXERCISES PAGE 18 AS FOR THE 10-PARTNERS P. I SAY 3, YOU SAY 6, ETC. THEN QUICKER: 4(8), 8/16), 6 (12), ETC. PAGE 19 AS 18

PAGE 20

## CREATIVE NUMERACY

## FOR EARSEYE

PAGE 23: ADDITION TABLES IN STAGES. (OVER ANSWERS

PAGE 25: THE 45 POSSIBILITIES (9-PARTNERS!)

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NUMBER: ANSWERS ARE ON THE BACK. CARDS FIT IN A

MATCHROX KEEP PRACTISING UNTIL ANSWERS ARE GIVEN

IN 45 SECONDS! THEN PRACTISE 26

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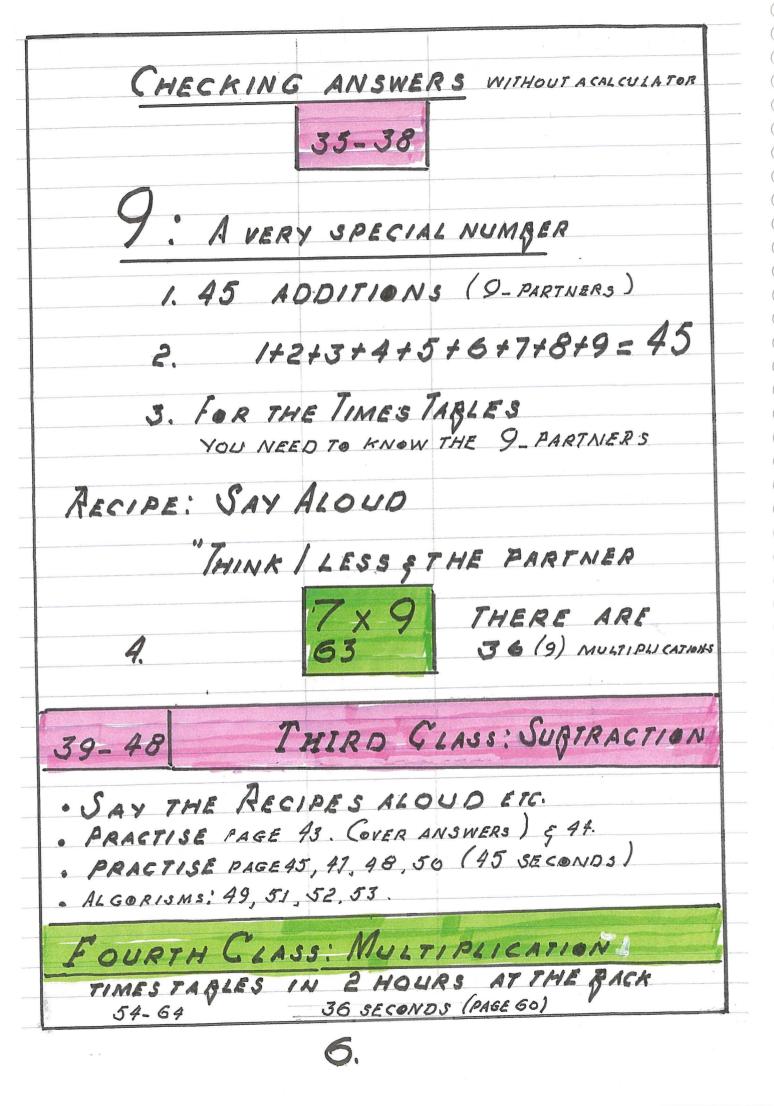
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## FIFTH CLASS: DIVISION 65-79 TABLES 73 DIVISION IS MULTIPLICATION INREVERSE. WE ARE GOING TO USE VISUALISATION (PROFESSIONAL MEMORY TRAINING TO LEARN ANSWERS PRELIMINARY EXERCISES TO PRACTISE THIS VERY IMPORTANT SKILL. 1. CLOSE YOUR EYES

