



About the Bond Blocks Addition & Subtraction Core Kit

You are receiving this letter because your child's class will be utilising the Bond Blocks Addition & Subtraction Core Kit as part of their Tier 1 class teaching. Your child will be developing addition and subtraction skills with numbers up to 30.

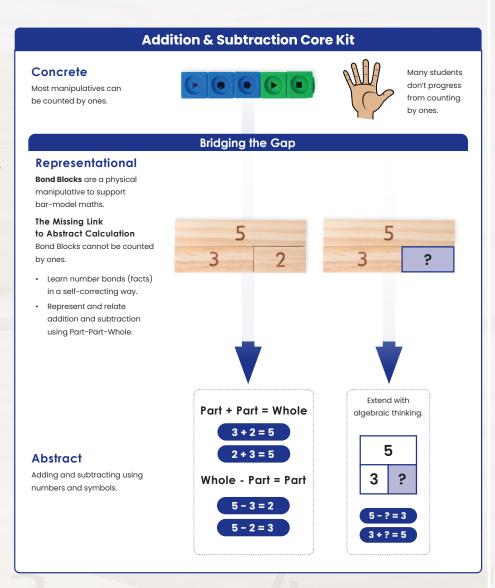
Bond Blocks fill the **missing link** to help students move from concretely **counting by ones** to abstractly adding with numbers and symbols.

Bond Blocks is informed by research using evidence-based methodology, developed by Australian teacher Narelle Rice together with Dr Paul Swan.

It was also winner of the 2022 Educational Publishing Awards.

We will use the Bond Blocks Addition & Subtraction Core Kit to develop:

- Fluency with number bonds, leading to recall.
- Addition and subtraction to 20 and beyond.
- Robust understandings of addition and subtraction concepts, and relationships between them.
- Flexible, efficient calculating strategies.
- Number concepts including place value.
- Mathematical reasoning and problem solving.



Support for Parents

The Bond Blocks Addition & Subtraction Core Kit is made up of over 100 sequenced activites. Each activity is completed on an A3 board and is modelled in a **video** on the activity's matching webpage. You can view these without a logon. See www.bondblocks.com

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