

# 2nd Grade Levels of Understanding

## How is my understanding of 2nd Grade NBT math standards?

(Numbers in Base Ten)

**2.NBT.1a: Understand that the three digits of a three-digit number represent amounts of hundreds, tens, and ones.**

**A: 100 can be thought of as a bundle of ten tens -- called a "hundred".**

I am a **level 3** when I can do the following on my own:

- Read a three-digit number.
- Understand the values in each place of the three-digit number.
- Create a three-digit number using place-value models.
- Create place value blocks from a three-digit number.
- Exchange ten tens for a hundred.

I am a **level 2** progressing toward grade level when I:

- Model place value of ones and tens.
- Recognize the value of a digit.
- Use tens and ones to represent a 2- digit number.
- Make a group of 10 ones to represent a 10 stick/rod.
- Identify groups of 10. (1 bundle of 10 is 10. 1 ten and 0 ones)

**2.NBT.2: Count within 1000; skip-count by 5's starting at any number ending in 5,0. Skip-count by 10s and 100s starting at any number.**

I am a **level 3** when I can do the following on my own:

- Count by ones to hundreds and 1,000.
- Identify the pattern of counting by ones even when adding the place value of 100.
- Skip count by 5's starting at 0 or 5.
- Skip by 10's and 100's starting at 0.
- Use a hundred chart to help describe the position of a number concerning another number.
- Identify and apply number patterns.
- Identify the number that comes next in a given pattern and continue the skip counting pattern.
- Identify patterns in skip counting chart (5 or 10).

I am a **level 2** progressing toward grade level when I:

- Order number from least to greatest.
- Count to 120.
- Identifying numbers to 120.
- Identify the number names, fives, and tens.

**2.NBT.3: Read and write numbers to 1000 using base-ten numerals, number names, and expanded form.**

**I am a level 3 when I can do the following on my own:**

- Read and write number words for numbers 0-1000.
- Identify and write three-digit numbers in expanded form, standard form, and number word form.
- Model three-digit numbers using base ten.
- Connect EF to SF to WF to base ten.

**I am a level 2 progressing toward grade level when I:**

- Know numbers greater than 20.
- Use a hyphen when written out in word form.
- Read and write numbers to 120.
- Know hundreds, tens, & ones.

**2.NBT.4: Compare two three-digit numbers based on the meanings of the hundreds, tens, and one's digits, using  $>$ ,  $=$ ,  $<$  symbols to record the results of comparisons.**

**I am a level 3 when I can do the following on my own:**

- Compare numbers with the symbols  $<$ ,  $>$ , or  $=$ .
- Use place value to compare numbers.

**I am a level 2 progressing toward grade level when I:**

- Compare two-digit numbers.
- Count to 120.
- Identify  $<$ ,  $>$ , and  $=$ .
- Order numbers from least to greatest and greatest to least.

**2.NBT.7 Add and subtract within 1000, using concrete models or drawings and strategies based on place value, properties of operations, and/or the relationship between addition and subtraction; relate the strategy to a written method. Understand that in adding or subtracting three-digit numbers, one adds or subtracts hundreds and hundreds, tens and tens, ones and ones; and sometimes it is necessary to compose or decompose tens or hundreds.**

**I am a level 3 when I can do the following on my own:**

- Use a strategy to add three-digit numbers—base ten models, expanded form model, or the algorithm.
- Find the missing part of a given quantity and one of its parts by counting on or counting back.
- Write and solve an equation that is modeled.
- Model an equation that is written.
- Add and Subtract three-digit numbers by using an algorithm that is connected to a model or other strategy.

**I am a level 2 progressing toward grade level when I:**

- Understand the connection between addition and subtraction to help master subtraction facts and developmental math strategies.
- Use place-value addition and subtraction.
- Use concrete models.
- Model drawing.
- Adding within 100.
- Composing and decomposing numbers.

# How is my understanding of 2nd Grade OA math standards?

(Operations & Algebraic Thinking)

**2.OA.1: Use addition and subtraction within 100 to solve one- and two-step word problems involving situations of adding to, taking from, putting together, taking apart, and comparing, with unknowns in all positions, e.g. by using drawings and equations with a symbol for the unknown number to represent the problem.**

**I am a level 3 when I can do the following on my own:**

- Model addition of numbers with objects/pictures (w/o regrouping).
- Add two numbers within 100 using equations with symbols or variables for the unknown (w/o regrouping).
- Solve one-step word problems and compare numbers to find the unknown.
- Create an addition with 100 using objects/pictures.