2. VISUALISE CLASSROOMS WITH STUDENTS IN THEIR USUAL PLACES ETC. ETC.

3. SAY WHAT YOU SEE IN YOUR MIND'S EYE

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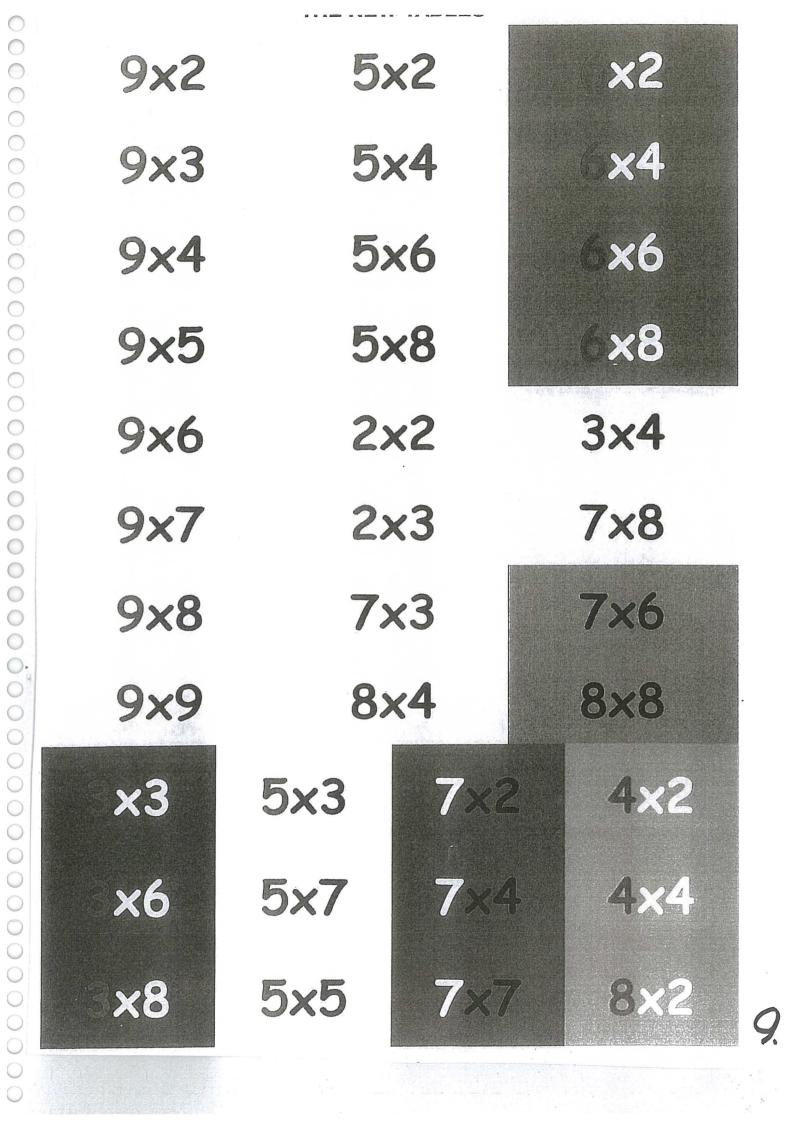
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SIXTH CLASS: FRACTIONS

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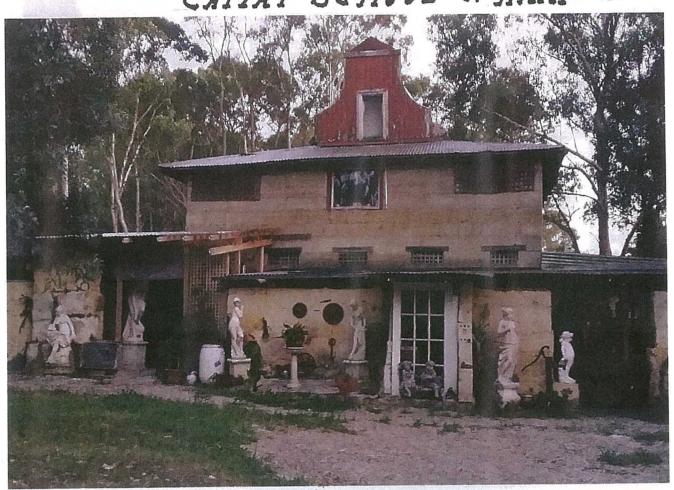
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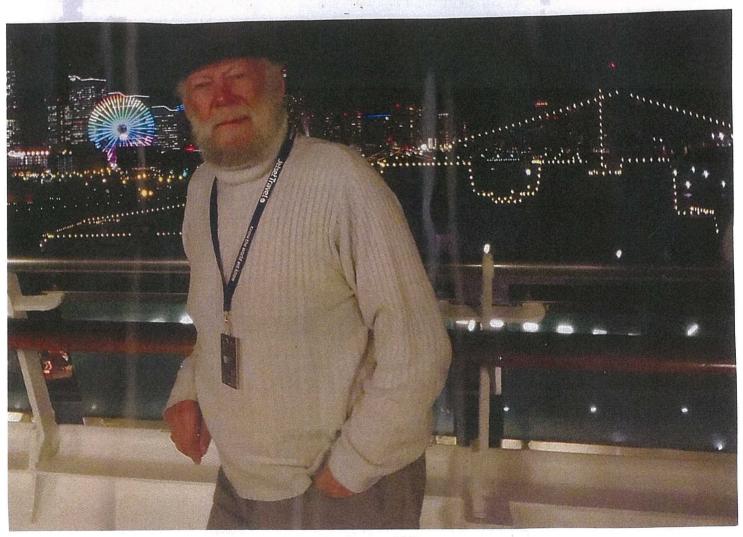


