Rounding lesson plan

| DAY | We Are Learning To (WALT): | MODEL / INTRODUCTION | INDEPENDENT WORK | PLENARY |
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|  | Mental: <br> Main: <br> Round numbers | Mental: <br> Main: <br> G+T children to attempt higher ability work without listening to teacher, with TA monitoring their progress and sending them to the carpet if not confident enough <br> Explain that we will be learning how to round numbers, and that we can round numbers to the nearest 10, 100 or 1,000 <br> Count with children in 10s from 0 to 100 and beyond <br> Count in 100s from 0 to 1,000 and beyond <br> Model for children how to round numbers: <br> 1) Read carefully what you are being asked to round to e.g. round 43 to the nearest 10 <br> 2) Put the nearest $10 / 100 / 1,000$ on the ends e.g. 40 and 50 <br> 3) Put the halfway point between the end numbers in the middle e.g. 45 <br> 4) Draw an arrow to estimate where the number you are rounding would come | Lower ability round numbers to the nearest 10 (2digit numbers) <br> Middle ability round numbers to the nearest 10 and 100 (3-digit numbers) <br> Higher ability round numbers to the nearest 10,100 or 1,000 (4-digit numbers) | In ability partners children to give each other a number to round to the nearest 10 / 100/1,000/ whole number / tenth / hundredth on their pupil whiteboards Discuss partner's response Swap over |

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