

Geometry: Position and Direction

POSITION, DIRECTION AND MOVEMENT												
F1	F2	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6					
Understand position	Select, rotate and	describe position,	use mathematical		describe	identify, describe	describe positions					
through words alone	manipulate shapes in	direction and	vocabulary to		positions on a	and represent the	on the full					
e.g. "The bag is under	order to develop	movement,	describe position,		2-D grid as	position of a shape	coordinate grid					
the table" with no	spatial reasoning	including half,	direction and		coordinates in	following a	(all four					
pointing	skills	quarter and three-	movement		the first quadrant	reflection or	quadrants)					
Describe a familiar	To describe position,	quarter turns	including		describe	translation, using	draw and					
route	direction and		movement in a		movements	the appropriate	translate simple					
	movement including		straight line and		between	language, and	shapes on the					
	forwards,		distinguishing		positions as	know that the	coordinate plane,					
	backwards,		between rotation		translations of a	shape has not	and reflect them					
	sideways, in front,		as a turn and in		given unit to the	changed	in the axes.					
	behind, under, over,		terms of right		left/right and							
	beside, next to, in		angles for quarter,		up/down							
	between		half and three-									
			quarter turns									
			(clockwise and									
			anti-clockwise)									
Discuss routes and	To begin to				plot specified							
locations, using words	introduce left and				points and draw							
like in front of and	right.				sides to							
behind					complete a given							
					polygon							
	ELG: There is no ELG											
	for SSM											
PATTERN												
<u>Stages of</u>	<u>Stages of</u>		order and arrange									
<u>understanding</u>	<u>understanding</u>		combinations of									
repeated patterns -	repeated patterns		mathematical									
continue AB pattern -	- continue, copy,		objects in patterns									
copy AB pattern -	make own ABC		and sequences									
make own AB pattern	pattern - continue a											
- spot errors in an AB	pattern that has											



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pattern - can identify	ended mid-unit of			
the unit of repeat e.g.	repeat - can do the			
this is a red-blue	above with a range			
pattern	of patters e.g. ABB,			
	ABBC, AABB			
	Can begin to			
	symbolise unit			
	structure of a			
	pattern the letter R			
	for the red dinosaur			
	Can begin to explain			
	the rule of a pattern			
	and then create			
	another pattern with			
	the same rule			
	Can begin to make			
	patterns that are not			
	linear e.g. around a			
	circle, or a border			
	with fixed number of			
	spaces			
	ELG: They recognise,			
	create and describe			
	patterns			