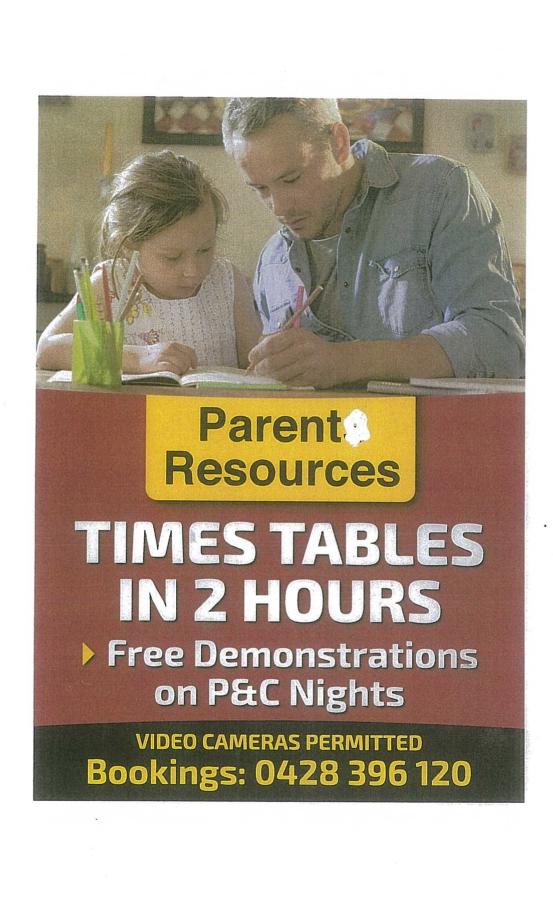
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#### Introduction

I am the first person in the world who has discovered number patterns that will enable students to easily remember the answers to the standard multiplications. Copying times tables umpteen times should now be an obsolete activity!

- I'll begin with 2 general laws: 1. Xx1=x. 2.
   Xxo=o
- Remembering answers comes last! The following pages are designed for you to get used to the new tables in stages because you should immediately forget the ones in bedrooms or on toilet doors!
- There are 5 stages to remember and how they relate it is important to visualise the whole page as well as the colours of each group.
- Do not try to learn answers direct! Less haste more speed!

Note: this method shows clearly that the mind is a pattern making and a pattern using system(De Bono).

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9×3		5	×4	6x	4
9×4		5	×6	6x	6
9x5		5	×8	6×	8
9×6		2:	×2	3×	4
9x7		2×3		7×	8
9×8		7×3		7×	6
9×9		8×4		8×	8
3×3	5	5x3 7x2		3 4	×2
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#### How to remember the 11 groups

Group 11: the nines

Group 9&10: five and even, six and even

Group 7: look at the top line: you see 2 twos & 3 twos.

Group 8: after the 2 comes 3&4. Add: 7 and the next.

Group 5: look at group 8 in a different way (up!) you see 7&3 and 8&4.

Group 6: double the 3 and the 4

Groups 1,2,3,4

Since we don't do 1, and have used 9, the remaining odd numbers are 3 5 7.

The 4<sup>th</sup> column gives two fours, four fours which the same as 2 eighssss sixteen.