**I am a level 2 progressing toward grade level when I:**

- Identify the symbols =, +, -.
- Add one-digit numbers.
- Find unknowns with single-digit addition.
- Find the missing part or whole.
- Model equations with drawings.
- Solve one-step word problems with one-digit numbers.
- Identify part and whole.

**2.OA.2: Fluently add and subtract within 20 using mental strategies. Know from memory all sums of two one-digit numbers.**

**I am a level 3 when I can do the following on my own:**

- Fluently add within 20 using mental strategies. Know from memory all sums of two one-digit numbers.
- Fluently subtract within 20 using mental strategies. Know from memory all sums of two one-digit numbers.

**I am a level 2 progressing toward grade level when I:**

- Recognize or recall specific vocabulary: add, subtract, sum, difference
- Use mental strategies for adding and subtracting
- Add and subtract fluently within 10.

# How is my understanding of 2nd Grade MD math standards?

(Measurement & Data)

**2.MD.1: Measure the length of an object by selecting and using appropriate tools such as rulers, yardsticks, meter sticks, and measuring tapes.**

I am a **level 3** when I can do the following on my own:

- Select appropriate tool to measure (view vocabulary) standard and metric
- Use an appropriate unit to measure (Standard and Metric)

I am a **level 2** progressing toward grade level when I:

- Recognize or recall specific vocabulary: Recognize or recall specific vocabulary: length and weight
- Identify the length or weight of the object being measured.
- Count the number of units contained in the object to be measured.
- Line up the item to be measured with a ruler on the zero.
- Measure in whole number lengths.

**2. MD.2: Measure the length of an object twice, using length units of different lengths for the two measurements; describe how the two measurements relate to the size of the unit chosen.**

I am a **level 3** when I can do the following on my own:

- Measure the same object with different units.
- Discuss the similarities and differences in the measurements.
- Discuss how the measurement of an object differs when using different units (such as in. to cm.) to measure.

I am a **level 2** progressing toward grade level when I:

- Recognize or recall specific vocabulary: standard and metric units, measurement
- Measure length.
- Measure using different units.
- Recall that inches are larger than centimeters

**2.MD.3: Estimate lengths using units of inches, feet, centimeters, and meters.**

I am a **level 3** when I can do the following on my own:

- Estimate and then measure lengths using units of inches or feet, centimeters, and meters.
- Estimate using objects similar to units for measurement.
- Measure using appropriate tools after they estimate and compare.

I am a **level 2** progressing toward grade level when I:

- Recognize or recall specific vocabulary: Recognize or recall specific vocabulary: inches, feet, centimeters, and meters.
- Measure in whole numbers.
- Compare the lengths of two objects.
- The approximate size of inches, feet, centimeters, and meters.

**2.MD.6: Represent whole numbers as lengths from 0 on a number line diagram with equally spaced points corresponding to the numbers 0, 1, 2, ..., and represent whole-number sums and differences within 100 on a number line diagram.**

**I am a level 3 when I can do the following on my own:**

- Construct a number line that has equally spaced parts starting with 0.
- Use skip counting strategies starting at 0.
- Use a number line to model one- and two-digit addition within 100.
- Use a number line to model one- and two-digit subtraction within 100.

**I am a level 2 progressing toward grade level when I:**

- Model 1 digit addition on a number line.
- Model 1 digit subtraction on a number line.
- Count to 100.
- Addition and subtraction.

**2.MD.7: Tell and write time from analog and digital clocks to the nearest five minutes, using a.m. and p.m.**

**I am a level 3 when I can do the following on my own:**

- Tell and write time from a digital and an analog clock.
- Write the time to the nearest 5 minutes on a digital-analog clock.
- Identify and Apply a.m. and p.m.

**I am a level 2 progressing toward grade level when I:**

- Recognize or recall specific vocabulary: Time, am, pm, analog, digital, minute, hour, hand, seconds, colon
- Count by 5s.
- Count on from a given number by 5s.
- Tell and write time in hours and half hours on an analog and digital clock.

**2.MD.8: Solve word problems involving dollar bills, quarters, dimes, nickels, and pennies, using \$ and ¢ symbols appropriately.**

**I am a level 3 when I can do the following on my own:**

- Identify the value of dollar bills and coins.
- Add and subtract coins and bills to find the total value.
- Solve word problems using money.
- Use \$ and ¢ symbols appropriately.

