



How to use the Unit resources



Welcome to CanDoMaths.

Firstly we would like to introduce Colin the CanDo Caribou and Coco the CanDo Cockatoo who are characters we use in our maths resources to promote discussion.

Watch the Subject Expertise Video (otherwise known as Steve and Liz chat about...) to give you a feel for the key ideas and some of the visual prompts and vocabulary you may use during this unit.

The Maths Mastery Matrix itemises the **Manageable Steps** for this unit, providing a suggestion for the independent work the children might do in their books. These are in the form, "What it is" "What it is also" (also referred to as 'Do It') which is a few carefully designed questions for all children to complete.

The "What it is not" is a misconception illustrated by Colin the CanDo Caribou or Coco the CanDo Cockatoo, and children need to explain why they are wrong.

Then there is a problem to solve, often a missing digit or Always, Sometimes, Never challenge.

Use the Math Mastery Matrix to inform your planning, alongside the **Vocabulary PDF**. What is the key thing you want children to notice? What will you say? What will you hear?

The Unit Quiz for the manageable step can be used as a screenshot to assess learning part way through or at the end of each lesson.

Deliberate Practice is a flexible resource to secure and apply the learning. Use it during the week of the learning in your Maths on Track Meetings or a couple of weeks later to revisit learning.