Group 2: 5 and odd

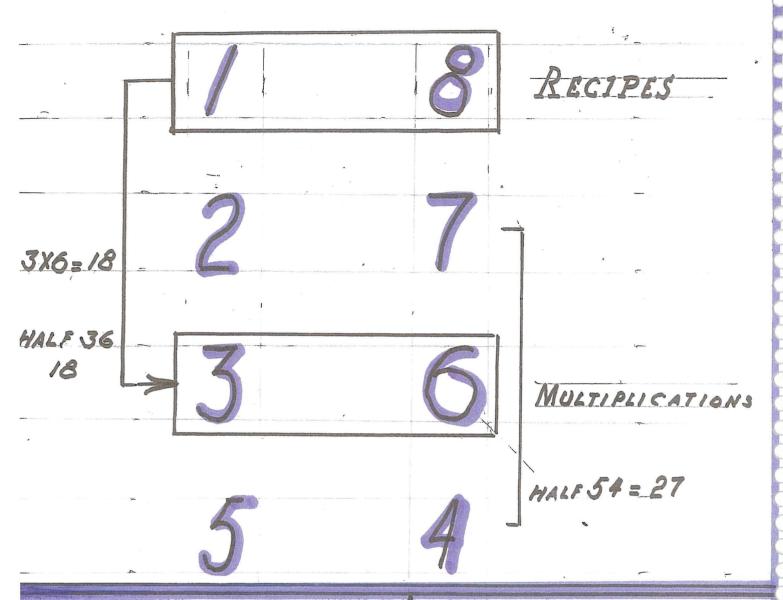
Group 1: the missing threes

Check off the ones already used: 2,4,5,7,9

Group 3: think: 2 weeks, 4weeks, a week x a week.

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# 9-PARTNERS



THE USE

PATTERNS

GENERAL BULES

XXI=X

XXO=0

NO NEED FOR TABLES

6 and Even Half the Number and the Number 6×2=12 6×4=24 6×6=36 6×8=48

5 and Even
Half the
Number
and Zero
5x2=10
5x4=20
5x6=30
5x8=40

9x2=18 9x3=27 9x4=36 9x5=45 9x6=54 9x7=63 9x8=72 9x9=81

The 9-Partners

The 9 Recipe:

Think 1 Less

and

the Partner

2

Count to Eight.
Answers in Front.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

0

2x3=6

2x2=4

7 6 4 2 8 8 6 4 even even Answers Behind.
7 3 2 1
8 4 3 2

If
2x4=8
Then
4x4
=
2 Eightssss
sixteen

2x7 2 Weeks A Fortnight Nights 4x7 4 Weeks 14+14=28

4x7 Shortest Month FEBRUARY 12345678 2nd Month 8 Letters

A WEEK & A WEEK A FORT NINE 49

5 x ODD ENDS IN 5 WITH ODD NUMBER IN FRONT 5 x 3 = 15 5 x 7 = 35 HOW MANY? 5 x 5 = 25

5
10
3 x 3

Amazing Numbers
36
1 9 Partners
2 Half 36=18
3 3x6=18
4 To Remember the 3 Thraces
Recipes Group

8
X
23
4

13 ... -.

have to find something (anything) to remember it by. Since children were told to write out their times tables umpteen times during the past 200 years, neither teachers nor learned professors were inventive enough to think ouside the box. Hence the following solution.

How to remember the times tables: summary.

Groups11: think I less and the partner

$$9x4=3x(9-3)=36$$

$$9x7=6x(9-6)=63$$

Group 9&10: just apply the recipe

Group 8: if you count to eight, you have 2

answers: 1 2=3x4, 5 6=7x8

Groups 5: if you go from 7 to 3, you're counting

down: next one down is 2, next one down is 1:

7x3 = 21

Group 6: the doubles of group 5

7x6=42 even down

8x8=64 even down



Group 1: 3x3: Channel 9

There are 36 multiplication (magic 9 again). you only have to remember 18 recipes.

Look at 36 and 18

- Half 36=18
- 3x6=18

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Group 2: 5 and odd answers always ending: 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35...

So that's half the answer 5x3: you need the odd number of these two with the 5:15

5x7: odd number before and 5:35

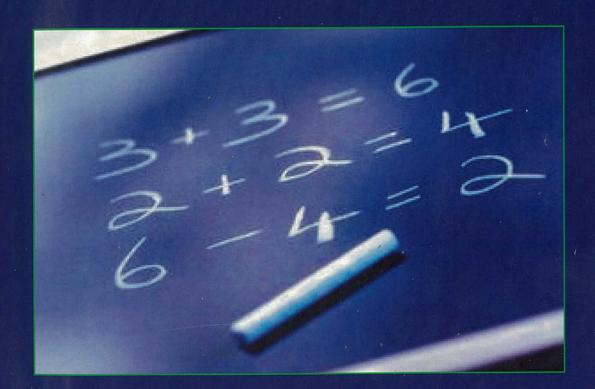
5x5: you see 2 fives. That's the number you need with the 5.