**I am a level 2 progressing toward grade level when I:**

- Recognize or recall specific vocabulary: Dollar, coin, penny, nickel, dime, quarter, bill, add, subtract, cost, value
- Understand two-digit numbers is the same as adding cents. The difference is the cent symbol or the decimal and dollar sign.
- Subtracting two-digit numbers is the same as subtracting cents The difference is the cent symbol or dollar sign and decimal point.
- Identify the value of all U.S. coins.
- Count U.S. coins up to \$1.00.

**2.MD.10: Draw a picture graph and a bar graph (with single-unit scale) to represent a data set with up to four categories. Solve simple put-together, take-apart, and compare problems using information presented in a bar graph.**

**I am a [level 3](#) when I can do the following on my own:**

- Draw a picture graph with a single-unit scale to represent a data set with up to four categories
- Draw a bar graph with a single-unit scale to represent a data set with up to four categories
- Solve simple put-together, take-apart, and compare problems using information presented in a bar graph

**I am a [level 2](#) progressing toward grade level when I:**

- Recognize or recall specific vocabulary: graph, bar graph, pictograph, data, information, survey, category, tally mark, tally chart, table, key, symbol, compare, greater/more than, fewer/less than
- Answer explicit questions using data on a graph.
- Identify that models can represent information (data).

# How is my understanding of 2nd Grade G math standards?

(Geometry)

**2.G.1:** Recognize and draw shapes having specified attributes, such as a given number of angles or a given number of equal faces. Identify triangles, quadrilaterals, pentagons, hexagons, and cubes.

**I am a level 3 when I can do the following on my own:**

- Recognize and draw two-dimensional shapes based on specific attributes.
- Recognize three-dimensional shapes based on specific attributes.
- Describe the attributes of shapes.
- Identify the number of sides, angles, and vertices.
- Identify triangles, quadrilaterals, pentagons, hexagons, and cubes based on attributes.

**I am a level 2 progressing toward grade level when I:**

- Recognize or recall specific vocabulary: Triangles, rectangle, quadrilaterals, pentagons, hexagons, cube, angles, faces, partition, rows, columns, circle, equal shares, halves, thirds, half of, third of, fourths, two halves, three thirds, four fourths, wholes, horizontal, vertical.
- Know the names and faces of objects (e.g. rectangles, squares, trapezoids, triangles, half-circles, and quarter-circles).
- Build and draw shapes.

**2.G.2:** Partition a rectangle into rows and columns of same-size squares and count to find the total number of them.

**I am a level 3 when I can do the following on my own:**

- Divide a rectangle into equal rows and columns
- Count the total number of squares.

**I am a level 2 progressing toward grade level when I:**

- Recognize or recall specific vocabulary: Recognize or recall specific vocabulary: Triangles, rectangle, quadrilaterals, pentagons, hexagons, cube, angles, faces, partition, rows, columns, circle, equal shares, halves, thirds, half of, third of, fourths, two halves, three thirds, four fourths, wholes, horizontal, vertical.
- Partition rectangles into equal squares.
- Identify rows as horizontal.
- Identify columns as vertical.

**2.G.3:** Partition circles and rectangles into two, three, or four equal shares, describe the shares using the words, halves, thirds, half of, a third of, etc., and describe the whole as two halves, three thirds, four fourths. Recognize that equal shares of identical wholes need not have the same shape.

**I am a level 3 when I can do the following on my own:**

- Describe the terms: halves, thirds, half of, a third of, fourths, etc.
- Create equal parts of a shape
- Divide circles and rectangles into two, three, or four equal parts.
- Demonstrate that equal parts of an identical whole do not need to have the same shape. (vertically and horizontally)
- Partition shapes in equal parts that do and do not have the same shape. (circle will not be broken into circles)

**I am a level 2 progressing toward grade level when I:**

- Recognize or recall specific vocabulary: Recognize or recall specific vocabulary: Triangles, rectangle, quadrilaterals, pentagons, hexagons, cube, angles, faces, partition, rows, columns, circle, equal shares, halves, thirds, half of, third of, fourths, two halves, three thirds, four fourths, wholes, horizontal, vertical.
- Identify equal parts.
- Identify halves.
- Decompose a shape into equal parts to make smaller parts.
- Identify rectangles and describe them as halves, fourths, and quarters.