Groups 3: 1 week=7 days, 2 weeks is a fortnight is 14 nights. An extraordinary coincidence that nobody has seen despite PHD credentials. Most children cannot spell February because they don't pronounce the R(like we do it in Dutch).

February= 4x7 days. 2<sup>nd</sup> month, 8 letters; that's the answer!

# VISUALISE DIVISION X654:6=954:9=6

# EFFICIENT ADDITION & SUBTRACTION



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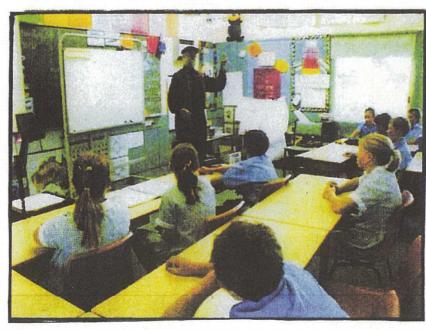
#### **Efficient Addition & Subtraction**

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#### **Author's Background**

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#### The Decimal System

- Learning to confidently add any set of numbers in record time without calculator may be achieved by applying 12 general rules and recipes (\*). It heralds the end of Rote Learning, saying or copying the traditional tables over and over again, often without the hoped-for outcome.
- The success of this highly efficient course is the result of training eyes to look and see instead of
  relying on variable intelligence! The guided awareness of specific features combined with the use of
  Verbal Rehearsal, number cards and routine procedures satisfies the 5 requirements in

Professional Memory training: 1. Interest (created by the teacher)

2. Attention

3. Concentration (attention to detail)

4. Visualisation

5. Repetition

- My method completely bypasses the Failure Mechanism that is often activated by too many
  explanations, a modern phenomenon! That's why Subtraction is learnt by using its own rules and recipes.
  The relationship between Addition and Subtraction is not mentioned. However, since the transition
  from Addition and Subtraction to the concept of positive and negative numbers in year 7 always
  creates problems for many students, that topic has been summarily dealt with.
- As far as Numeracy is concerned, young children should be intelligently programmed like a calculator for their own benefit, especially since it takes at least ten years for the human brain to reach maturity (Uma História da Linguagem).
- Practising Arithmetic should be considered a practical as well as a therapeutic activity. With the advent of the Internet, Google, Facebook, IPhones and the like, memorising has almost become extinct causing braincells to die off (National Geographic); the price we have to pay for technology and progress. Many children now have a T.V. brain, one that is only suitable to watch the screen (Endangered Minds, Healey). It's not the apes we come from, it's where we are going!
   (\*) A general rule generates an infinite number of answers. The word recipe is used here to find the answers to a limited group of additions or subtractions.

#### **Program**

- General rules and Recipes for Addition (pages 1&2). The use of Choral Reading.
- Exercises 1&2 on page 4.
- Exercise 3: The 36 additions are mixed, black numbers up. Students give oral answers and immediately check the ones on the back. Errors should be recorded on page 4 in the appropriate sections.

  The exercise should be repeated if necessary until the final score is 100%.
- Exercises 4&5.
- Mentals.
- Addition as a therapy.
- General rules and Recipes for Subtraction (pages 7&8).
- Exercise 6: Guided revision.
- · Algorisms Type one.
- Exercise 7: Guided revision.
- · Algorisms Type two.

#### General Rules & Recipes for Addition.

Including the 12 Basic Ones.

If you add 1 to a number, you get the next number.

1. 1+12 1+23 1+34 1+45 1+56 1+67 1+78 1+8
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#### SEE & SAY

If you add 2 to an odd number, you get the next odd number.

<b>2</b> +77	<mark>2</mark> +69	<b>2</b> +51	2+43	2+39	<mark>2</mark> +25	<mark>2</mark> +17	2+3	2.
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#### SEE & SAY

If you add 2 to an even number, you get the next even number.

2+34 2+48 2+60 2+76 2+84 2+98	3	2+4	2+34	2+26	2+12	3.
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#### THE 9 - PARTNERS

4.	1-	8	2 ·	. 7	3.	-6	5.	-4
	11+8	23+6	32+7	44+5	58+1	67+2	76+3	85+4

#### SEE & SAY

The first 9 - recipe: Think 1 less and teen.

5.	7+9	9+9	5+9	8+9	6+9	4+9	3+9	2+9	
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#### SEE & SAY

The second 9 - recipe: Think 1 more, 1 less.

11+9	23+9	49+9	76+9	87+9	95+9	104+9	232+9
19+2	29+4	59+3	79+7	99+2	119+3	129+5	89+9

#### General Rules & Recipes for Addition.

Including the 12 Basic Ones.

		THI	E 10 - PARTNE	RS .						
6.	1-9	2-8	3-7	4-6	5-5					
	one - nine	two-eight	three - seven	next even	2 hands					
		Th	SEE & SAY ink1 more and ze	ro.						
	14+6	21+9	35+5	42+8	57+3					
	196+4	283+7	37 <mark>9+1</mark>	735+5	642+8					
		TI	SEE & SAY ne number and tee	en						
7.	9+10	6+10	8+10	5+10	3+10					
	SEE & SAY 1 more and keep.									
	14+10	51+10	99+10	<del>18</del> 8+10	515+10					
	2.		DOUBLES							
8.	3+3	4+4	6+6	7+7	8+8					
	3	DOL	JBLES PLUS O	NE						
9.	3+4	5+6	6+7	7+8	8+7					
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	+ 6 4 teen	say aloud 3-5-8 5-8-13	If 4+7=11 5+7=12	If 4+7=11 4+8=12	If 4+7=11 3+8=11					

10.

11.

-3-

12.

#### The 10 - Partners

The 9-Partners

#### The First 9 - Recipe:

Think 1 Less & Teen

#### The Second 9 - Recipe:

Think 1 More, 1 less

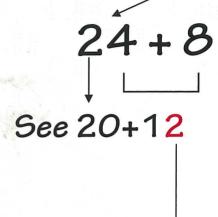
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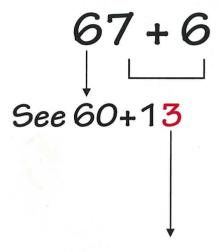
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NOTE: The Biggest Combination is 9+9=18So 20 can only

Become 30

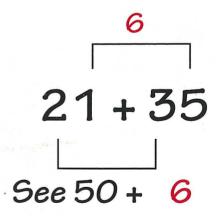


Say Thirty - Two

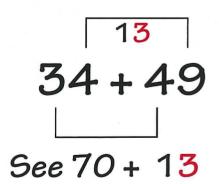


Say Seventy - Three

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Say Fifty - Six



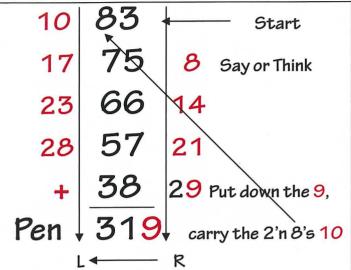
Say Eighty - Three

#### A Single Column

EYES

1. Say Aloud 2. Think

2 Columns Without crutch figures; it disturbs fluency. In a relay race, the baton is passed on, not thrown on the ground!



3.

Checking with the 9-remainder method (Trachtenberg): Reduce each number to one single digit by adding its digits. Mentally cancel nines or combinations totalling nine.

Note: The 9-Remainder is the sum of the digits.

Eg: 
$$21 = (2 \times 9) + 3$$

#### Finding Palindromic Numbers

- Start with any number
- Add its reverse
- Repeat this procedure
- Eventually, you'll find one

379

+973

1352

+2531

3883

It reads the same both ways

#### General Rules & Recipes for Subtraction

			ake 1 from				fore.				
1	20-1	11-1	18-1	39-1	47-1	54-1	66-1	74-1			
The difference between two consecutive numbers is 1											
2	17-16	15-14	20-19	31-30	49-48	56-55	64-63	100-99			
The difference between two consecutive odd numbers is 2											
3	19-17	5-3	27-25	33-31	41-39	3-1	51-49	61-59			
The difference between two consecutive even numbers is 2											
4	2-0	14-12	26-24	38-36	50-48	62-60	70-68	100-98			
If you take 2 from an odd number, you get the odd number before.											
5	3-2	11-2	25-2	37-2	49-2	51-2	63-2	75-2			
If you take 2 from an even number, you get the even number before.											
6	2-2	14-2	26-2	3 <i>8</i> -2	40-2	52-2	64-2	76-2			
The missing 9-partners											
7	9-1	9-2	9-3	9-4	9-5	9-6	9-7	9-8			
	1		Replace th	ne 9 by the	missing pa	rtner					
	19-1	29-3	39-2	49-4	59-8	69-7	79-6	89-5			

#### General Rules & Recipes for Subtraction

8	The 9 - rema	inder group	
	The 9-remainder is the sum of	·• (means	therefore)
	the digits:		
	13=9+4	13-9=4	13-4=9

15-9	11-9	16-7	16-9
11-2	18-9	14-9	15-6
10-1	19-10	13-4	18-9
13-9	10-9	14-5	12-9
17-8	17-9	19-9	12-3

The second 9 - recipe in reverse: Think 1 less, 1 more.

9	20-9	37-9	41-9	53-9
	68-9	72-9	84-9	106-9

#### Think missing 10-partners

10 10-2 20-4 30-3 40-5 50-7 60-6 70-8 80-9
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#### Think 1 less and keep

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#### The left-overs

12	7-3	8-5	7-4	8-3	11-4	14-8	11-7	12-7
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#### **ALGORISMS**

They must be done as an old fashioned routine!
Explanations only activate the failure mechanism;
the calculator doesn't provide them either.
If you explain too much, you explain nothing.

#### TAKEAWAY is only for Fish & Chips or Hamburgers. Type 1 Algorisms

Say;

98 Positive 98

Not shown

- 55 Negative 55

43 Positive 43

•

76

- 44 The negative sign is written in front! (As you say it)

32

Type 1

2.

Year 7:

Think:

There are 12 Negatives & 10 Positives.

"The Negatives win by 2"

Exercise 6: Guided Revision with cards.

Exercise 7: The 45 Possibilities.

Check Answers on the back of the cards.

Type 2 Algorisms

Routine: Put 1 .. Means Therefore

Take 1 43 Do

- 8 13 - 8 = 5

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Stage 1: Using 10 - partners 13 - 8 = 5

Think 2+3

Stage 2: Exercise 7

Direct Answers

Routine: Put 1

Take 1 50 Do

-17 10-7=3

73 ↑ 10 ✓ - 25 + 7 - 48 3 Check Up!

195 ↑ 6 ✓

- 36 + 0

159 6 Ignore nines or combinations

333<sup>↑</sup> 9 ✓ -178 + 7 155 2 5.

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14+6	21+9	5+5	42+8	57+3	36+7
11+8	22+7	33+6	45+4	54+5	7+8
9+3	4+9	9+5	6+9	9+7	8+9
19+9	28+9	37+9	49+6	59+5	69+4
6+6	13+3	24+4	95+5	47+7	58+8
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15	59	49	39	29	19
17	16	15	14	13	12
73	64	55	46	37	28
66	54	100	28	16	12
13	8	14	21	12	11
23	18	34	32	12	11

### Exercise 2: Put the mixed cards on page 4. Exercise 3: Give oral answers, Check answers on the back. Record errors on page 4 in the appropriate spaces. Repeat exercise 3 if necessary until score is 100%

2+11	2+23	2+35	2+47	2+59	13+4
2+10	2+12	2+24	2+36	2+48	25+6
14+6	21+9	5+5	42+8	57+3	36+7
11+8	22+7	33+6	45+4	54+5	7+8
9+3	4+9	9+5	6+9	9+7	8+9
19+9	28+9	37+9	49+6	59+5	69+4
6+6	13+3	24+4	95+5	47+7	58+8
4+7	5+7	14+7	8+6	3+5	5+8
3+8	4+8	25+7	28+6	13+5	15+8

Exercise 4: Cut out the 36 cards, store in pouch B after use. Give oral answers .Compare them with the correct ones on the back.

21+9	44+7	77+4	98+7
23+8	36+6	88+6	98+2
26+5	47+9	86+4	105+9
37+8	64+6	85+7	87+5
42+8	54+8	66+9	38+9
33+9	56+8	78+5	89+1
46+7	68+4	77+3	95+8
58+3	55+5	75+6	27+7
33+7	64+9	97+6	Increase 28 by 8 means <b>28+8</b>

105	81	51	30
100	94	42	31
114	90	56	31
92	92	70	45
47	75	62	50
90	83	64	42
103	80	72	53
34	81	60	61
36	103	73	40

12+19	17+15	13+18	16+17
26+15	27+18	28+19	29+16
27+29	28+28	29+22	28+27
36+16	25+17	39+18	38+15
38+24	36+28	39+24	37+27
46+19	45+16	44+17	49+17
47+26	45+29	49+23	44+28
53+39	57+34	58+36	59+35
59+49	58+43	55+48	54+49

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33	31	32	31
45	47	45	41
55	51	56	<b>56</b>
53	57	42	<b>52</b>
64	63	64	<b>62</b>
66	61	61	<b>65</b>
72	72	74	73
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Exercise 6: Guided Revision

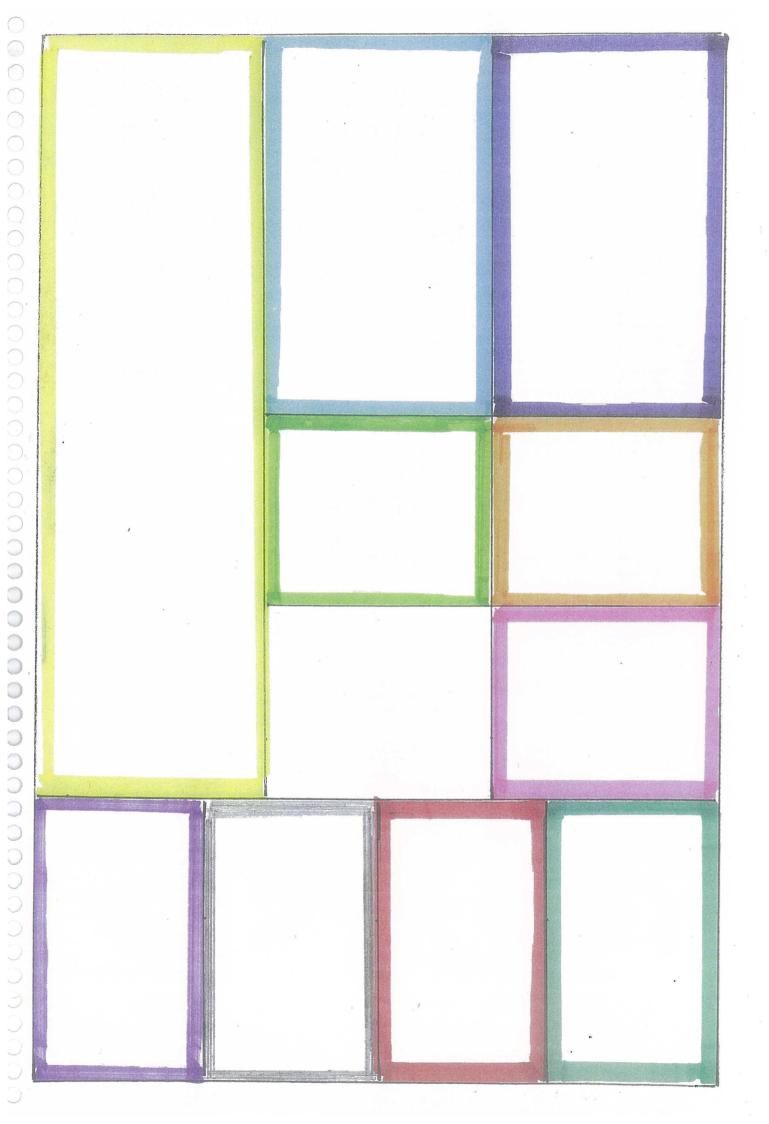
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74-1	31-30	64-63	41-39	61-59
26-24	70-68	37-2	51-2	38-2
40-2	9-3	9-4	9-5	9-6
29-3	49-4	59-8	69-7	79-6
89-5	20-9	37-9	41-9	53-9
68-9	72-9	84-9	106-9	20-4
30-3	40-5	50-7	60-6	70-8
80-9	7-3	8-5	7-4	8-3
18-10	75-10	34-10	83-10	Decrease 61 by 10 means 61-10

Cut out cards. Check answers on the back store in pouch C After use.

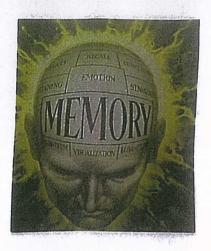
Exercise 7: Guided Revision Algorisms Type 2: The 45 Possibilities

10-1	11-3	12-5	13-7	14-9
11-2	12-3	13-8	14-5	10-2
15-9	10-7	11-5	12-6	10-4
11-8	12-9	13-5	14-7	16-9
10-5	11-6	12-8	13-6	14-8
11-7	10-8	16-8	15-7	13-9
10-3	11-4	12-7	13-4	16-7
11-9	12-4	10-9	15-8	10-6
14-6	15-6	17-8	18-9	17-9

Cut out cards. Mix Check answers on the back store in pouch C After use.



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